

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

Northamptonshire Militia.

Henry Mincel Stockdale to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1854.

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

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

Edward Priest Richards, Esq., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1854.

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

The Queen's Own Worcestershire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable William, Lord Ward, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, vice the Honourable Robert Henry Clive, Commandant, deceased. Dated 27th February, 1854.

Whitehall, March 3, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Gilpin, of Sedbury, in the parish of Gilling, in the North Riding of the county of York, Esquire, in the Commission of the Peace for the said county, eldest son and heir of John Gilpin, of Sedbury aforesaid, Clerk, some time Vicar of Stockton, in the county of Durham, by Jemima his wife, eldest sister of George Brown, of the city of London and of Stockton aforesaid, Esquire, and also sister of Dame Elizabeth Preston, wife of Sir Robert Preston, of Valleyfield, in the county of Perth, and of Downing-street, in the city of Westminster, Baronet, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may (in compliance with a proviso and declaration contained in the last will and testament of the said Dame Elizabeth Preston) henceforth take and use the surname of Brown in addition to, and after that of Gilpin, and bear the arms of Brown; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise the said 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.

CHARITY COMMISSION.

THE Charity Commissioners for England and Wales, considering that the churchwardens of very many parishes are ex officio trustees of charities therein, and that as to a large proportion of such charities, it has been customary to make up yearly accounts thereof, as between the retiring churchwardens and their successors or otherwise, to the Feast of Easter, or to some other early period in each year, and having received numerous representations that the duty of making up other yearly accounts of the same charities to any different day may be attended with unnecessary inconvenience to the trustees and expence to the charities, do order, that it shall be lawful for the trustees of any parochial charity of which the churchwardens are ex officio trustees, whether solely or otherwise, in lieu of making up on or before the 25th day of March in every year, the statements and balance sheet required by the 61st section of "The Charitable Trusts Act, 1853," of the income and revenues and receipts and expenditure thereof for the year

ending on the preceding 31st day of December, to make up on or before the 31st day of May in every year, like statements and a like balance sheet of the income and revenues, and receipts and expenditure of such charity to whatever earlier time of the year it has been customary in the same parish to make up and balance the yearly accounts thereof, so nevertheless that every such statement and balance sheet shall be certified in the manner directed by the said Act, and shall be audited in the cases and in the manner thereby prescribed, and that the same or a duplicate thereof, shall also on or before the same 31st day of May, be delivered or sent to the Clerk of the County Court or Clerk of the Peace, as the case may require, and also to this Board in the manner required by said Act; provided that it shall be lawful for this Board to revoke or from time to time to vary this order as to all or any of the charities affected thereby as they may think necessary or expedient.—Dated this 7th day of March, 1854.

By order of the Board,
Henry M. Vane, Secretary.

Whitehall, February 27, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Sydney Pearson, of Dawlish, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

Whitehall, March 2, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Anthony Wellington Irwin, of No. 5, Gray's-inn-square, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Edward Western, of No. 7, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Charles Francis Western, of No. 7, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Cyril John Monkhouse, of No. 3, Craven-street, Strand, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, March 4, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Edward Davison Welford, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

Whitehall, March 6, 1854.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Edward Doyle, of No. 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, and of No. 87, Camden-road-villas, Camden-town, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed William Henry Clapham, of No. 29, Great Portland-street, Marylebone, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Frederick Tritton, of No. 11, Three Crown-