

*Crown Office, May 19, 1866.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*County of Aberdeen.*

William Dingwall Fordyce, Esq., of Brucklay, in the room of William Leslie, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

*May 23.*

*County of Kildare.*

Otho Augustus FitzGerald (commonly called Lord Otho FitzGerald), of Carlton House-terrace, in the county of Middlesex, Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

*Borough of Devonport.*

The Honourable William Gordon Cornwallis Eliot (commonly called Lord Eliot), and Montagu Chambers, of Child's-place, Temple Bar, in the city of London, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, in the room of John Fleming and William Ferrand, Esqrs., whose election for the said borough has been determined to be void.

*Admiralty, 22nd May, 1866.*

Commander Grey Skipwith has been this day promoted to be a Retired Captain under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.*

Robert Barlour, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1866.

Philip Stapleton Humberston, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1866.

*Commission signed by Her Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the City of London.*

*London Rifle Volunteer Brigade.*

Patrick William Sydenham Ross to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th May, 1866.

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

*7th Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign Gervas Holmes to be Lieutenant, vice Fox, resigned. Dated 19th May, 1866.

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

*Royal Monmouthshire Militia.*

Lieutenant John Zamoiski to be Captain, vice Lloyd, resigned. Dated 23rd May, 1866.

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

*Northumberland Artillery Militia.*

Digby Wright, Esq., late Lieutenant Royal Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 21st May, 1866.

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

*10th Ayrshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Thomas Gemmell to be Ensign. Dated 17th May, 1866.

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

*Royal Carmarthen Artillery Militia.*

Major William Price Lewes to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Drummond, deceased. Dated 22nd May, 1866.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.*

*1st Administrative Battalion of Kent Rifle Volunteers.*

Edward Downing, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 22nd May, 1866.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*1st Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Arthur George Gibson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1866.

*17th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Thomas Guinan Sandy, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th May, 1866.

*67th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign John Spencer to be Lieutenant, vice Béehey, resigned. Dated 12th May, 1866.  
Robert Charlton, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Spencer, promoted. Dated 12th May, 1866.

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

*4th Leicestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign John Edward Bankart to be Lieutenant, vice Hodges, resigned. Dated 18th May, 1866.  
Joseph Taylor, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Bankart, promoted. Dated 18th May, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant W. B. Powell in the Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

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

*4th Administrative Battalion of Hampshire Rifle Volunteers.*

William Clement Drake Esdaile to be Major, vice Williams, resigned. Dated 23rd May, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of Captain Horatio Compigné bearing the designation of Captain-Commandant of the 6th Hants Rifle Volunteer Corps. Dated 26th April, 1866.

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

*Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.*

Theodore King, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th May, 1866.