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 Yeomanry Cavalry.

Alured Denne, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 15th June, 1871.

Edward Frewen, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 15th June, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

4th or Duke of Lancaster's Own (Light Infantry) Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Arthur Baldwin Woodcock, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1871.

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

1st Surrey Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Walter Thomas Jones, Gent., to be Captain. Dated 6th June, 1871.

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

1st Sussex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

First Lieutenant M. R. E. Brandreth to be Captain, vice William Beves, resigned. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Edward C. R. Roose to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice W. H. C. Weekes, deceased. Dated 14th June, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Licutenant-Colonel the Honourable Henry E. H. Gage, of the Light Infantry Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 17th June, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

5th North Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Brodie to be Captain. Dated 19th June, 1871.

William Pybus Horne to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th June, 1871.

Miles George Booty to be Ensign. Dated 19th June, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

4th East Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Edwin B. Taylor to be First Lieutenant, vice Eaton, resigned. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Second Lieutenant William H. Verdin to be First Lieutenant, vice Norman, resigned. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Second Lieutenant John Brooke to be First Lieutenant, vice Williams, resigned. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Second Lieutenant John Thompson to be First Lieutenant, vice Walker, resigned. Dated 4th April, 1871.

8th East Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

W. Wigmore, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Lovel, resigned. Dated 26th April, 1871.

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

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Arthur Peters Johnson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1871.

18th Shropshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Edward Hodges to be Captain, vice Boughey, resigned. Dated 13th June, 1871. Ensign John Bodenham to be Lieutenant, vice Hodges, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1871.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT.

ERRATUM. -- BROMYARD.

In the Order settling the Boundaries of the Special Drainage District of Bromyard in the Gazette of 13th June, 1871, page 2746, in the eighth and ninth lines of the description of the boundaries, for the words "along the boundary fence of," read "across."

SCHOOL OF NAVAL ARCHITECTURE, &c.

. Admiralty, June 20, 1871.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty hereby give notice, that the arrangements for the admission of persons, not already in the Government service, to the Royal School of Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, as Admiralty Pupils, will, for the present year, be as follows:—

Candidates must not be less than 18 or more than 21 years of age, and must have served at least two years in private shipbuilding or engineering establishments, or must give satisfactory proof that they have in some way been so connected with shipbuilding or engineering operations as to become well-grounded in the elementary principles and practice thereof.

The pupils will be selected by competitive examination, the subjects for which, and numbers of marks assigned for each, are as follows:—

Mark:. Pure mathematics, including arithmetic, mensuration, geometry (plane and descriptive), plane trigonometry, and the elements of the differential and integral 2,500 calculus ... Applied mathematics, including mechanics 1,000 and hydrostatics Practical shipbuilding, including laying off (for shipwright candidates only) 2,500 Practical marine engineering (for engineer candidates only) 2,500 500 ... Elements of physics and chymistry 750 English grammar and composition 750 Geography and history 750

No candidate will be admitted who does not obtain at least two-thirds of the full number of marks in the two first-named subjects, and three-fifths of the full number, either for practical shipbuilding or marine engineering.

The last four subjects, although counting in the competition, will not be considered obligatory.

The candidates who may be selected will be treated, while attached to the school, in all respects as the Admiralty pupils; they will receive wages the same as dockyard apprentices, commencing at 1s. 6d. per day for six days per week for first year, and increasing yearly 3d. per day till it reaches 2s. per day; and in addition a subsistence