

15th Lancashire, Quartermaster James Urquhart Nicol to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th October, 1887.

7th Middlesex (London Scottish), Second Lieutenant W. Y. Winthrop resigns his Commission. Dated 29th October, 1887.

16th Middlesex (London Irish), Lieutenant T. S. Grierson to be Captain. Dated 29th October, 1887.

4th (Nottinghamshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Lieutenant J. S. Bakewell resigns his Commission. Dated 29th October, 1887.

1st Pembrokeshire, Captain Edward Eaton Evans is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 29th October, 1887.

1st Ross-shire (Ross Highland), John Ross Sutherland, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Super-numerary). Dated 29th October, 1887.

6th (West) Suffolk, Major Francis Woolnough reverts to the rank of Captain at his own request.

The Honourable Geoffrey Bateman Hanbury to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th October, 1887.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), William Frederick John Symonds, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th October, 1887.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel William Brown is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th October, 1887.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), The undermentioned Captains are granted the honorary rank of Major:—

Thomas E. Satterthwaite. Dated 29th October, 1887.

William Scoby. Dated 29th October, 1887.

THE VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

The London Division, Surgeon and Honorary Surgeon Major John Hornsey Casson resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 29th October, 1887.

The Manchester Division, Shepherd McCormick Boyd, Gent., to be Surgeon (Super-numerary). Dated 29th October, 1887.

Quartermaster Thomas Crossley Rayner resigns his Commission. Dated 29th October, 1887.

Bennett Rees Howell, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 29th October, 1887.

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

Richard Ffolliott Eliot, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1887.

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

William Gillespie Bryson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1887.

John Ritchie Findlay, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1887.

John Hannay, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1887.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

Interpretation Clause.

1. In this Warrant the expression "Parcel," means a postal packet which is posted as a Parcel in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

Places between which Parcels may be Transmitted.

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation Parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between Malta and the British Post Offices at Constantinople and Smyrna.

Rates of Postage.

3. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant between Malta and the British Post Offices hereinbefore mentioned there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage, that is to say:—

On every Parcel not exceeding three pounds in weight, one shilling.

On every Parcel exceeding three pounds, and not exceeding seven pounds, in weight, two shillings.

On every Parcel exceeding seven pounds, and not exceeding eleven pounds, in weight, three shillings.

Provisions of other Warrants to Apply.

4. Every such Parcel shall be subject to the provisions of the respective Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury relating to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and Malta, between the United Kingdom and the British Post Office at Constantinople, and between the United Kingdom and the British Post Office at Smyrna, so far as such provisions are applicable.

Commencement of Warrant.

5. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Dated this twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Sidney Herbert.

W. H. Walrond.

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raikes,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

Civil Service Commission, October 25, 1887.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Assistant Surveyor of Buildings in the Board of Public Works (Ireland), held in Dublin, on the 11th October, 1887, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 2nd September, 1887, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

Millward, Isaac