No. 1 Company, Paris.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Peter Hunter Cox, M. S., vice De Hammet.

No. 2 Company, Brantford.

To be Captain, provisionally:

Frederick Van Norman, Esquire, vice Curtis.

To be Licutenant, provisionally :

George Robinson Van Norman, Gentleman, vice Henry McAlister, failed to attend last annual Drill in Camp.

No. 3 Company, Brantford.

To be Captain:

Arthur John Wilkes, Esquire, M. S., vice Spence, retired.

No. 4 Company, Brantford.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant John Ballachey, M.S., vice Lemmon.

To be Lieutenant:

James F. T. Jenkins, Gentleman, M. S., vice Ballachey, promoted.

BREVET.

To be Major :

Captain and Adjutant Henry Cooke, V.B., 33rd Battalion, from 10th September, 1874.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEO.

65th Battalion or " Mount Royal Rifles,"

The resignation of Paymaster Alexandre Desève, junior, is hereby accepted.

No. 1 Company. Montreal,

The resignation of Ensign S. Emery Ste. Marie, is hereby accepted.

BREVET.

To be Major:

Captain Louis Genest, M.S., No. 3, Co., Quebec Provisional Battalion, from 7th May, 1874.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

No. 1 Company of Rifles, New Westminster. To be Captain:

Lieutenant Joseph Burr, (formerly of Her Majesty's 52nd Regiment) vice Henry Valentine Edmonds, who is hereby permitted to retire with the rank of Lieuteňant.

To be Lieutenant, specially, and provision ally :

Ensign Adolphus Peele, vice Burr, pro mated.

To be Ensign:

Louis Francis Bonson, Gentleman, (formerly Sergeant Royal Engineers) vice Pecie, promoted.

By Command,

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

HEAD QUARTERS,

OTTAWA, 7th Nay, 1875.

GENERAL ORDERS (9).

No. 1.

ACTIVE MILITIA.

Strength of Officers.

Adverting to No. 1 of G. O. (15) 12th June. 1874, reducing the strength of officers to two for each Troop of Cavalry, Garrison Battery of Artillery, Company of Rifles, Infantry and Engineers, it is hereby authorized that the strength of Officers of Corps therein referred to may be increased to three, being the strength allowed previous to the issue of that order, but drill pay for only two officers for each of such Corps will be allowed, as fixed for the Annual Drill of 1875 76 in No. 1 of G. O. (7) 23rd April, 1875.

ARTILLERY.

With a view to a more compact uniformity of system in the Artillery Branch of the Service, the Assistant Inspectors of Artillery and Warlike Stores in the Provinces of Ontario. New Brunswick and Nova Scotis, will act in concert with directions from Lieut, Colonel Strange, Inspector of Artillery, who is the senior officer, and, as far as may be consistent with prompt action, will make all reports and returns to ilend Quarters through that officer, whose observations will be appended.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

12th Battalion of Infantry, or 'York Rangers.' No. 4 Company, Newmarket.

The resignation of Ensign John Albert Botsford is hereby ac .. pted.

14th Battalion, or " Princess of Wales' Own Rifles."

Erratum in No. 3 of G. O. (16) 19th June. 1874, read: "To be Lieutenant: Andrew Walter Morton, Gentleman, M.S., instead of "Andrew William Morton."

37th " Halaimand" Battalion of Rifles. No. 1 Company, York.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant Andrew Williamson, M.S., vice William Dayis, who is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

To be Lieutenant:

Ensign Robert R. Cranston, M.S., vice Williamson promoted,

44th "Welland" Battalion of Infantry. No. 3 Company, Chippawa.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant Morris J. Beam, M.S., from No. 7 Company, vice James Stiff retired.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

John A. Greenwood, Gentleman, vice Thomas, resigned.

The resignation of Ensign Horace Elon Tupper, is hereby accepted.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

6th Battalion " Hochelaga" Light Infantry. Adverting to No. 3 of G. O. of 12th March, 1875, Lieutenant William Smith Gardner, stands in seniority next above Lieutenant John Henry Gerrand Goodwin, instead of below that officer.

Portneuf Provisional Battalion of Infantry. No. 5 Company, Leureuils.

To be Captain:

Ensign Leonidas Praxède Barnard, M. S., vice Joseph Eugene Dusault, who is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

Lieutenent Louis Dussautt is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

Three Rivers Provisional Battalion of Infantry.

Ensign and Adjutant Jean Baptiste Emond to have the rank of Lieutenant.

BREVET.

To be Major:

Captain Louis Napoléon Labrecque, V.B., No. 1 Company, 23rd Battalion, from 9th April, 1875.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

66th " Halifax" Battalion of Infantry. To be Captain:

Lieutenant John Herbin, V.B., vice J. W. Watt, resigned.

To be Lieutenants:

Ensign Henry St. George Twining, M. S. vice Herbin, promoted.

Ensign Walter S. Salter, Q. F. O., vice Ackhurst, resigned.

Ensign Arthur Francklyn Salter, M.S., vice John S. D. Thomson, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

Ensign Henry M. Hamilton, M.S., vice John A. Waugh, left limits.

Ensign John Nalder, M. S.

72nd or 2nd Annapolis Battalion of Infantry, To be Adjutant:

Lieutenant Caleb Willoughby Shafaer, M. S., from No. 5 Company.

By Command of his Excellency the Governor General.

> WALKER POWELL, Colonel, Adjutant General of Militia

Canada.