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BY AUTHORITY.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

RRANGEMENTS having been made with Canada and A Nova Scotia for the transmission of Parcels between those places and New Brunswick ;-On and after the first of May next, Parcels will be forwarded between the above places, subject to the following Regulations :-

1st. No Letter, Bank Bills, Bills of Exchange, or other valuable papers, or written matter of any kind, shall be

2nd. The Parcel shall not contain any explosive substance, glass, liquids, or other matter likely to injure the ordinary contents of the Mail.

3rd. The weight of the Parcel shall not exceed 3 lbs., nor the size exceed one foot in length or breadth, or six inches

4th. Parcels must be prepaid at the following Rates, and by Postage Stamps :-

For any weight not exceeding 1th, For any weight over 1th, and not exceed-

For any weight more than 21bs, and not

exceeding 3 tbs, 5th. The Parcel may be Registered on pre-payment (also

by Stamp) of a fee of five cents. 6th. The Parcel should have the words "By Parcel Post"

plainly written over the Address.

7th. If the Name and Address of the Sender be written

on the Parcel, it will, if delivery should fail from any cause, be returned to the Sender on payment of an additional rate for return conveyance.

8th. If the number of Stamps affixed on a Packet be insufficient to prepay the proper Rate, the amount deficient will be rated unpaid, with a fine of ten cents in addition.

W. H. ODELL, Postmaster General. Post Office Department, Fredericton, April 7, 1866.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

THE following alterations have been made in the existing Regulations of the Book Post, as established between the United Kingdom and New Brunswick, viz :-

1st. That no Prints or printed matter be allowed to be sent at the reduced rate of postage fixed for Book Packets,

unless they are printed on paper, parchment or vellum.

2nd. The Regulations whereby a Book Packet posted either wholly unpaid, or paid less than a single rate of Book postage, is detained, has been modified, so that in future such Packets will be forwarded to their destination, ing those wholly unpaid with double the amount of Book Postage, and those which are insufficiently prepaid, with the amount of the deficiency, and an additional Book Rate as a fine.

W. H. ODELL. Postmaster General.

Post Office Department, Fredericton, April 7, 1866.

MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS. HEAD QUARTERS, SAINT ANDREWS, 20th April, 1866.

No. 31.

H Is Excellency the Commander in Chief has been pleased to direct that the Militia Force called out for actual service shall until further orders be under the command of Major General Hastings Doyle, Commanding Her Majesty's Forces in the Lower Provinces, and Officers commanding the Corps called out for duty will receive their orders from him, and will report to such Officer as the Major General shall appoint, on all subjects except pay or promotion, reports respecting which are to be addressed direct to the Adjutant General of Militia, to whom also duplicates of all other reports and returns are to be forwarded. duplicates of all other reports and returns are to be forwarded.

MEMORANDUM.

Head Quarters, Saint Andrews, 20th April, 1866. Lieutenant Colonel A. M'Kinstry, H. M. 17th Regt.; Lieutenant Colonel Miller Clifford, Royal Artillery; Major Nugent, A. Q. M. G.; Major Clement Heigham, H. M. 17th Regt.;

to have the rank of Colonel in the Militia of New Brunswick whilst serving on the Frontier.

Commissions signed by His Excellency the Commander in

Third Battalion York County Militia.

Lieut. Jeremiah Staples to be Captain, 25th April 1866, vice Nevers, resigned.

John Cameron, Gent. to be Ensign, 25th April 1866.

Second Battalion Saint John City Light Infantry.

Lieut. Albert Chamberlain to be Captain, 17th April 1866.
Ensign George Hill Mullin to be Lieut. 25th "
Alex. Lowe Kerr " 26th "
Henry Gilbert Hunt, " 27th "
Chas. Ezekiel Sulis, " 28th "
Geo. Arthur Schofield " 29th " Francis Gallagher, Gent. to be Ensign, Henry Hallett Gardner, Gent. "

Second Battalion Saint John County Militia,

Dimock Delancy Davis, Gent., to be Ensign, 25th April 1866. Joseph Wilmot Lingley, Gent., Samuel Vaughan, Gent., do. do. 27th do. do, 28th do. John Douglas, Gent. George Robertson Johnson, Gent., do. Daniel George Kilpatrick, Gent.,

His Excellency the Commander in Chief has been pleased to permit the undermentioned Officers to retire with the rank opposite to their names:

Third Battalion York County Militia.

Captain George Nevers-Captain.

First Battalion Saint John County Militia.

Captain D. L. Dykeman-Major.

By Command.

G. J. MAUNSELL, Lt. Col. Adj. Gen. of Militia.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, April 3rd, 1866. (No. 291.) HE following Lots of Crown Land will be offered for sale on the first Tuesday of May next, commencing at noon.Conditions will be announced before Sale.

GLOUCESTER.

By Deputy Buttimer, at Salmon Beach. 150 acres, lots 126, 127, block 36, Bathurst road, J. E. O'Brien.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

By Deputy Layton, at Chatham.

100 acres, lot 9, block 2, Chaplin Island road, Newcastle, D. Bethwell; improved by James Quigley,