

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York and of the City and County of the City of York.

2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

John Rickaby, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Darley, promoted. Dated 29th May, 1865.

2nd West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Joseph Dixon to be Captain, vice Turner, resigned. Dated 29th May, 1865.

Lieutenant Charles Anthony Branson to be Captain, vice Brown, resigned. Dated 29th May, 1865.

7th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant George Hird Nelson to be Captain, vice Cousins, resigned. Dated 20th May, 1865.

Ensign Arthur Wellesley Blackburn to be Lieutenant, vice Nelson, promoted. Dated 20th May, 1865.

28th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Arthur Howsin, M.D., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Johnson, resigned. Dated 19th May, 1865.

40th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel Johnson to be Ensign, vice Biram, resigned. Dated 29th May, 1865.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant John William Johnson, of the 2nd West Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 29th May, 1865.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

1st City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant James S. Morton to be Captain, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 2nd May, 1865.

Ensign Alexander Orrock to be Lieutenant, vice Morton, promoted. Dated 2nd May, 1865.

William Millons to be Ensign, vice Arthur, resigned. Dated 5th May, 1865.

Francis Braid to be Ensign, vice Murdoch, promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1865.

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

1st Worcestershire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Henry Martin Turnor to be Captain.

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

1st Glamorganshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Edward John Glascodine, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 27th May, 1865.

John James Oakshot, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 27th May, 1865.

George Padley, Esq., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 27th May, 1865.

Thomas Dryslwyn Griffiths, Esq., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 27th May, 1865.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 23rd ultimo.]

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

3rd Sussex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Benjamin Waters to be Second Lieutenant, vice Pitcher, resigned. Dated 16th May, 1865.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captain Wynne de Cerjat and Captain William St. James Ball in the 2nd Regiment of Royal Surrey Militia.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, and at any time after the passing of that Act, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant.

And whereas further powers are given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act of Parliament passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act 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, by a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 19th day of September, 1855, certain rates of packet postage were fixed and made chargeable and payable upon letters transmitted by the post direct by British packet boat between any ports in the British colonies or between any ports in the British colonies and any foreign port (not in any such cases passing through the United Kingdom), and it is expedient to alter certain of the said rates on certain letters transmitted as hereinafter mentioned, and to fix certain other rates in lieu thereof as are hereinafter contained.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers vested in us in and by the said recited Acts, and each 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:—

1. That on every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight transmitted by the post direct by British packet boat, or partly by British packet boat and partly by French packet boat, between any port in the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Saint Helena, Ascension, or the Mauritius, and any port in the East Indies, China, or Australia, or between any port in Australia, and any port in the East Indies or China (not in any such cases passing through the United Kingdom), there shall be charged and taken a packet rate of postage of ten pence.