

so as to give immediate protection to the Vessels, and the Field Pieces should go with the Troops.

The neighboring and surrounding Country should be carefully explored and cleared for the Materials which may be first wanted.

To enable you to carry on this Service are sent Ensign Lambton of the 33^d Regim^t: as your Assistant Engineer, one Foreman and eleven Carpenters, one Mason and one Smith, with an assortment of Artificers Tools and Intrenching Tools, a Return of which you will be furnished with.

There are also sent a Sergeant, Corporal and Sixteen of the Black Pioneers, who as well as the Artificers are put under your Command to be employed as you may see proper, but in His Majesty's Service only.

You are likewise furnished with a Whale Boat, Gun Boat, and a sailing Boat, with Sackle, Rigging, Oars &c complete for the use of the Port, which together with the Articles specified in the Returns given to you, you are hereby made answerable for.

The Foreman is to keep a regular Check in a Book, of all the Artificers, which at the end of every Week is to be signed by the Assistant Engineer and examined by you, and from this Weekly Check an account is to be made out at the end of every Month agreeably to a form given to you, certified by the Asst^t Engineer and yourself, and then transmitted to the Commanding Engineer at Halifax to provide payment, should no person be appointed for that purpose at your Port.

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In case of Lumber or any other Materials which may be wanted to carry on the Works being offered for sale, you will apply by letter to the Commissioner upon the spot, to purchase them, giving him all information and assistance in putting a fair and just Value upon the same; and you are not to incur any expense but for the purposes before mentioned of covering the Provisions and Ordnance Stores without further orders from the Commander in Chief, the General Officer commanding in the District, or the Chief Engineer.

You will report to me from time to time your progress, and acquaint me with every circumstance which may require further Instructions.

(Signed) R. T. Moore
Ch: Eng^r

approved by the Commander in Chief

(Signed) A. De Lancey
Adj^t General