

22nd Lancashire, Captain John Greaves to be Major. Dated 30th December, 1885.

Lieutenant John Edwin Rubie to be Captain. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, James Pickering Stewart, Gent., M.B., to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd London, John Woodham, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd (South) Middlesex, Lieutenant William Hubert Parker resigns his Commission. Dated 30th December, 1885.

3rd Middlesex, Lieutenant Thomas Patrick McKie Sharp resigns his Commission. Dated 30th December, 1885.

8th (S.W.) Middlesex, Lieutenant Charles Henry Clarke resigns his Commission. Dated 30th December, 1885.

Horatio Francis Alexander Hoskins, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th December, 1885.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Captain John Stewart Oxley. Dated 30th December, 1885.

Lieutenant Charles Theodore Oelrichs. Dated 30th December, 1885.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
John Culver Kelly. Dated 30th December, 1885.

Fredrick Walter Roberts. Dated 30th December, 1885.

12th Middlesex (Civil Service), Captain James Joseph Cardin is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant Horace Thomas Bonner resigns his Commission. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd Midlothian and Peeblesshire, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants:—

William Gibson Gray. Dated 30th December, 1885.

William Frederick McAlpine. Dated 30th December, 1885.

1st Nottinghamshire (Robin Hood), Walter Lambert, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th December, 1885.

1st Oxfordshire (Oxford University), Richard Whieldon Barnett, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd Renfrewshire, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew Millar to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st November, 1885.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel William Mosse Robinson is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 4th December, 1885.

5th Surrey, John Henry Sirrell Benham, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1885.

2nd Sussex, Albert James Thornton, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1885.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire, Lieutenant Preston Cobb resigns his Commission. Dated 30th December, 1885.

MEMORANDUM.

Honorary Major George Henry Wriford, late Adjutant, 1st Lincolnshire Artillery Volunteer Corps, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 11th December, 1885.

Civil Service Commission, December 22, 1885.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Examiner in the Patent Office, held in London, on the 17th November, 1885, and following days, notice of which examination was given in the London Gazette of the 6th October, 1885, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first nine places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.
1	Willis, Frederick James
2	Willmott, Sam Ackroyd
3	Sackfield, William
4	North, Richard
5	Denning, Tom Hopewell
6	Chipperfield, Albert Edward
7	Page, Alfred Gamby
8	Graves, Henry George
9	Minty, Henry Oliver

Civil Service Commission, December 24, 1885.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for situations in the Civil Service (Class I):—

Alvarez, Anthony Ralph
Bail, John Thomas
Barker, William Edward
Barnes, Thomas
Bawtree, Bernard Francis
Beames, Frederick
Best, Robert Lloyd Storr
Borland, John Ernest
Buchanan, Thomas George
Campbell, Evan Charles Bracken
Champion, George James
Chapman, Arthur
Corcoran, John
Crouch, Henry Newton
Cubitt, Bertram Blakiston
Daniell, Alfred Ernest
Des Vœux, Alfred Ernest
Douglass, Frank
Draper, Herbert James
Eddison, John Arthur
Egerton, Charles William
Fisher, Edward
Franks, William Temple
Fraser, Robert Moore
Froude, Ashley Anthony
Givcen, Robert Feilding
Graham, Reginald
Grant, John Gordon
Hayter, Angelo George Kirby
Heathcote, John Norman
Holliday, Samuel Rowland
Irvine, James Mercer
Jane, John Frederick Thomas
Johnson, Reginald Jennings
Keeling, Albert Stanley
Ker, William Pollock
Knaus, Charles Theodore
Lane, Robert Bailey
Legge, Arthur Edward John
Lonsdale, Alfred Maitland