

DOMINION OF CANADA.



MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS.

Ottawa, 26th December, 1873.

GENERAL ORDERS (29).

No. 1.

MILITIA STAFF.

To be Deputy Adjutant General or Military District, No. 4.

Brigade Major Lieutenant Colonel William Hayes Jackson, vice Atcherley resigned.

To be Brigade Major for the 8th Brigade Division, Province of Ontario, with the rank of Major in the Militia.

Captain Gregor Mattice, M.S., from No. 2 Company 59th Battalion, vice Jackson promoted.

Memo.—The Headquarters of both the above officers to be at Brockville, until further orders.

ACTIVE MILITIA.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

2nd Battalion or "Queen's Own Rifles," Toronto.

Memo.—Adverting to No. 1 of General Orders 26th June, 1868, Capt in Francis Collier Draper, M.S., 1st Class, having served five years as a Captain on 10th April 1868, the rank of Brevet Major to which he was then entitled is hereby granted to him from that date and the General Order adverted to is amended so as to read "vice Captain and Brevet Major Francis Collier Draper, who is hereby permitted as a special case, to retire retaining his Brevet rank," instead of "vice F. C. Draper."

10th Battalion of Infantry or "Royals," Toronto.

To be Major:

Captain and Brevet Major Arthur Coleman, V.B., vice J. W. Hetherington.

12th Battalion of Infantry or "York Rangers."

The Head Quarters of this Battalion are hereby changed from Newmarket to Aurora.

20th "Halton" Battalion of Rifles.

No. 1 Company, Oakville.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant Ranson Byron Albertson, V.B., M.S., vice William B. Chisholm, who is hereby permitted to retire retaining rank.

To be Lieutenant:

Sergeant Thomas William Fox, M.S., vice Albertson, promoted, promoted.

Ensign Donald C. Shane, having left limits, his name is hereby removed from the list of officers of the Active Militia.

No. 2 Company, Stewart-town.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant William Philip Appelbe, M.S., vice John Johnson, who is hereby permitted to retire retaining his rank.

To be Lieutenant:

Private James Newton, M.S., vice Appelbe, promoted.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Sergeant John Wasby Reed, vice Robert G. Bescoby, left limits.

27th "Lambton" Battalion of Infantry.

Ensign and Adjutant Charles Edward H. Fisher, V.B., to have the rank of lieutenant.

33rd "Huron" Battalion of Infantry

No. 2 Company, Wingham.

Memo.—Adverting to No. 1 of General Orders (22) 19th September 1873, read "vice Joseph Beck who is hereby permitted to retire with the rank of Ensign," instead of "vice Joseph Beck out of limits"; and "vice Benjamin Hazellhurst deceased," instead of "vice Benjamin Hazellhurst out of limits."

35th Battalion of Infantry "The Simcoe Foresters."

The resignation of Major Thomas Ferguson is hereby accepted.

44th "Welland" Battalion of Infantry.

No. 7 Company, Ridgeway.

To be Ensign, provisionally:

Morris J. Beam, gentleman, vice Laur, resigned.

BREVET.

To be Major:

Captain L. N. Fitzroy Crozier, V.B., No. 5 Company, 15th Battalion, from 18th December, 1873.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

"B" Battery of Artillery and School of Gunnery, Quebec.

Memo.—Adverting to No. 1 of General Orders (18) 18th July, 1873, the paragraph in which 2nd Lieutenant H. C. Sheppard is authorized for the "Long Course," is hereby cancelled, and the following substituted; "2nd Lieutenant Henry Colling Sheppard, No. 1 Battery, Quebec Provisional Brigade of G. A., is authorized to join the School of Gunnery, Quebec, on probation, for a three months' course of instruction."

65th Battalion or "Mount Royal Rifles"

No. 5 Company, Montreal.

To be Captain:

Lieutenant Pierre Bélanger, M.S., from No. 4 Company vice Arthur Renaud, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

No. 6 Company, Montreal.

To be Lieutenant, provisionally:

François Corbeille, gentleman, vice Edmond Barsolou, whose resignation is hereby accepted.

To be Ensign provisionally:

Edmond McMahon, gentleman, vice Gadoua, transferred to No. 5 Company.

County of Quebec Provisional Battalion of Infantry.

To be Assistant Surgeon.

Joseph Etienne Grondin, Esquire, vice Jules Robitaille, deceased.

CONFIRMATION OF RANK.

Captain Sévère Gagnon, M.S., No. 3 Company, Three Rivers Provisional Battalion, from 31st March 1871.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Victoria Provisional Battalion of Infantry.

No. 1 Company Baddeck.

To be Lieutenant from 24th October, 1873:

Ensign Donald McRae, Q.F.O. vice Cairn promoted.

To be Ensign, from 24th October, 1873:

Color Sergeant Farquhar McRae, M.S. vice D. McRae promoted.

To be Major:

Captain George H. Sutherland, Q.F.O. No. 6 Company, 78th Battalion.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY BRIGADE.

1st Brigade Garrison Artillery.

The resignation of Major Samuel Hamilton Wallis is hereby accepted.

2nd Battalion Rifles.

To be Lieutenant Colonel specially and provisionally:

Captain Edmund Phillips Hannaford, from Engineer Company attached to 1st Brigade Garrison Artillery, vice John Shedden deceased.

To be Major:

Major Thomas Patterson, V.B., formerly of the 3rd Battalion Rifles and 2nd Brigade Garrison Artillery, vice Henry Shakell left limits.

3rd Battalion Rifles.

To be Captains:

Lieutenant John Fitzgerald O'Neil, V.B., vice Walter George Jones left limits.

William M. Dow, Esquire, (Provisionally) vice Henry Nutall left limits.

To be Lieutenants:

Ensign William R. Wilson, M.S., vice David Turnbull left limits.

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