

The undermentioned Officers, serving with the Osmanli Irregular Cavalry, to have local rank in Turkey while so employed :

*To be Majors.*

- Captain William Francis Ring, 87th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1855.  
 Captain Robert Lovelace, late 19th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1855.  
 Captain Sir C. A. H. Rumbold, Bart., late 70th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1855.  
 Captain James Theodore Ling, 91st Foot. Dated 1st December, 1855.

*To be Captains.*

- Lieutenant William Edington Stuart, 15th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st September, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Hugh Mulleneux Walmsley, late 63rd Foot. Dated 1st September, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Miles Monckton, late 2nd Foot. Dated 1st September, 1855.  
 Lieutenant R. Pittman, Bombay Artillery. Dated 1st September, 1855.  
 Lieutenant William Baynes Netherwood, late 7th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Osborne Barwell, 19th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Richard Stanstead Barwell, late 84th Foot. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Charles Clements Brooke, late 4th Dragoon Guards. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant John Christopher Rees Weguelin, late 16th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant John Thomas Eustace, late 3rd Foot. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant J. S. Lynch, late 39th Foot. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant John Halpen Thompson. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Arthur Giffard, 16th Bombay Native Infantry. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Herbert Wodehouse, 15th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Frederick Roome, 10th Bombay Native Infantry. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Alexander Strange, formerly of a West India Regiment. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant Henry Charles Boate. Dated 1st November, 1855.  
 Lieutenant William Cumming. Dated 1st November, 1855.

*To be Lieutenants.*

- Ensign Henry Augustus Williams, late 1st Foot. Dated 1st December, 1855.  
 Edwin Broscup Barford, Gent. Dated 1st December, 1855.  
 George Ponsonby Craufurd, Gent. Dated 1st December, 1855.  
 Beverly Usher Boate, Gent. Dated 1st December, 1855.  
 John Tracey, Gent. Dated 1st December, 1855.

For Lieutenant E. B. Litchford, 48th Bengal Native Infantry, to have the local rank of Captain in Turkey while serving with the Turkish Contingent, dated 20th February, 1856, which appeared in the Gazette of 29th ultimo,

Read, E. B. Litchford, Esq., late 48th Bengal Native Infantry, &c.

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

- John Hardy, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th March, 1856.  
 John Morris, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th March, 1856.

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

*2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.*

- Ensign George Lawson Hall Poole to be Lieutenant, vice De La Hooke, resigned. Dated 25th March, 1856.  
 Ensign George Gyles to be Lieutenant, vice Clarke, resigned. Dated 26th March, 1856.  
 Edward Fox, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Poole, promoted. Dated 26th March, 1856.  
 John Hatton Brereton, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Gyles, promoted. Dated 27th March, 1856.

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

*Dorset Regiment of Militia.*

- Lieutenant John Warry to be Captain, vice Devenish, deceased. Dated 26th March, 1856.  
 Ensign William Bragge to be Lieutenant, vice Warry, promoted. Dated 26th March, 1856.  
 George Onslow Churchill, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Bragge, promoted. Dated 26th March, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dumbarton.*

*90th, Stirlingshire, &c., Militia, Highland Borderers Light Infantry.*

- William Cleland, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Huxam, appointed to the 31st Foot.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.*

*Kent Militia Regiment of Artillery.*

- George Augustus Young, late Captain Royal Bucks Militia, and formerly of 8th (King's) Regiment of Foot, to be Second Lieutenant, vice Strother, resigned. Dated 20th March, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Argyll.*

*Argyll and Bute Militia.*

- Archibald Campbell, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice James Brown, removed to the Retired List. Dated 15th March, 1856.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2596. Joseph Shaw, of No. 22, New King-street, Hull, Yorkshire, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the prevention of accidents arising from collisions on railways."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of November, 1855.