

And whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament holden in the tenth and eleventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the law relating to the protection in the colonies of works entitled to "copyright in the United Kingdom," it is enacted, that in case the legislature or proper legislative authorities in any British possession shall be disposed to make due provision for securing or protecting the rights of British authors in such possession, and shall pass an Act or make an Ordinance for that purpose, and shall transmit the same in the proper manner to the Secretary of State, in order that it may be submitted to Her Majesty; and in case Her Majesty shall be of opinion that such Act or Ordinance is sufficient for the purpose of securing to British authors reasonable protection within such possession, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, if she think fit so to do, to express Her royal approval of such Act or Ordinance, and thereupon to issue an Order in Council, declaring, that so long as the provisions of such Act or Ordinance continue in force within such colony, the prohibitions contained in the aforesaid Acts, and hereinbefore recited, and any prohibitions contained in the said Acts, or in any other Acts against the importing, selling, letting out to hire, exposing for sale or hire, or possessing foreign reprints of books first composed, written, printed, or published in the United Kingdom, and entitled to copyright therein, shall be suspended, so far as regards such colony:

And whereas an Act has been passed by the Lieutenant Governor, Council, and Assembly of the province of Nova Scotia, intituled "An Act to regulate the importation of books, and to protect the British author," whereby provision is made for securing to British authors a certain remuneration in respect of unauthorized copies of works under copyright imported into the said province:

And whereas Her Majesty hath expressed Her royal approval of the same:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of Her Privy Council, and by the authority of the same, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that so long as the said Act of the Legislature of the said province shall remain and continue in force within the said province, all prohibitions in the other of the said hereinbefore recited Acts, or in any other Acts contained against the importing into the said province, or against the selling, letting out to hire, or possessing therein foreign reprints of books first composed, written, printed, or published in the United Kingdom, and entitled to copyright therein, shall be suspended, so far as regards foreign reprints imported into the said province:

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Right Honourable Earl Grey, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary orders herein, as to them respectively may appertain.

C. C. Greville.

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Downing-Street, September 15, 1848.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Colonel Henry Somerset, of the Corps of Cape Mounted Riflemen, Lieutenant Colonel Abraham Josias Cloete, Deputy Quartermaster General to the Forces at the Cape, and Lieutenant Colonel George Henry Mackinnon, Unattached, to be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

War-Office, 15th September 1848.

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To be Lieutenant Colonels in the Army.

Major Henry Knight Storks, half-pay Unattached. Dated 15th September 1848.
Major Thomas Charlton Smith, half-pay Unattached. Dated 15th September 1848.
Major William Sutton, Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 15th September 1848.
Major Sir Harry Darell, Bart. 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 15th September 1848.
Major George Thomas Conolly Napier, Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 15th September 1848.

To be Majors in the Army.

Captain George Anthony Durnford, 27th Foot. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain William Glendonwyn Scott, 91st Foot. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain John Walpole, Royal Engineers. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Charles Herrick Burnaby, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Thomas Donovan, Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Charles Seagram, 45th Foot. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain St. John Thomas Browne, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Charles Assheton FitzHardinge Berkeley, Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain William Hogge, 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Charles Lennox Brownlow Maitland, 1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain Charles Colville Young, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th September 1848.
Captain John Jarvis Bissett, Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 15th September 1848.

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

Henry Joseph Brodie Dunn, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th August 1848.
Alexander Penrose Gordon Cumming, younger, Esq. to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th August 1848.