

27th Regiment of Foot, John Timothy D'Arcy Hutton, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Somerville, appointed to the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 14th August 1840.

55th Foot, Captain Henry Grimes, from the half-pay. Unattached, to be Captain, vice Archdale Sharpin, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 14th August 1840.

59th Foot, Ensign Henry W. Gordon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Heard, who retires. Dated 14th August 1840.

Joseph de Montmorency, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Gordon. Dated 14th August 1840.

83d Foot, William Sandford Wills, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Paleston, who retires. Dated 14th August 1840.

#### UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant Benjamin Beaufoy, from the 24th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 14th August 1840.

#### BREVET.

The under-mentioned Cadets, of the Honourable the East India Company's Service, to have the temporary rank of Ensign during the period of their being placed under the command of Colonel Pasley, of the Royal Engineers, at Chatham, for field instructions in the art of Sapping and Mining:

Francis Whiting, Gent. Dated 4th August 1840.

John Harley Maxwell, Gent. Dated 4th August 1840.

John Douglas Campbell, Gent. Dated 4th August 1840.

Edward John Lake, Gent. Dated 4th August 1840.

Peter Garforth, Gent. Dated 4th August 1840.

#### MEMORANDA.

The Christian name of Ensign de Piro, who was appointed to the Royal Malta Fencibles, on the 10th July last, is Guiseppe.

The Christian names of Ensign Carmichael, of the 68th Foot, are William Hugh Hedges, and not Hugh Hedges William, as previously stated.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.*

*Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.*

George Thomas Lowth, Esq. to be Captain. Dated 11th August 1840.

Jacob William Hinde, Esq. to be ditto. Dated 12th August 1840.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.*

*Castlemartin Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Henry Leach, Esq. to be Captain, vice Phillips, resigned. Dated 24th July 1840.

George Parry, jun. Gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Harris, resigned. Dated 24th July 1840.

John Lennox Griffith Poyer Lewis, Gent. to be Cornet, vice Stokes, resigned. Dated 18th July 1840.

*Church Commissioners'-Office,  
August 11, 1840.*

THE following is a copy of an Order of Her Majesty in Council, for the assignment of an ecclesiastical district to Christ Church, in the parish of Skippon, in the county of York, under the 21st section of the 58th George 3, cap. 45:

At the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 22d day of May 1840, present, the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fifty-eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for building, and promoting the building, of additional churches in populous parishes," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "that in every case in which the Commissioners appointed for carrying into execution the purposes of the said Act, shall be of opinion that it will be expedient to divide any parish into two or more distinct and separate parishes, for all ecclesiastical purposes whatever, it shall be lawful for the said Commissioners, with the consent of the Bishop of the diocese in which such parish is locally situated, signified under his hand and seal, to apply to the patron or patrons of the church of such parish for his consent to make such division, and for such patron or patrons to signify his or their consent thereto, under his hand and seal; and the said Commissioners shall, upon the consent of the said patron or patrons so signified, represent the whole matter to His Majesty in Council, and shall state in such representation the bounds by which it is proposed, with such consent as aforesaid, to divide such parish, together with the relative and respective proportions of glebe land, tithes, moduses, or other endowments, which will by such division arise and accrue, and remain and be within each of such respective divisions, and also the relative proportions of the estimated amount of the value or produce of fees, oblations, offerings, or other ecclesiastical dues or profits which may arise and accrue within each of such respective divisions; and if, thereupon, His Majesty, in Council, shall think fit to direct such division to be made, such Order of His Majesty in Council shall be valid and good in law for the purpose of effecting such division; provided always, that no such division of any parish into distinct parishes shall completely take effect until after the death, resignation, or other avoidance of the existing incumbent of the parish to be divided;" and it is, by the 21st section of the said Act, further enacted, "that in any case in which the said Commissioners shall be of opinion that it is not expedient to divide any populous parish or extra parochial place into such complete, separate, and distinct parishes as aforesaid, but that it is expedient to divide the same into such ecclesiastical districts as they,