

The Com^d Engineer in Canada, to the
Inspector General of Fortifications transmitting
a copy of a communication from
Major Bottom in charge of the Rideau
and Ottawa Canals dated 4th Feb 1841
relative to the want of civil assistance
at the latter -

No. 23

Com^d Engr^s Office Hd Quarters
Montreal 10th Feb 1841.

Sir

I have the honor to
submit for your
consideration a copy
of a communication
forwarded to me by
Major Bottom as to the
want of civil assistance
on the Ottawa Canal.
The necessity for which
has been already
brought to your notice

by my letter N^o 97 of 25th June
1840, and N^o 150 of 18th Sept 1840.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obed^t serv^t
J. M. Field, Lt Colonel
Com^d Engineer
Canada

See Regt 100 3rd March 1841
27th appointing
a General
in the Ottawa
District
furnished with a copy of
a Regt 100 of 3rd Feb 27th
which provides the
assistance herein
required

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22nd Jan 1841 and 2nd 1840

It seems to be
advised to be done in a
short letter but I think
it is necessary to be
written in a separate
paper of 11 or 12 lines
of writing. I have
sent 3rd March 1841
to the Lt Col. of the
100th Regt of Foot
in command of the
100th Regt of Foot
original herewith

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