

the sagacity of the Board.
I believe the General
himself was affronted.
for he declined submitting
the returns from this office
& Major Gordon's to their
consideration, and the
Board entered on their
minutes "No returns
"were received from the
"Secretary or Brigade
Major."

This was a rub that
neither his Excellency nor
the Brigade Major appeared
to wish.

As I find by your letter
of the 30th that Cumberland
is to come within my
district I have wrote
by this Express to Mr Kinross
enclosing a copy of the extract
from Brook Mavor, and
requesting his assistance.

He is the only person at
that place of whom I have
the least knowledge.

There is Dr. Sherman indeed
but I am not certain
if he is at Cumberland
or St. Johns — You will
be able to inform me