

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

1st Administrative Battalion of North Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

The Earl Cathcart to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 17th August, 1871.

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

17th Derbyshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Reverend James A. Pearman to be Honorary Chaplain, vice Maltby, resigned. Dated 19th August, 1871.

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

1st Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John Daniel Hill, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 9th August, 1871.

22nd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign George Haward Trollope to be Lieutenant, vice C. B. Trollope, resigned. Dated 9th August, 1871.

48th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign George Ritchie Bermingham to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th August, 1871.

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

3rd Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Thomas Smith to be Captain, vice Douglas, resigned. Dated 17th August, 1871.
Ensign Charles Munro to be Lieutenant, vice Smith, promoted. Dated 17th August, 1871.
Robert McLaren to be Ensign, vice Munro, promoted. Dated 17th August, 1871.

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

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Bagnall to be Lieutenant, vice Griffith, resigned. Dated 30th May, 1871.

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

7th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain William Charles Knight Clowes to be Major, vice Clutton, resigned. Dated 15th August, 1871.

Whitehall, August 21, 1871.

The Managers of the Surrey Industrial School, at Bridge House, Wandsworth, have resigned the Certificate granted to that School under "The Industrial Schools' Act, 1866."

"THE FAIRS ACT, 1871."

WHITCHURCH FAIRS, HANTS.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, a representation has been duly made to me by John Augustine Hayter, of Whit-

church, in the county of Southampton, Esquire, owner of the Fair hereinafter referred to, that a Fair has been annually held on two days in the month of June, and on two days in the month of October, in the parish of Whitechurch, in the county of Southampton, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

2. On the 13th day of September, 1871, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

(Signed) H. A. Bruce.

Whitehall, August 16, 1871.

"THE FAIRS ACT, 1871."

BURY SAINT EDMUND'S FAIRS, SUFFOLK.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 4th day of August, 1871, a representation has been duly made to me by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Bury Saint Edmund's, in the county of Suffolk, that a Fair, called Saint Matthew's Fair, which was originally held within the said borough three days before and three days after Saint Matthew's Day, that is, from the 18th day to the 24th day of September, in every year, has for many years past instead of being so held, been annually opened within the said borough on or about the 11th day of October, and remained in full force until on or about the 5th day of November following, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

2. On the 14th day of September, 1871, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

(Signed) H. A. Bruce.

Whitehall, August 17, 1871.

"THE FAIRS ACT, 1871."

BUNGAY FAIRS, SUFFOLK.

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Justices of the Petty Sessional District of Bungay, in the county of Suffolk, that Fairs have been annually held in the town of Bungay, in the said district and county, on the 14th and 15th days of May, and on the 25th and 26th days of September, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fairs should be abolished:

And whereas notice of the said representation and of the time when I should take the same into consideration has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1871:"

And whereas on such representation and consideration it appears to me that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fairs should be abolished;

And whereas His Grace the Duke of Norfolk, as lord or owner of the said Fairs and the tolls thereof, has consented in writing that the said Fairs should be abolished:

Now therefore I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1871," do hereby order that the Fairs which have been annually