

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

3d Bucks Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert D'Ath, gent. to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Denne, resigned. Dated 27th October 1868.

5th Bucks Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Frederick Mitchell, gent. to be Ensign, vice Meeking, resigned. Dated 27th October 1868.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.

36th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Ivatt, gent. to be Ensign, vice Rigg, resigned. Dated 20th October 1868.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

8th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

First Lieutenant William Mackfaud Belcher to be Captain, vice Morris, resigned. Dated 25th September 1868.

12th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Bell Graham Williams to be First Lieutenant. Dated 29th July 1868.

1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign James Fairhurst, the younger, to be Lieutenant, vice Lowe, resigned. Dated 17th October 1868.

8th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign William Plant Woodcock to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th October 1868.

46th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Williams, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Roe, resigned. Dated 17th October 1868.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

4th Administrative Battalion of Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

James Payne, Lieutenant-Colonel 23d Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th October 1868.

Frederick John Wood, Major 23d Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Major. Dated 10th October 1868.

1st Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Allen McClean, gent. to be Ensign, vice J. T. Lepard, resigned. Dated 3d October 1868.

15th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Gregory Tunks, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Oldham, promoted. Dated 22d September 1868.

23d Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major James Payne to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th October 1868.

Captain Frederick John Wood to be Major. Dated 9th October 1868.

Daniel Searle, gent. to be Ensign. Dated 9th October 1868.

Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Thomas Forbes Firth to be Surgeon. Dated 9th October 1868.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

6th Aberdeenshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Ogston to be First Lieutenant. Dated 16th October 1868.

7th Aberdeenshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Rodger to be First Lieutenant, vice Hay, resigned. Dated 23d October 1868.

16th Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant James Bruce to be Captain. Dated 21st October 1868.

James Hardie to be Ensign. Dated 21st October 1868.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

5th Dorsetshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

First Lieutenant Charles Brown to be Captain. Dated 29th October 1868.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 27th ultimo.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

5th Kent Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Edward John Leveson, gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Stephens, resigned. Dated 29th October 1868.

#### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the 1st Administrative Battalion of Roxburghshire Rifle Volunteers bearing the special designation of the "Border Rifle Volunteers."

#### IN THE MATTER OF THE FACTORY ACTS EXTENSION ACT, 1867.

In the District of Mr A. Redgrave.

WHEREAS due proof has been made to the satisfaction of me, the undersigned, Gathorne Hardy, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that the customs of the Trades carried on in the Factories specified in the Schedule hereto, require that the children, young persons, and women, working in such Factories, should be employed between the hours hereinafter mentioned: Now I, the said Gathorne Hardy, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the 12th Article of the Schedule annexed to the Factory Acts Extension Act, 1867, do, by this my Order, give permission to the occupiers of the said Factories to employ the children, young persons, and women, working in such Factories, between the hours of seven o'clock in the morning and seven o'clock in the evening, or between eight o'clock in the morning and eight o'clock in the evening, instead of between the hours of six o'clock in the