

## ADMIRALTY, July 7, 1868.

## Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Nowell FitzUpton Way to be Second Captain, vice Evans, deceased. Dated 8th June 1868.

Lieutenant Jacob Mortimer Weir Silver to be Adjutant, vice Way, period of service expired.

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Commander George Blane and Commander James Aldworth St Leger have this day been promoted to the rank of Retired Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August 1860, 9th July 1864, and 24th March 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Frederick Stephenson having been promoted to the rank of Commander, and Mr Robert Bermingham Clements, Sub-Lieutenant, to the rank of Lieutenant, by Vice-Admiral the Honourable Sir Henry Keppel, K.C.B., the Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the China Station, in the vacancies caused by the death of Commander John T. Swann, have this day been confirmed, with seniority from the 26th April 1868.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff-Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, in consideration of their services, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of 6th July 1866, with seniority of the 4th instant :—

Alexander Watson, Esq., M.D.

James Young, Esq., M.D.

William Labdon Powell, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th instant.

## ADMIRALTY, July 9, 1868.

William George Wratten, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Acting Inspector of Machinery Afloat in Her Majesty's Fleet.

## Queen's Commission.

1st Administrative Battalion of Buckinghamshire Rifle Volunteers.

Reynold Alleyne Clement, Esq. late Captain 68th Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 16th June 1868, vice Forder, resigned.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland, and the Town and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

1st Newcastle-upon-Tyne Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign William John Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. Ward, resigned. Dated 24th June 1868.

Edward Simmons Edmondson to be Ensign, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 24th June 1868.

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

5th Bucks Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Henry Cutler, Esq. to be Captain, vice Silvester, resigned. Dated 1st July 1868.

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

Fife Artillery Militia.

Edward Balfour, gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th July 1868.

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

23d Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Charles Ward to be Ensign, vice May, deceased. Dated 1st July 1868.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Edmund Probyn, Esq. late 6th Dragoons, to be Major, vice Guise, promoted. Dated 4th July 1868.

Lieutenant James Anthony Gardner to be Captain, vice Dangerfield, resigned. Dated 4th July 1868.

Lieutenant William Alexander Hill to be Captain, vice A. J. Goldney, resigned. Dated 4th July 1868.

Lieutenant Edmund Harford to be Captain, vice A. C. N. Goldney, resigned. Dated 4th July 1868.

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

1st Elgin Mounted Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Viscount Macduff to be Captain. Dated 3d July 1868.

James Grant Peterkin, Esq. to be Lieutenant. Dated 3d July 1868.

Richard J. Mackay, Esq. to be Ensign. Dated 3d July 1868.

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

4th Forfarshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

The Reverend James Mackay to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 6th July 1868.

2d Administrative Battalion of Forfarshire Rifle Volunteers.

Major George Hawkins Dempster to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Earl of Airlie, resigned. Dated 6th July 1868.

3d Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign William Ross Garden to be Lieutenant, vice Melville, resigned. Dated 6th July 1868.

Douglas Fraser, Junior, gent. to be Ensign, vice Garden, promoted. Dated 6th July 1868.

7th Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Anderson to be Captain, vice Guthrie, resigned. Dated 6th July 1868.

Ensign Alexander Davidson to be Lieutenant, vice Anderson, promoted. Dated 6th July 1868.

## MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain James London Gordon bearing the title of Captain-Commandant of th 7th Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.