WHITEHALL, July 16, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Arthur Crichton, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Fife, in the room of Donald Mackenzie, Esq., resigned.

WHITEHALL, July 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Pitt, M.A., to the charge and office of Second Minister of the church and parish of Dunfermline, in the presbytery of Dunfermline, and shire of Fife, vacant by the translation of the Reverend James French from the Second to the First Charge thereof.

WHITEHALL, July 12, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Percy Kendall, of the city of York, Gentleman, only son and heir of William Kendall, late of Lupset Lodge, in the parish of Wakefield, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may (in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Thomas Lumb, late of Wakefield, in the said county, Esquire, deceased,) henceforth take and use the surname of Lumb, in addition to and after that of Kendall, and bear the arms of Lumb quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Kendall; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

DUBLIN CASTLE, July 14, 1870.

The Lords Justices have been pleased to approve of the appointment of John Adams, Esquire, to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of Londonderry, in the room of Robert Peel Dawson, Esquire, M.P., appointed Lieutenant of the city and county of Londonderry.

SPENCER HOUSE,

ST JAMES'S PLACE, S.W., July 15, 1870.

Lord Spencer has appointed Captain J. W. Hozier, of the 2d Dragoons, to be Extra Aidede-Camp, in the room of Captain W. G. Stirling, promoted.

WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL, July 19, 1870.

- 4th Regiment of Hussars—Captain Francis Arthur Hutchins, from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice T. Gist, who exchanges. Dated 21st July 1870.
- 7th Hussars—Captain Hugh McCalmont, from 9th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Sir Morison Barlow, Bart., who exchanges. Dated 20th July 1870.
- Captain Theophilus Gist, from 4th Hussars, to be Captain, vice F. A. Hutchins, who exchanges. Dated 21st July 1870,

- Captain John Daye Barker, from 16th Lancers, to be Captain, vice W. E. Shaw, who ex Dated 22d July 1870.
- 9th Lancers—Captain Sir Morison Barlow, from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice McCalmont, who exchanges. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 16th Lancers—Captain William Edward Shaws from 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice J. Di-Barker, who exchanges. Dated 22d July 1870.
- 17th Lancers—Captain Robert Bainbridge to be Major, by purchase, vice the Honourable William Henry Curzon, who retires. Dated 20th July 1870.
- Lieutenant Thomas Arthur Cooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bainbridge. Dated 20th July 1870.
- Cornet William Trevelyan Somerset Kevill-Davies to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cooke. Dated 20th July 1870.
- Royal Engineers—Captain Robert Sellon Sellon (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. Southey, who retires on full-pay. Dated 15th May 1870.
- Second Captain Edward Parry Gambier (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice Sellon. Dated 15th May 1870.
- Lieutenant James Henry Robert Cruickshank (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Gambier. Dated 15th May 1870.
- 1st Foot—Ensign Thomas Lee Thorp to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Pratt, who resigns that appointment on proceeding to England. Dated 1st April 1870.
- 11th Foot—Gentleman Cadet Malcolm Edward Haleman Owen Welch, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John Robe Walker, who retires. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 14th Foot—Ensign Matthew Wyatt has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 17th Foot—Paymaster and Honorary Captain H. Hollis Howett to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st May 1870.
- 24th Foot—Lieutenant Thomas Carroll Dempster to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. J. Bromhead, who resigns that appointment. Dated 20th December 1869.
- 32d Foot—Lieutenant W. F. D. Cochrane to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. J. Glascott, who resigns that appointment. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 40th Foot—Lieutenant William Henry Moberly, from the 2d West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Moore Pilcher, who exchanges. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 45th Foot—Ensign James Skinner to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Annesley John Garrett, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 46th Foot Captain Francis Henry Algernon Disney-Roebuck, from 83d Foot, to be Captain, vice C. J. Wyndham, whose transfer, on the 29th June 1870, from the 83d Foot, has been cancelled. Dated 20th July 1870.
- 63d Foot—Captain Thomas Aked, from half-pay late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice A. G. F. Griffiths, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th July 1870.