

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Michael Ryan, the East Lancashire Regiment, has been granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 30th June, 1887.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant Rowland M. Blennerhassett, 5th Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th July, 1887.

India Office, 5th July, 1887.

THE Queen has approved of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Augustus Henry Turner. Dated 24th May, 1887.

To be Majors.

Captain Lewis Dening. Dated 11th May, 1887.
Captain Leopold James Herbert Grey. Dated 15th May, 1887.

BENGAL MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade Surgeons.

Surgeon-Major William Roe Hooper. Dated 31st March, 1867.
Surgeon-Major John Richardson. Dated 29th April, 1887.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Joseph Scott Gowrie Manera. Dated 22nd May, 1887.

MADRAS INFANTRY.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel in the Army, Frederick Dormer Plowden. Dated 10th May, 1887.

BOMBAY MEDICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

To be Brigade Surgeons.

Surgeon-Major Abraham Nickson Hojel. Dated 1st April, 1887.
Surgeon-Major Peter Stephenson Turnbull, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1887.
Surgeon-Major Henry Cook, M.D. Dated 2nd April, 1887.

This cancels the promotion of Surgeon Major Hojel, from the 2nd April, 1887, notified in the London Gazette of the 13th May, 1887.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

William Hickman, Esq., M.D., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
Sir Albert Kaye Rollit, Knt., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
Philip Meadows Martineau, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
Samuel Montagu, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
William Spencer Beaumont, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
Alfred Templeton Hawkins, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.
Augustus Thorne, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1887.

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

William Pilkington, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th June, 1887.

*The Land Office, 3, St. James's Square,
June 28, 1887.*

THE Land Commissioners for England having, on the 17th instant, appointed Robert Lake Cobb, Esq., of Higham, near Rochester, in the county of Kent, and Francis Reid, Esq., of Bucksford, Ashford, in the county of Kent, to act as Assistant Land Commissioners under "The Extraordinary Tithe Redemption Act, 1886," they, the said Robert Lake Cobb and Francis Reid, did, on the 23rd and 24th instant, make their respective declarations for the due execution of their duties under the said Act, before Edward J. Bridgman and F. Lovell Keays, Esqs., respectively, being Commissioners to administer Oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature in England.

Civil Service Commission, July 5, 1887.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names :—

June 30, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Engineer Students, John Bowing, Robert James Block, William Crump Johnson, William John Perkins.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Messenger, London, Alfred Baker.

Post Office: Sorters, London, Joseph Hunt, Harry Michael Mitchell, William Thomas Palmer, Frederick Shillaker, Thomas Cosmore Turner.

Postmen, London, Percival Thomas Norris, Michael Flanagan, Ernest Robert Pickett.

Porter, London, Robert Young.

Skilled Lineman, David Croll Davie.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Henry Alexander Child (Leeds), Frederick Bailey Ward (Douglas, Isle of Man), William James Wilson (Belfast), William Henry Smyth (Bradford), Margaret McCullagh (Belfast), Matthew Young Borland (Bolton), Thomas Edward Ibbotson (Pontefract), Arthur Joseph Till (Rugby).

Postmen, David Adams (Markinch), George Morrison (Glasgow), Patrick Reilly (Edgeworthstown), John Forsyth (Glasgow).

July 1, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Engineer Student, Walter William Bills.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Local Government Board (Ireland): Messenger, Dublin, William Payne.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Herbert Blewett, George Dickason, Charles James Galliers, Charles Heath, George Alexander Parker.

Porter, London, Edwin Deacon.

July 2, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Clerk, London, Mary Jane Constable.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London, Albert Edward Rickman, William Clifton Serjeant, George Richard Shepherd.

Postmen, London, Frederick William Fry, Thomas Robert Holmes, Alfred Norton.