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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1869.

OFFICE OF ARMS,

DUBLIN CASTLE, December 24, 1869.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give and grant unto Richard Townsend, of Durbeacon, in the County of Cork, Esquire, now resident at Nice, in France, eldest son of the late Richard Townsend, of the Point House, Castle Townsend, in the said County of Cork, Esquire, by Barbara, his late wife, daughter and, in her issue, heiress of Richard Mellifont, of Dublin, Esquire, deceased, Her royal licence and authority, bearing date at St James's the 14th day of December 1869, that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Mellifont, in addition to and before the surname of Townsend, out of affectionate regard for the family of his deceased mother and wife :

Provided that Her Majesty's concession and declaration be recorded in the office of Ulster King-of-Arms in Ireland, which has been done accordingly. J. BERNARD BURKE, Ulster.

The Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas has appointed the following Attorneys and Solicitors to be perpetual Commissioners fortaking the acknowledgments of deeds by married women, pursuant to 4 and 5 Wm. IV., cap. 92.

- John Maturin, for Londonderry, residing at Newtownlimavady.
- David M. Colquhoun, for Londonderry, residing at Londonderry.
- John Riordan, for Tyrone, residing at Omagh. John Armstrong, for Cavan, residing at Cavan.

DUBLIN CASTLE, December 24, 1869.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of The Viscount Stuart to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Tyrone, in the room of Charles Eccles, Esq., deceased.

DUBLIN CASTLE, December 23, 1869.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint James W. Butler Scott, Annegrove, Mountrath, to be High Sheriff of the Queen's County.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL,

December 24, 1869.

Commissariat Department.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Herbert C. Smith to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice Thompson, deceased. Dated 5th November 1869.

- Chaplain's Department—Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend Thomas C. Stanley, LL.B., to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 5th December 1869.
- The Commission of the Reverend L. J. Parsons, M.A., as Chaplain to the Forces, to be antedated to 15th November 1854.
- The Commission of the Reverend W. Sykes, M.A., * as Chaplain to the Forces, to be antedated to 6th March 1855.
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Queen's Commission.

Edinburgh County Militia.

Robert Charles Dudgeon, Esq. late Lieutenant, 1st Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 11th November 1869, vice Bowman, placed on the retired allowance, with the honorary rank of Major.

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

9th Argyll Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Murdoch Gillean MacLaine to be Captain, vice Campbell, resigned. Dated 9th December 1869.

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

1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Clement Priestley Hart to be Captain, vice Morgan, resigned. Dated 18th December 1869.

Ensign Beaumont W. Jolly to be Lieutenant, vice Hart, promoted. Dated 18th December 1869.

11th Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Mack to be Ensign, vice Middleton, resigned. Dated 18th December 1869.