

## MEMORANDUM.

The Christian names of Cornet Hunt, of 9th Light Dragoons, are *Edmund D'Arcy*.

The Christian names of Second Lieutenant Becher, of the Rifle Brigade, are *Henry Wrixon*.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of 12th November 1847.

*Rifle Brigade.*

For the Honourable John Charles Robert Bingham to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase;

Read, John Charles Robert Lord Clanmorris to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase.

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

William Blount, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant.  
Dated 6th November 1847.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of the 17th August 1847.

*Royal Gloucester Regiment of Hussar Yeomanry.*  
For *George Ames*, Gent. read, *Henry Metcalfe Ames*, Gent. to be Cornet. Dated 13th August 1847.

## TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such warrant; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any such altered rates, and make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof; and, from time to time, by warrant as aforesaid, to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid; and it is provided, that the power thereby given should extend to any increase or reduction or remission of postage:

And whereas an Act was passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office."

And whereas, in consequence of a communication opened with the Post-office of Mecklenburg Schwerin, it is considered expedient to alter the rates of postage payable on letters conveyed by packet boat or private ship between that country and the United Kingdom direct or via Hamburg.

Now we, the undersigned, being three of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, do, in exercise of the power or authority in us for such

purpose vested in and by the said recited Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers and authorities enabling us in this behalf, direct that on every letter, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted in or addressed to any part of the Grand Duchy of Mecklenburg Schwerin, and transmitted between any part of the United Kingdom and any place in Mecklenburg Schwerin (conveyed between the United Kingdom and Mecklenburg Schwerin, by packet boat or private ship, direct or via Hamburg), there shall be charged and taken, in lieu of any rates of British postage now payable by law on such letters, an uniform rate of British postage of six pence.

And we direct, that on every letter, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted in or addressed to any part of Mecklenburg Schwerin, transmitted by the post between Mecklenburg Schwerin and any of Her Majesty's Colonies, or any foreign country through the United Kingdom (conveyed by packet boat or private ship between the United Kingdom and Mecklenburg Schwerin, direct or via Hamburg), there shall be charged and taken, in lieu of any rates of British postage now payable by law on such letters, an uniform rate of British postage of six pence, for the conveyance of every such letter between Mecklenburg Schwerin and any part of the United Kingdom; and also such a further or additional rate of British postage for the conveyance of every such letter between the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same, and the colony or foreign country to or from which the same shall be forwarded, as shall from time to time be charged and payable for British postage on letters, not exceeding half an ounce in weight, posted or delivered at the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same, and transmitted direct between such port and such colony or foreign country.

And we further direct, that on every letter, transmitted as is mentioned in this warrant, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged and taken progressive and additional rates of postage, according to the scale of weight and number of rates in the said first recited Act contained as to letters, estimating and charging each additional rate at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

And we further direct, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any letters passing by the post between the United Kingdom and the Duchy of Mecklenburg Schwerin, via France, Belgium, or Holland.

And we further direct, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the exemptions and privileges granted by the said first recited Act, or by an Act, made and passed in the first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the management of the Post-office;" and that all such exemptions and privileges shall remain in full force.