

Ensign Owen Gwyn Saunders Davies to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stratton, who retires. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Constantine Septimus Gaynor, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Davies. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Frederick Sharpe Pocklington, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brooksbank. Dated 19th October, 1853.

47th Foot, William Alexander White, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Mackenzie, who resigns. Dated 18th October, 1853.

50th Foot, Lieutenant and Adjutant Philip Limborch Tillbrook to be Captain, by purchase, vice Billers, who retires. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Ensign Robert Henry Macfarlane to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tillbrook. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Arthur Evelyn Fyler, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Macfarlane. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Lieutenant Roderick Maingy Murchison to be Adjutant, vice Tillbrook, promoted. Dated 18th October, 1853.

71st Foot, Ensign the Honourable Ralph Harbord to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Blennerhassett, who retires. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Wyndham Neave, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Harbord. Dated 18th October, 1853.

98rd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Sinclair, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice O'Neill, who resigns. Dated 18th October, 1853.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign William Davis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hunt, who retires. Dated 18th October, 1853.

Edward Vaughan Arbuckle, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Davis. Dated 18th October, 1853.

3rd West India Regiment, James Watson, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 18th October, 1853.

MEMORANDUM.

The removal of George Henry Pocklington, from the 18th to the 53rd Regiment of Foot, on the 6th May, 1853, has been cancelled.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Edward Tootal, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th October, 1853.

Thomas Hudson Bateman, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th October, 1853.

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

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia. Ensign George Barrington Godbold, to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October, 1853.

Henry Alexander Scriven, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 10th October, 1853.

Simon Rendall, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 10th October, 1853.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

John Akin Dyer, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October, 1853.

Edward John Miller, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 10th October, 1853.

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

96th Regiment of North British Militia.

Joseph George Ellis Cameron, Esq., to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th October, 1853.

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

Bedfordshire Militia.

Ensign George Ledger to be Lieutenant, vice Barnard, resigned. Dated 14th October, 1853.

Provisional Order.

Maidstone and Biddenden Turnpike Trust.

WHEREAS the trustees of the Maidstone and Biddenden Turnpike Road, acting under the powers of the Local Act of the session holden in the 3rd and 4th years of Her present Majesty, cap. 84, have made application to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Act of the session, holden in the 14th and 15th years of Her present Majesty, cap. 38, for a Provisional Order upon the terms following:

To extinguish the whole of the arrears of interest due and owing, on the 31st day of December, 1850, on the mortgage debt charged or secured on the tolls or revenues of the said road, and to reduce the rate of interest payable from that day, from the sum of five pounds per centum per annum, to the sum of four pounds per centum per annum.

And whereas the said application, dated the twenty-second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, is signed by four of the said trustees, who thereby certify that the persons entitled to two-thirds and upwards of the money charged or secured on the tolls of the said road, and remaining unpaid, have signified their consents in writing under their hands to the said application.

And whereas it appears desirable to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, that the aforesaid application should be granted upon the terms herein set forth.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the power and authority of the said Act of the 14th and 15th of Victoria, cap. 38, given to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, I do, by this Provisional Order, under my hand, declare, subject to the confirmation hereof by Parliament, that from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, the rate of interest shall be reduced from five pounds to four pounds per centum per annum, upon the mortgage debt of ten thousand five hundred and seventy pounds, charged or secured upon the tolls or revenues of the said road, and that the whole of the arrears of interest due, and remaining unpaid upon the said debt, at that date, shall be extinguished.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord, 1853.

(Signed) Palmerston.

Inland Revenue, 27, Norfolk-Street, Strand, October 14, 1853.

“Ordered by the Board of Inland Revenue:

THAT two additional Warehouses belonging to Mr. John Cookson, situate at the Close, in Newcastle-on-Tyne, in Newcastle Collection, be approved as General Warehouses for the deposit therein of British Spirits, under the provisions of the Act 11 and 12 Vict., chap. 122.”

W. Johnson, Storekeeper.