

The Tynemouth, Acting Surgeon William Pope Mears, M.D., from the 1st Northumberland and Sunderland Artillery Volunteer Corps, to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 16th August, 1884.

ENGINEER.

1st *Northamptonshire*, Captain Leonard John Deacon is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Tower Hamlets (East London)*, Lieutenant Henry Painter Robinson resigns his Commission. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *West Riding of Yorkshire*, C. C. J., Duke of Rutland, K.G., to be Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated 16th August, 1884.

RIFLE.

4th *Durham*, Major Charles Hodgson Fowler resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *Fifeshire*, Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel Robert Bethune resigns his Commission. Dated 16th August, 1884.

Major folliott Williams Erskine to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant William Paynter to be Captain. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, Major Thomas William Chester Master resigns his Commission. Dated 16th August, 1884.

Captain Frederick Richard Vavasour Witts to be Major. Dated 16th August, 1884.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Charles Hall Pawson. Dated 16th August, 1884.

Hugh Sydney Waller. Dated 16th August, 1884.

Edward Clare Sewell. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *Hampshire*, Lieutenant Horace Methuen-Leggatt resigns his Commission. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Hertfordshire*, Horace Edward Ambler, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Surgeon Charles Holtum is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 16th August, 1884.

3rd *Lancashire*, Captain Anthony Buck Creeke, jun., resigns his Commission. Dated 16th August, 1884.

6th *Middlesex (St. George's)*, The services of Lieutenant Arthur Ellis Troughton are dispensed with. Dated 16th August, 1884.

Henry Dixon Kimber, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 1st August, 1884.

7th *Middlesex (London Scottish)*, Malcolm Donald McEacharn, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1884.

3rd *Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers*, Lieutenant George Lisle to be Captain. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry)*, Honorary Major George Shuldham Peard, late Adjutant, to be Major. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant Samuel Henry Cole to be Captain. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant David Rigby to be Captain. Dated 16th August, 1884.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Francis Dowse, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1884.

1st *Sussex*, Major Harold Parminter Molineux, late the Essex Regiment, to be Major. Dated 30th April, 1884.

1st *West Riding of Yorkshire*, Henry Herbert Riley, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1884.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Saint Matthew, Newbottle, in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham, one capital sum of one hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of altering and improving the parsonage or house of residence belonging to the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of two pounds and ten shillings per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Saint Matthew, Newbottle.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this seventh day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of five hundred pounds sterling which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Saint Mary, Hunslet, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, and in respect of a portion of which (amounting to four hundred pounds) we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the said vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of thirteen pounds six shillings and eight pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Saint Mary, Hunslet, and to his successors, Incumbents thereof, to meet the said benefaction, one yearly sum or stipend of thirteen pounds six shillings and eight pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: And we do also, in further consideration of the aforesaid benefaction, hereby grant and appropriate out of our said common fund to the said vicarage of Saint Mary, Hunslet, one capital sum of one hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of enlarging and otherwise improving the parsonage-house and premises belonging to the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and