

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.*

Lieutenant Samuel John Unwin to be Captain, vice the Viscount Chelsea, promoted. Dated 11th August, 1865.

Lieutenant John Harlowe Turner to be Captain, vice Murray, resigned. Dated 11th August, 1865.

Assistant-Surgeon William Hurman to be Surgeon, vice McCann, deceased. Dated 11th August, 1865.

18th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel John Blackwell to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. Blackwell, resigned. Dated 9th August, 1865.

48th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign John Alexander James Woodward to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1865.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.**Northumberland and Newcastle Regiment of Volunteer Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Clement Stephenson, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 11th August, 1865.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.**10th Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign James Barron to be Lieutenant, vice Munro, resigned. Dated 12th August, 1865.

12th Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles Irvine to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 17th August, 1865.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.**21st Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

First Lieutenant George Paley to be Captain, vice Wilson, resigned. Dated 14th August, 1865.

First Lieutenant Frederick Fisher Trundle to be Captain, vice James Paley, resigned. Dated 14th August, 1865.

Second Lieutenant Richard Marsh Carr to be First Lieutenant, vice George Paley, promoted. Dated 14th August, 1865.

Second Lieutenant John Christopher Eccles to be First Lieutenant, vice Trundle, promoted. Dated 14th August, 1865.

1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edmund Heagren Gibbs, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 16th August, 1865.

9th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Samuel Peter Edelsten to be Lieutenant, vice Broadbent, resigned. Dated 16th August, 1865.

Thomas Joseph Cartwright, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Edelsten, promoted. Dated 16th August, 1865.

56th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel Page, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 16th August, 1865.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.**2nd Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.*

Robert Peel Floyd, Gent., to be Captain, vice Hill, resigned. Dated 25th August, 1865.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.**1st Renfrew Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

William Cunningham Denniston, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1865.

William Aitchison Wilson, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Allan, resigned. Dated 22nd August, 1865.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.**5th Warwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant Charles Edward Flower to be Captain, vice Hamilton, resigned. Dated 28th August, 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, power is 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 British 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 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 certain powers are also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act of Parliament passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter 27, for amending the laws relating to the stamp duties on newspapers, and for providing for the transmission by post of printed periodical publications.

And whereas it is expedient that the rates of postage now payable on certain newspapers should be altered in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

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 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, direct, and declare as follows:

1. On every packet consisting of a printed British, colonial, or foreign newspaper, not exceeding four ounces in weight, posted in either of the Danish colonies in the West Indies, or in Mexico, Curaçoa, Costa Rica, Porto Rico, Martinique, or Guadaloupe, addressed to the United Kingdom, and transmitted by the post from such respective places to the United Kingdom, either direct or via St. Thomas, by British packet boat,