

*Commission signed by the Queen.**Durham Regiment of Artillery Militia.*

Captain Cortlandt G. McGregor Skinner to be Paymaster. Dated 25th June, 1859.

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

William Haden, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

William Hancocks, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

John Hunt, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

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

Ralph Thomas Adderley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1859.

1st Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Martin Blake, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Doyle, resigned. Dated 9th July, 1859.

Robertson Gilchrist Marshall, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Mott, promoted. Dated 22nd June, 1859.

Robert Hamilton Playfair, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Hickman, promoted. Dated 22nd June, 1859.

William John Baldwin, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Lambarde, promoted. Dated 22nd June, 1859.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.**2nd Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.*

Captain Ralph Smyth, late of the 17th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. E. G. Thomas, resigned. Dated 15th day of July, 1859.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.**7th Regiment of Lancashire Militia.*

Henry William Matthews, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1859.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.**3rd Regiment of the Royal Surrey Militia.*

Ensign Henry Chandos Rivers to be Lieutenant, vice Conran Kirk, resigned. Dated 8th July, 1859.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.**Royal Pembrookshire Artillery Regiment of Militia.*

Henry Ackland to be First Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1859.

North York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the Resignation by Major John Morton Jeffery and Captain the Marquis of Caermarthen, of the Commissions held by them; and Her Majesty does not disapprove of Lieutenant-Colonel Hamlet Coote Wade, bearing the title of Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant of the Regiment.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

ORDER AS TO COSTS: BOSTON.

WHEREAS, on the 27th day of December, 1858, the Local Government Act, 1858, was adopted in the borough of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, by resolution of the Town Council of such borough. And whereas appeals in pursuance of the 18th section of that Act were duly made to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by certain owners of property, and rate-payers in the aforesaid borough, praying that such borough might be excluded from the operation of the said Act. And whereas inquiry on the said appeals was directed, and an order made thereon, under the powers of the said Act.

I do hereby, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, make order that the costs of Mr. John George Calthrop, Town Clerk of Boston aforesaid, incurred in connexion with the adoption of the Local Government Act, 1858, by the said borough, and the proceedings consequent thereon, which costs have been duly taxed at fifty-one pounds five shillings and sixpence (including the costs of allowances to witnesses), shall, to such amount of fifty-one pounds five shillings and sixpence, be payable out of the proceeds of the first general district rate levied in the aforesaid borough of Boston, by the Local Board, acting in execution of the Local Government Act, 1858, and that the same amount be paid accordingly.

Given under my hand this fifteenth day of July, 1859.

G. C. Lewis.

Home Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

TRANMERE, CHESHIRE.

WHEREAS an appeal, under the 18th section of the Local Government Act, 1858, has been made to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, by Thomas Stanton Eddowes, Esquire, of Clifton Park, Tranmere, owner and ratepayer, within the township of Tranmere, in the county of Chester, setting forth grounds on which he disputes the validity of a vote for the adoption of the said Act within the said township. And whereas inquiry has been duly directed into the circumstances of the case, and such inquiry has been duly made, and the result thereof reported to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Now, therefore, I do issue the following Order, and do determine the question arising upon such appeal and such petition as follows:

That the vote for the adoption of the Local Government Act, 1858, within the said township of Tranmere, was not valid.

Given under my hand this eighteenth day of July, 1859.

G. C. Lewis.

Home Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY THE CANTON DISTRICT (LLANDAFF).

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted, on the ninth day of June, 1859, by the district of Canton, in the parish of Llandaff, in the county of Glamorgan, within the boundaries of that district as settled for the purposes of that Act; and notice of such adoption was duly given, in writing, to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been duly certified