ADMIRALTY, January 16, 1866.

George David Maclaren, Esq. has been this day promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets on the Retired List.

Mr Michael Harris has this day been promoted to the rank of Acting Engineer, with seniority of 16th January 1866.

Mr Harris' promotion to the rank of Acting Engineer, with seniority of 24th May 1864, having been cancelled.

ADMIRALTY, January 18, 1866.

Lieutenant Crawford Atchison Denham Pasco to be Retired Commander, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1860 and 1864.

Queen's Commission.

1st Administrative Battalion of Essex Rifle ${f Volunteers.}$

Robert Hoey Jex Blake to be Adjutant, from the 28th November 1865, vice De Crespigny,

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

Major-General Thomas Matheson to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th January 1866.

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

Royal Westmorland Regiment of Militia.

Captain Benson Harrison to be Major, (with the pay of Captain,) vice Brougham, resigned. Dated 1st January 1866. Lieutenant George Atkinson to be Captain, vice

Harrison, promoted. Dated 1st January 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Robert Newton Gill, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Williams, promoted. Dated 11th January 1866.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Captain Henry Dent Lomas to be Major. Dated 11th January 1866.

First Lieutenant Henry Longden to be Captain, vice Lomas, promoted. Dated 11th January

Joseph Arnold Cook to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. C. Walker, promoted. Dated 11th January 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Herbert John Walker to be Surgeon. Dated 11th January 1866.

2d West Riding of Yorkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

First Lieutenant William Magson Nelson to be Captain, vice Wilkinson, resigned. Dated 4th January 1866.

Henry Stubbins to be First Lieutenant, vice Nelson, promoted. Dated 4th January 1866.

Thomas Sherlock Cranwell to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th January 1866.

Commission signed by the Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Perth.

9th Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps. Lieutenant William Japp to be Captain. Dated 16th January 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain William Japp bearing the title of Captain-Commandant of the above Corps.

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

2d or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Alfred Elias to be Lieutenant, vice Blount, resigned. Dated 21st December 1865.

29th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps. Lieutenant George Butler to be Captain, vice Cameron, resigned. Dated 8th January 1866.

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

3d King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Lieutenant Walter Mainwaring Coyney to be Captain. Dated 17th March 1865.

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

4th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Helenus Robert Robertson, gent. to be Second Lieutenant, vice Bowman, resigned. Dated 4th January 1866.

2d Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Robert Parkinson to be Captain. Dated 5th January 1866.

Ensign William Thomas Sames to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th January 1866.

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

2d Administrative Battalion of Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

Washington Lafayette Winterbotham, gent. M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 13th January

3d Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Richard Easton to be Lieutenant, vice Mills, resigned. Dated 13th January 1866.

Henry James Alford, gent. M.B., to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Liddon, resigned. Dated 13th January 1866.

5th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps. Richard Axford, gent. to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Masters, resigned. Dated 13th January 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.

12th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps. Ensign Joseph Smith Grafton, Junior, to be Lieutenant, vice G. O. Luckman, resigned. Dated 30th December 1865.

William Skinner, gent. to be Ensign, vice Grafton, promoted. Dated 30th December 1865.