Thomas Kyffin, of Maynan, in the said county of Carnarvon, Knight, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last will and testament of his paternal great aunt, Ann Nanney, the wife of the Reverend John Nanney (formerly called John Wynne), of Belmont aforesaid, take and henceforth use the surname of Kyffin only, in lieu and instead of that of Lenthall, and that he and they may bear the arms of Kyffin; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 10, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edward Bellasyse, of Chirk, in the county of Denbigh, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in order to testify his grateful and affectionate respect for the memory of his cousin, Thomas Lee, late of Mount Pleasant, in the town of Liverpool, Merchant, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Lee, in addition to and before that of Bellasyse, and bear the arms of Lee quarterly with those of Bellasyse; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall, March 14, 1870.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Ambassador of the North German Confederation at this Court, stating with reference to the General Industrial Exhibition for all kinds of Domestic Articles about to take place at Cassel, that all articles arriving from abroad will be admitted duty free, on condition of re-exportation.

War Office, Pall Mall, 15th March, 1870.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major William Plumer Gaskell, from half-pay, late 24th Foot, to be Major, vice Brevet-Oolonel Coote Synge Hutchinson, who retires upon temporary halfpay. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Captain Henry Holden Steward to be Major, by purchase, vice W. P. Gaskell, who retires.

Dated 16th March, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederick Greatorex to be Captain, by purchase, vice Steward. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Cornet James Frederick Stuart Menteth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Greatorex. Dated 16th March, 1870. 1st Dragoons, Lieutenant Egerton Leigh to be Captain, by purchase, vice H. F. George Coleman, who retires. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Cornet John Archibald Middleton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Leigh. Dated 16th March, 1870.

7th Hussars, Riding-Master Maurice Day, from half-pay, late 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Riding-Master, vice William Bray, who retires on halfpay. Dated 16th March, 1870.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant Francis Dallas Harding has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant Henry Grant Young (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice H. Munro, deceased. Dated 3rd January, 1870.

Lieutenant John Philipps Cottam (late Bengal) has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Royal Engineers, Captain Charles James Merriman (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. S. Trevor, Seconded. Dated 18th December, 1869.

Second Captain Brownlow Hugh Mathew (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice Merriman. Dated

18th December, 1869.

Lieutenant William Maxwell Campbell (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Mathew. Dated 18th December, 1869.

Captain John Fretchville Dykes Donnelly, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice H. R. Luard, deceased. Dated 27th February, 1870.

The promotion of the undermentioned Officers, which appeared in the Gazette of the 25th February, 1870, to be antedated to the 10th November, 1869; viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Davidson, on the Seconded List (late Bombay).

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Archibald Ballard, C.B., on the Seconded List (late Bombay).

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Edward Forbes Cotgrave (late Bombay).

Captain and Brevet-Major Joseph Bonus (late Bombay), on the Seconded List.

Captain and Brevet - Major Charles Augustus Goodfellow, V.C. (late Bombay).

Second Captain Alexander Reginald Seton (late Bombay).

Grenadier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant George Lauderdale Houstoun Boswall to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Hugh de Grey Seymour, who retires. Dated 16th March, 1870. Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant George Algernon

Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant George Algernon Percy, from the 2nd Life Guards, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, receiving the difference, vice Boswall. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Fitz Roy William Fremantle to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice John Augustus Conolly, V.C., who retires. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Ensign and Lieutenant Archibald, Earl of Cassillis, to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Fremantle. Dated 16th March, 1870.

Francis Capel Manley, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Earl of Cassillis. Dated 16th March, 1870.