

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.*

*1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign Augustus Frederick Coke Bolingbroke to be Lieutenant, vice Cresewell, resigned. Dated 24th March, 1865.

Clement Priestley Hart to be Ensign, vice Bolingbroke, promoted. Dated 24th March, 1865.

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

*14th Hampshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant William Clement Drake Esdaile to be Captain, vice Popham, resigned. Dated 25th March, 1865.

[The following Appointment is substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the 17th January last.]

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

*6th Nottinghamshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

John Broadbent, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Dominichetti, resigned. Dated 13th January, 1865.

[The following Appointments are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the 14th instant.]

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

*4th Northamptonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant John Macquire to be Captain, vice Davis, resigned. Dated 6th March, 1865.

Ensign Richard Phipps to be Lieutenant, vice Macquire, promoted. Dated 6th March, 1865.

MEMORANDA.

*Cornwall Rangers Militia.*

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major James Rennell Rodd in this Regiment.

Adjutant Jonathan White, of the Robin Hood Rifle Volunteer Corps, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 23rd March, 1865.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter 96, for the regulation of the duties of postage, certain scales of weight and rates of postage were fixed and made chargeable and payable upon, for, or in respect of letters, newspapers, parliamentary proceedings, and printed papers, transmitted and forwarded by the post; and various regulations were made for facilitating the transmission of such letters and papers by the post; and by the same Act powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of postage therein mentioned.

And whereas further powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by

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another Act of Parliament passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter 85, for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post Office.

And whereas it is expedient to authorise the transmission by the post between the United Kingdom and the island of St. Thomas, and the other Danish colonies in the West Indies, of certain packets, and for that purpose to make certain regulations in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said hereinbefore recited Acts of Parliament, and every of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order and direct as follows, that is to say:—

1. All packets consisting of patterns or samples of merchandize, of no intrinsic value, posted in any part of the United Kingdom, addressed to any port in the island of St. Thomas, or the other Danish colonies in the West Indies, or posted in any port in the island of St. Thomas, or the other Danish colonies in the West Indies, addressed to any part of the United Kingdom, may be transmitted by the post between the United Kingdom and the island of St. Thomas, and the other Danish colonies in the West Indies, subject to the several rates of postage, and to the several orders, directions, regulations, and restrictions, hereinafter mentioned and contained, that is to say:—

On every such packet, if not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, an uniform single rate of postage of three pence;

And on every such packet, if exceeding four ounces, and not exceeding one half of a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, two rates of postage;

And on every such packet, if exceeding one half of a pound, and not exceeding one pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, four rates of postage;

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound, and not exceeding one pound and one half of another pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, six rates of postage;

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and one half of another pound, and not exceeding two pounds in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, eight rates of postage;

And for every additional half of a pound in weight of any such packet above the weight of two pounds, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, two additional rates of postage; and every fractional part of such additional half of a pound in weight shall be charged as an additional half of a pound in weight; and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such packet would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding four ounces in weight.

2. No such packet, which in length, or breadth, or depth, shall exceed the dimensions of two feet, shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant.

3. No pattern or sample being of any intrinsic value, or being an article or thing of a saleable