

THE CHARLES ASKIN PAPERS

Two years ago when a paving company threatened part of the site of the "Battle of Beaverdams", Esther Summers enlisted Branch members Dennis Gannon and Brenda Young to help search for documentation to prove that the Battle took place on the property.

Lots in Stamford and Thorold were searched to prove who owned the properties at the time of the Battle and trips to the Ontario Archives and National Archives of Canada (NAC) found many interesting documents.

Many primary source documents turned up that historians had either overlooked or not found.

NAC holds the private papers of Charles Askin a captain of the 2nd Regiment of the Lincoln Militia. He was the son of John Askin. Many of you may have researched in the papers of John Askin which are published in a two volume set.

Unfortunately Charles' papers are not microfilmed and are in very fragile condition. The originals are available at NAC where we were able to view them. Luckily for us that NAC would make photo copies.

Since we have never uncovered this information in any other source, the following lists will be of interest to both Niagara and Haldimand Branch members of OGS. (this is only a sample of what is found in the papers) Source: MG 19 A3 Vol 41

Rations allowed for their children & Wives:

Alex'r **LYMBURNER** 2 1/6 for Wife & 5 children
 Roswell **RAYMOND** 2 5/6 for Wife & 7 children
 Jno. **BANNET** 2 1/6 for Wife & 5 children
 Joseph **TRUDO** 5/6 for Wife & 1 children
 Storm **VOLLUCK** 2 5/6 for Wife & 7 children
 Etienne **ALLAIR** 1 5/6 for Wife & 4 children
 Nicholas **COOK**

"Women and Children's Names belonging to Men of Capt. Askins Company."

Catherine **LYMBURNER** - Sally **MERRIT**, Harriet **LYMBURNER**, Jay **LYMBURNER**, Eliza **LYMBURNER**, Sirenus **LYMBURNER**, Malinda **CLARK** (6)

Mary **RAYMOND** - Elizabeth **RAYMOND**, Edy **RAYMOND**, Roswell **RAYMOND**, Ann **RAYMOND**, James Cary **RAYMOND**, Peggy L. **RAYMOND**, Samuel Clark **RAYMOND** (7),

Peggy **BANNET** - Henry **BANNET**, Hanah **BANNET**, Catherine **BANNET**, Rachel **BANNET**, Pamela **BANNET** (5)

Nancy ? **TRUDO** - Mary **TRUDO** (1)

Elizabeth **BIRDSELL** - Eliza **LYMBURNER** (1)

Mary **SWICK** - William **SWICK**, Peggy **SWICK**, Stephen **SWICK**, Nancy **SWICK**, Lavinia **SWICK**, Benjamin **SWICK**, Maria **SWICK**, Abby **SWICK**, Peter **SWICK** (9)

Esther **VOLLUCK** - Sophia **VOLLUCK**, Isaac **VOLLUCK**, Jacob **VOLLUCK**, Peter **VOLLUCK**, Catherine **VOLLUCK**, Tice **VOLLUCK**, Lena **VOLLUCK** (7)

Madelaine **ALLAIR** - Rosilla **ALLAIR**, Marion **ALLAIR**, Bazil **ALLAIR**, Catherine **ALLAIR** (4)

Elizabeth **FRELIEGH** - Elizabeth **FRELIEGH**, Jacob **FRELIEGH**, Ann **FRELIEGH**, Rachel **FRELIEGH**, Caroline **FRELIEGH** (5)

Margaret **COOK** - Peggy **COOK**, Sally **COOK** (2)

Hannah **BELLOWS** - Sally **BELLOWS**, Nicholas **BELLOWS** (2)

Mary **ALLAIR** - Jno **ALLAIR**, Benj'm **ALLAIR**, Margaret **ALLAIR**, Ann **ALLAIR**, Bazil **ALLAIR**, Eliza **ALLAIR**, Peter **ALLAIR** (7)

Catherine **YOUNG** - Betsy **YOUNG**, Lavinia **YOUNG** (2)

Louth Mills 16th Dec. 1813

Account of Flour & Wiskey sent from this to St. David's by Capt. Askin & Ensign **APPLYARTH**.

William **HUTT** 4 (Barrels), Joel **SMITH** 4, A. **SHELDON** 5, Robert **THOMPSON** 4, Henry **BEAMER** 4, Joseph **UCHER** 4, Vic. **DAWDY** 5, Soloman **QUICK** 3, Samuel **FRETZ** 4

December 17th

John **BURKEE** 4, Barnabass **SWEAZEY** 5, Henry **BEEMER** 4, Jesse **THOMAS** 4, Georg **BUCK** 5, Philip **SIMMERMAN** 5, A. **SHELDON** 5, Wm. **MARTIN** 4, Joseph **UCHER** 4, Adam **SIMMERMAN** 4, Christopher **LINDERBERRY** 4, Daniel **TALMAN** 3, James **SWEAZY** 4, Henry **BEAMER** 4, John **GLASS** 4, Silas **HOPKINS** 4, Wm. **HUTT** 4, Wm. **BRIDGEMAN** 4, John **HARRIS** 4, William **OSTERHOUT** 4, Samuel **SWARTZ** 3, Henry **ORTH** 3, Joel **SMITH** 4, Urban **HANES** 4

December 18th

Francis **HARKISON** 4, John **FALKER** 4, Joseph **FALKER** 4, Stephen **KAY** 4, David **MOYER** 4, Henry **HOOH** 4, Isaac **OSBURN** 4, John **LINDERBERRY** 4, John **SNYDER** 4, David **BATTRAM** 4, John **ENSLY** 4, Isaiah **GRIFFEN** 3, Jacob **FISHER** 4, Lewis **FALKER** 4, Alexander **LANE** 4, Gilbert **LANE** 4, Jacob **HOUSER** 4, A. **SHELDON** 4, Joseph **UCHER** 4, William **HUTT** 4, Morris **CANADA** 4, Silas **HOPKINS** 5, (there is a break on the page, then) of John **STREET** 18, of George **BALL** 211, of Wisky of G. **STREET** 14 + 1 Keg (there is a break, then) Names of the Persons who Haul the Wiskey to St. Davids Abraham **HUNSBERRY** 3, John **ALBRIGHT** 3, John **STREET** 2, Henry **BEAMER** 3, Jesse **THOMAS** 3 + 1 Keg (break) Mathias **HORNE** 1 day, ___ **BROOKS** 1 day.

Officers of the British Army Killed & Wounded & Taken Prisoner at the Storming of Fort Erie on the 15 Aug. 1814 (with regiment)

Killed- Col **SCOTT** 103rd, Capt. **IRWINE** 103rd, Col **DRUMMAND** 104th, Capt **FORREUS?** Royals, Lts.: **NOEL** Kings, **KAY** 103rd, **PETTET** 103rd, **HUEY** 103rd.

Wounded- Major **SMITH** 103rd, Capt **GARDNER** 103rd, Capt **COLCLOUGH** 103rd, Lt. **CHARLHAN** 103rd (prisoner), Lt **FALTON** 103rd, Lt **CUPPAYE** ? 103rd, Lt **BURROWS** 103rd, Lt **HAWEN** 103rd, Ensign **NASH** 103rd, Capt **ELLIOT** Qr Master 103rd (Prisoner), Capt **ROWAN** Royals, Lt **MARUHSN?** Royal, Lt **MIGHEAR** 103rd, Capt **GLEW** 41st, Capt **BULLOCK** 41st, Lt **TOWNSEND** 41st, Lt **HALES** 41st, Capt **BARNEY** 89th, Lt **MURRAY** 100th (Prisoner), Volunteer **FRASER** 100th (Prisoner), Capt **LEANARD** 104th, Capt **McLAUGHLIN** 104th

Royal Navy- Capt **DOBBS** slightly wounded, Lt **STEVENSON** slightly wounded, Mr. **HYDE** Master Mate serverly wounded (a Prisoner), M. **HYDE** serverly (sic) wounded.

2ND REGIMENT OF LINCOLN MILITIA
 MUSTER ROLL CAPT. CHARLES ASKINS
 COMPANY from 25th OCT. to 24 NOVEMBER
 1812 BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE

Captain Charles **ASKIN**, Lieutenant Warner **NELLIS**, Lieutenant Christian **McDONELL**, Ensign Benjamin **CANBY**, Sergeants- William **COGSWELL**, Jacob **BALESA**, William **NELLIS**, Jno **FARR**, Privates- Roswell **RAYMOND**, Joseph **TRUDO**, John **SMITH**, Samuel **WEIL**, Henry **NELLIS**, Wm. **SLACKY**, Toussaint **TRUDO**, Alexander **BEGGS**, Jno. **YOUNG** Jun'r., John **ROW**, Nathaniel **DENNIS**, Abram **NELLIS**, David **MERRIT**, John **BROWN**, Abram **YOUNG**, Joseph **YOUNG**, Joseph **WHEATON**,