

rad Louis Widerman, gentleman, *vice* Thompson.

G. S. Bowie notified in the General Order of 1st June, 1894, are to date from the 23rd May, 1894.

To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): H. A. Bliss, gentleman, from No. 4 Troop, 5th Dragoons, Compton, Q.

32ND "BRUCE" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Walkerton, O.—No. 3 Company, Lucknow.—The resignation of Captain Benjamin Grant Jefferis, M.S. 2nd, has been accepted.

35TH BATTALION OF INFANTRY "SIMCOE FORESTERS," Barrie, O.—No. 4 Company, Vespra.—To be Captain: Frederick Sneath, R.S.I. 2nd A, *vice* Alison Leadley, who retires, retaining rank.

36TH "PEEL" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Brampton, O.—No. 6 Company, Allison.—To be Lieutenant: William Jno. Graham, Military Certificate No. 102, R.M.C., *vice* Hartley Graham, promoted.

37TH "HALDIMAND" BATTALION OF RIFLES, York, O.—No. 1 Company, York.—To be Lieutenant: William M. Weir, R.S.I. 2nd A, from 18th May, 1894.

No. 6 Company, Dunville.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): B. Miller Haney, gentleman, *vice* Simpson, retired.

No. 7 Company, Caledonia.—The name of the 2nd Lieutenant gazetted to this company in the General Order of the 18th May, is Ashton Cyril Langrill, not Langrice as therein stated.

40TH "NORTHUMBERLAND" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Cobourg, O.—No. 6 Company, Grafton.—To be Lieutenant: Robert Percy Rodgers, Graduate R. M. C., *vice* Teney, resigned.

The portion of the General Order of 18th May, relating to No. 1 Company, is hereby cancelled.

43RD "OTTAWA AND CARLETON" BATTALION OF RIFLES, Ottawa, O.—No. 3 Company, Wakefield.—Referring to General Order 28 of 20th April, 1894, Sec.-Lieut. C. F. Fox has been permitted to revert to the retired list of Captains, and Lieutenant William Thewles Lawless to retire, retaining rank.

45TH "WEST DUNHAM" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Bowmanville, O.—No. 1 Company, Bowmanville.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): William D. King, gentleman.

48TH BATTALION HIGHLANDERS, Toronto, O.—2nd Lieutenant George M. Rose, Junior, has been permitted to resign his provisional appointment.

53RD "SHERBROOKE" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Sherbrooke, Q.—The name of the Captain appointed on the 21st April, 1894, was Robert John Sparring, not Robert John Spinning as stated in General Order 36 of that date.

56TH "GRENVILLE" BATTALION "LISGAR RIFLES," Prescott, O. No. 3 Company, Burritt's Rapids.—To be Lieutenant: Daniel Alexander Cameron, R.S.I. 2nd A.

61ST "MONTMAGNY AND L'ISLET" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Montmagny, Q.—To be Surgeon: Assistant Surgeon Joseph G. Paradis, *vice* Fortin, deceased.

To be Adjutant: Captain Joseph P. Landry, R.S.I. 1st A, *vice* Bélanger, left limits.

To be Quartermaster: Diogène Talbot, *vice* Homer Milot, left limits.

No. 2 Company, St. Pierre.—To be Lieutenant: 2nd Lieutenant J. N. Roy, R.S.I. 1st, *vice* Landry, promoted.

63RD "HALIFAX" BATTALION OF RIFLES, Halifax, N.S.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): Walter John Forbes, gentleman.

66TH BATTALION "PRINCESS LOUISE'S FUSILIERS, Halifax, N.S.—To be Captain: Lieut. A. P. B. Nagle, R.S.I. 1st A, *vice* Captain C. H. Mackinlay, who has been permitted to retire, retaining rank.

To be Lieutenant: 2nd Lieutenants John G. Bauld, R.S.I. 1st A, and William M. Doull, R.S.I. 2nd A, *vice* A. Wilmot, resigned, and Nagle, promoted.

To be 2nd Lieutenant: Harry Edward Sawyer, R.S.I. 1st A, gentleman, *vice* Bauld, promoted.

To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): Charles James Townshend Stewart, gentleman, *vice* Doull, promoted.

73RD "NORTHUMBERLAND" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Chatham, Miramichi, N.B.—No. 3 Company, Doaktown.—To be 2nd Lieutenants (provisionally): Frank Duncan Swim and M. Alonzo Kelly, *vice* William McKnight and Daniel Loggie, who have been permitted to retire.

74TH BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Sussex, N.B.—No. 2 Company, Moncton.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): Charles Thomas Nevins, gentleman.

No. 3 Company, Sussex.—To be Lieutenant: Fred. Morison, R.S.I. 1st B, *vice* Spooner, left limits.

To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): James Murray McIntyre, gentleman, *vice* Morison, promoted.

76TH BATTALION OF RIFLES "VOLTIGEURS DE CHATEAUGUAY," St. Martin, Q.—To be Quartermaster: Lieutenant Francis Paul Laberge, *vice* A. H. Gagnier, resigned.

No. 1 Company, Ste. Philomène.—To be 2nd Lieutenants (provisionally): Joseph Parent and Francis P. Labrie, gentleman, *vice* Hilare Côté, who is permitted to retire, and F. P. Laberge, appointed Quartermaster.

77TH "WENTWORTH" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Dundas, O.—No. 5 Company, Stoney Creek.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): Joseph Edwin Orr, gentleman, *vice* Lee, retired.

82ND "QUEEN'S COUNTY" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Charlottetown, P.E.I.—To be Lieutenant: Ewan Ernest McMillan, R.S.I. 1st, *vice* J. R. Allan, promoted.

86TH "THREE RIVERS" BATTALION OF INFANTRY, Yamachiche, Q.—To be Major: Lieutenant John Houlston, Graduate R.M.C., gentleman, *vice* Dixon, promoted.

No. 3 Company, Three Rivers.—To be 2nd Lieutenants (provisionally): Jules T. Désilets and Jean-Baptiste M. Barthe, gentleman, *vice* Houlston, promoted, and Methot, resigned.

No. 6 Company, Three Rivers.—To be 2nd Lieutenant (provisionally): François Marchand, gentleman.

BREVET.

Lieutenant Victor A. S. Williams, "Canadian Dragoons," to have the rank of Brevet Captain, from the 10th day of June, 1894.

Captain and Adjutant Edward George Kenny, 66th Battalion, to have the rank of Brevet Major, from the 30th May, 1894.

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Certificates Granted.

Rank, Name and Corps.	Class.	Course.	Grade.	Percentage of Marks obtained.		
				Written.	Practical.	Aggregate Percentage.
CAVALRY.						
Lieut. D. H. MacMahon, R. Reg. Can. Infantry.	1	S	A	88	73	77
INFANTRY.						
Major A. M. Cosby, 48th Battalion.	1	Sp	A	70	71	70½
Lieut. C. A. H. Maclean, 48th Battalion.	1	S	A	78	77	77½
2nd Lt. J. D. Chipman, 71st Battalion.	2	Sp	A	69	63	63
2nd Lt. J. Watson Vidits, 63rd Battalion.	2	Sp	A	66	65	65
Lieut. A. J. B. Mellish, 82nd Battalion.	2	Sp	A	67	62	64

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RESERVE MILITIA.

Province of Quebec.

REGIMENTAL DIVISION OF VERCHÈRES.

To be Lieutenant Colonel: Major Gustave A. Drolet, *vice* Massue, deceased.

By Command,

WALKER POWELL, Colonel,
Adjutant General of Militia,
Canada.

A New Flyer.

A fortnight ago the torpedo-boat destroyer *Hornet*, built by Messrs. Yarrow, was proclaimed to be the fastest war-ship afloat. She has now to surrender this appellation to the *Daring*, another destroyer, but built by the rival firm of Messrs. Thornycroft. The *Daring* went out for her trial trip on Saturday on the Thames, and in the best of three spins over the Maplin measured mile she attained against the tide a speed of 29.268 knots. This is the highest rate of steaming that has ever been attained by any vessel, the *Hornet* having made over 28 knots. Both vessels are fitted with water-tube boilers, which contribute in a very important degree to their enormous speed. Considering the great pace at which she cut through the water there was very little vibration on the *Daring*, the absence of which is a material factor in the effective working of such a craft.

At the conclusion of the steam trials on the Maplins the manœuvring capacities of the *Daring* were afterwards displayed, especially the patent apparatus for rapid steering when the vessel is going astern. While this was being done the gun boat *Bullfrog* came near, the mean speed was chalked on the *Daring's* funnels, and the attention of the officers of the gunboat directed to the figures. They were easily perceived. The *Bullfrog* is an old boat, with a steaming capacity of somewhere about ten knots at the outside. The contrast between the two vessels was very marked, and the *Daring* circled round the other boat as the latter was proceeding towards Sheerness again and again. As the *Daring* steamed back to London a cock was chalked on her forward funnel by way of illustrating her success as "cock of the water."