

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

West Essex Militia.

Frederick Peto, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1860.

Commissions signed by Her Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy of the County of Lanark.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

James Davidson Mackay Coghill, Esq., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Gibson Smith, resigned. Dated 19th April, 1860.

1st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Francis Maxwell, Esq., to be Captain of the 1st Company, vice Sir Archibald Islay Campbell, promoted. Dated 23rd April, 1860.

Ensign Adam Morrison to be Lieutenant in the 1st Company, vice John Ellison Cowan, resigned. Dated 23rd April, 1860.

Ruthven Campbell Todd, Gent., to be Ensign in the 1st Company, vice Morrison, promoted. Dated 23rd April, 1860.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY SHEPLEY, YORKSHIRE.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted on the 2nd day of April, 1860, by the township of Shepley, in the parish of Kirkburton, in the county of York; and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act; and whereas it has now been duly certified to me that a copy of such notice has been advertized for three successive weeks in The Huddersfield Chronicle, that being one of the local newspapers published and circulated in the aforesaid township, and that copies of such notice have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such township, to which notices are usually affixed, and the period of twenty-one days fixed by the said Act for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act, by such township, has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice, that the Local Government Act, 1858, has been adopted within the said township of Shepley, in the county of York, and that in accordance with the provisions thereof, the said Act will, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid resolution, have the force of law within such township.

Given under my hand this twenty-sixth day of April, 1860.

G. C. Lewis.

Home-Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY HOLME, YORKSHIRE.

WHEREAS, the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted on the 29th day of March, 1860, by the township of Holme, in the county of York, and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to me, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act. And whereas it has now been duly certified to me that a copy of such notice has been advertised for three successive weeks in the Huddersfield Examiner, one of the local

newspapers published and circulated in the aforesaid township, and that copies of such notice have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such township to which notices are usually affixed; and the period of twenty-one days, fixed by the said Act for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act by such township, has now expired, and no such appeal has been made:

Now, therefore, I, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby give notice, that the Local Government Act, 1858, has been adopted within the said township of Holme, in the county of York, and that in accordance with the provisions thereof, the said Act will, at the expiration of two months from the date of the passing of the aforesaid Resolution, have the force of law within such township.

Given under my hand this twenty-sixth day of April, 1860.

G. C. Lewis.

Home Office, Whitehall.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, April 25, 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of an award for salvage services rendered to the treasure on board the *Ava*, between the 12th March and 26th July, 1858, by Her Majesty's ship *Chesapeake*, will commence on Thursday the 3rd May, 1860, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor, serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Secretary of the Admiralty, London,"—in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

The following are the shares due to an individual in the several classes:—

	£	s.	d.	
Commodore, 2nd class	1,209	15	1	
Commander	604	17	6	
Third class	257	14	0	Two shares.
	128	17	0	One share.
Fourth class	165	13	2	Two shares.
	82	16	7	One share.
Fifth class	92	0	6	Two shares.
	46	0	3	One share.
Sixth class	82	16	8	Two shares.
	41	8	4	One share.
Seventh class	55	4	6	Two shares.
	27	12	3	One share.
Eighth class	27	12	3	Two shares.
	13	16	2	One share.
Ninth class	9	4	1	One share.
Tenth class	4	12	0	One share.