

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Ayrshire, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Pollok to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 32, Yeomanry Regulations, 1889, as amended by Army Order 298 of 1890. Dated 13th June, 1891.

Cheshire (Earl of Chester's), Lieutenant-Colonel P. E. Warburton is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 24th June, 1891.

Major C. A., Earl of Harrington, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th June, 1891.

Captain W. B. Brocklehurst is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 24th June, 1891.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

John James Dudley Stuart, Viscount Raynham, to be Deputy Lieutenant.

THE COAL MINES REGULATION ACT, 1887.

IN pursuance of Section 39 of the above Act, the Right Honourable Henry Matthews, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has appointed John Mancel Sims, Esq., to be an Assistant Inspector of Mines.

Mr. Sims' appointment bears date the 19th June, 1891.

Whitehall, June 22, 1891.

EXCHEQUER BONDS.

Per Acts 29 Vict., c. 25, 52 Vict., c. 4, and 52 Vict., c. 6.

Bearing Interest at $£2\frac{3}{4}$ per Cent. per Annum Issue of £3,000,000 Bonds, repayable in one, two, or three years, in amounts of £500, £1,000, £5,000, and £10,000, to replace Bonds payable 4th July, 1891.

THE Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice that they are authorized by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to receive on Tuesday, the 30th June instant, tenders for Exchequer Bonds, as above, to be created under the Acts 29 Vict., c. 25, 52 Vict., c. 4, and 52 Vict., c. 6.

The Bonds will be issued for one, two, or three years, at the option of the persons tendering, and will be repayable 4th July, 1892, 1893, or 1894, respectively.

Interest at $£2\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. per annum will be payable by coupon half-yearly on 4th January and 4th July, the first coupon being payable on 4th January next.

Tenders may be for the whole of the issue or for any part, in multiples of £500, and must be delivered at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, not later than one o'clock, on Tuesday, 30th June instant. The prices offered must not include fractions of one shilling other than sixpence, and separate forms must be used for different prices. The amount of Bonds applied for must be written on the outside of the tender.

In the event of the receipt of tenders for a larger amount of Bonds than that to be issued, the tenders at the lowest price accepted may be subject to a pro rata diminution.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any tenders.

Payment in full of allotments must be made on

Saturday, the 4th July, 1891, when the Bonds will be ready for delivery.

Applications must be made upon the printed forms, which may be obtained at the Bank of England, and of Messrs. Mullens, Marshall, and Co., Stockbrokers, 4, Lombard-street, E.C. 22nd June, 1891.

ORDER of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order: Allowance of Tobacco and Snuff to certain Paupers in the Workhouse:—

Maidstone Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Maidstone Union, in the County of Kent;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the 24th day of July, 1847, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Maidstone Union (among others), the Poor Law Commissioners made certain Rules and Regulations with regard to the government of the Workhouse of the said Union; And whereas it is expedient that further provision should be made as hereinafter mentioned:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order that, from and after the date hereof, the following regulations shall be in force in the said Maidstone Union, namely,—

ARTICLE I.—Tobacco or snuff may be allowed to such of the inmates of the Workhouse of the Union who are not able-bodied, or are employed upon work of a specially disagreeable character, as the Guardians may consider should be supplied with the same, the quantity to be allowed in each case, or in any class of cases, to be such as the Guardians may by resolution prescribe.

ARTICLE II.—So much of Article 121 of the said General Order as provides that no pauper shall smoke in any room in the Workhouse without the special direction of the Medical Officer shall be rescinded, so far as regards the said Union; but the Guardians may from time to time, by resolution, determine in what rooms and at what times smoking shall be allowed, and no pauper shall smoke in the Workhouse in any other room or at any other time than is so allowed.

Given under the seal of Office of the Local Government Board this nineteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Chas. T. Ritchie,
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

By the Board of Agriculture.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Board of Agriculture Act, 1889, and The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts, 1878 to 1890, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Place described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be a Place infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after this nineteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture