

*Queen's Commission.**1st Somerset Regiment of Militia.*

Henry Atkinson Adair, Esq., late Captain 52nd Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 25th September, 1868, vice Altham, retired. Dated 1st October, 1868.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Edinburgh or Midlothian.**Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry Militia.*

Sir James Liston Foulis, Bart., to be Lieutenant, vice Dunlop, resigned. Dated 8th December, 1868.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.**22nd Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Robert Burd to be Ensign. Dated 29th December, 1868.

5th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Capper to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 30th December, 1868.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.**15th Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant Richard Gay Francis to be Captain. Dated 31st December, 1868.

Ensign Frederick Richard Vavasour Witts to be Lieutenant, vice Francis, promoted. Dated 31st December, 1868.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.**Royal East Kent Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry (Mounted Rifles).*

Captain Sir Courtenay Honeywood, Bart., to be Major, vice Papillon, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Cornet Charles Hardy to be Captain, vice Honeywood, promoted. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Cornet Henry Jacques Tufton to be Lieutenant, vice Willatts, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Cornet Robert Alured Denne to be Lieutenant, vice Pepys, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**South Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Thomas Keen to be Ensign. Dated 23rd December, 1868.

London Irish Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Hastings Ross-Lewin to be Ensign. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Howland Roberts to be Ensign. Dated 24th December, 1868.

49th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Tuck to be Captain. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Thomas Henry Elmore to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1868.

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

First Lieutenant William Wigmore to be Captain. Dated 5th December, 1868.

William Smith, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1868.

1st Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Claremont Bigmore, Gent., to be Honorary Quartermaster, vice Harrison Weir, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

4th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant William Cuthbert Quilter to be Captain, vice William Carpmael, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

Ensign Charles Brook-Hunt to be Lieutenant, vice Quilter, promoted. Dated 24th December, 1868.

5th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Frederick John King to be Captain, vice Henry Lainson, resigned. Dated 11th December, 1868.

9th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign William Francis Nettleship to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. Govett, resigned. Dated 24th December, 1868.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.**1st Tower Hamlets Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Major Walter Meller to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Marsh, resigned. Dated 23rd December, 1868.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant A. H. G. Morris in the East York Militia.

November 2, 1868.

The Right Honourable Sir William Bovill, Knt., and Sir James Shaw Willes, Knt., two of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, have appointed William Fillingham Parr, of Morpeth Villa, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, and of No. 3, Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner for administering oaths in Common Law in the said Court.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY THE PARISH OF GORLESTON, IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, WITH THE HAMLET OF SOUTHTOWN, IN THE COUNTIES OF SUFFOLK AND NORFOLK.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the parish of Gorleston, in the county of Suffolk, with the hamlet of Southtown, in the counties of Suffolk and Norfolk, on the 29th day of October, 1868, and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been duly certified that a copy of such notice has