

Sep 29. 1812
from J. R. Black.

Chimney Bridge

Colonel David Nixon

From D. E. Nixon 1/10/1914

Newbottle Sept 29-1812

Major General Stoughton has directed me to demand from you an immediate return of the militia, detached from the Regiment under your command, in pursuance of his orders of July last. —

Your prompt attention to this subject is therefore required

David Nixon Esq
Lt. Col. Com^d.
2. Regt: 1 Brig:
Det. Mil.

I am Sir

Respectfully

J. P. Black.

Pris: Mayor

William Augustus Brewster
Cross St. N. 1812

From B. E. Nixon 1/10/1914

Oct. 31st 1812.

Regimental Orders.

The Regiment will be formed as follows, commencing
on the Right.

- 1st Capt. McCullough on the Right
- 2nd " Asher
- 3rd " Maffey,
- 4th " Lawson
- 5th " Downes,
- 6th " Thomson
- 7th " Anderson
- 8th " Frazer. on the Left
- " Higginson's Light Infantry on the Right
- " Golden's do do on the Left.

Regimental Orders
for 3rd ~~th~~ th ~~out~~
1812

From C. E. Nixon 1/10/1914

Regimental Orders.

Red Lion Old Field

The Second Regiment will parade on a field ~~of John~~
~~Point~~ ~~Engⁿ~~ near Christiana on ~~tuesday~~ ^{Saturday the 31st Oct^r} the ~~6th~~ ^{5th} day of
~~June~~ ^{Sept^r} at 10 o'clock A.M.

The Regiment will be formed into two Battalions unless
the number of men on parade is under 160 files then to be
formed in one Battalion in open order

The Exercises of the day will be as follows

1. Salute the General - Battalions present arms Officers salute
with swords or Spontoons
2. Close the ranks wheel to the right by platoons and pass
the General Officers saluting
3. Form the line open the ranks and perform the manual
exercise
4. Perform the firings from right to left by platoons the 1st 5th
6th 3rd 4th 7th 8th. Then by bat.^{ls} charge bayonet & advance
5. Form close column by platoons on the right of the regt.
the right in front display to the left.
6. Form close column by platoons on the left of the regt. the
left in front display to the right.
7. Form close column on the 5th Platoon the right in
front display from the centre to the right & left.
8. Form open column to the right of the regt. the right in
front close column & display to the left.
9. Form open column to the left of the regt. the left in front
close column & display to the right.
10. Pass defile by platoons in advance
11. Repass defile by platoons in retreat from the flanks of
the Regiment

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2. Close the ranks wheel to the right by platoons and pass the General Officers saluting
3. Form the line open the ranks and perform the manual exercise
4. Perform the firings from right to left by platoons the 1st 5th 6th 7th 8th 11th 18th. Then by bat. charge bayonet & advance
5. Form close column by platoons on the right of the Regt. the right in front display to the left.
6. Form close column by platoons on the left of the Regt. the left in front display to the right.
7. Form close column on the 5th Platoon the right in front display from the centre to the right & left.
8. Form open column to the right of the Regt. the right in front close column & display to the left.
9. Form open column to the left of the Regt. the left in front close column & display to the right.
10. Pass defile by platoons in advance
11. Repass defile by platoons in retreat from the flanks of the Regiment
12. Countermarch on the centre of the Regt. (See your answer M. S.)
13. Change Position to the right & left of the Regt. by forming Echelon

David Nixon Lieut. Col. Comd.

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Regimental Orders

The Regiment will be formed in two Battalions unless the number men on parade is less than 100 files - then in One Battalion in Open order

1st Salute the reviewing Officer

2. Close Ranks, wheel to the right by Platoons, & pass the reviewing Officer Saluting.

3. Form the line in open ranks & perform the manual exercise

4. Perform the firings from right to left by platoons, Charge Bayonets by Battalion & advance.

5. Form close column by Platoons on the right the right in front, display to the left.

6. Form close column on the left, the left in front display to the left.

7. Form open column on the right of each Battalion, the right in front - form the line by quarter wheeling the platoons to the left & marching into line

8. Form open column on the left of Battalion - the left in front. Quarter wheel to the right & march into line

9. Pass defile by Platoons in advance from the Centre.

10. Pass defile by Platoons from the flanks.

11. Countermarch on the Centre of the Battalion (see the

7th of the 19 Manoeuvres (Quarries Military Library)

12. The Billon from Echillon from the Hollows

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3. Form the line in open ranks & perform the manual exercises.
4. Perform the firings from right to left by platoons Charge Bayonets by Battalion & advance.
5. Form close column by Platoons on the right the right in front, display to the left.
6. Form close column on the left, the left in front display to the left.
7. Form open column on the right of each Battalion in, the right in front. - form the line by quarter wheeling the platoons to the left & marching into line.
8. Form open column on the left of Battalion in - the left in front. Quarter wheel to the right & march into line.
9. Pass defile by Platoons in advance from the Centre.
10. Repass defile by Platoons from the flanks.
11. Countermarch on the Centre of the Battalion (see the 7th of the 19 Manoeuvres Queen's Military Library)
12. Form Echillon - from Echillon form the Hollow square on the Centre, Platoons in front, the Light Infantry Companies, or one half each Company will post themselves at each angle within the square (see the 14 Manoeuvres Military Library)

