#### Commissions signed by the Lord Warden of the | Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton. Cinque Ports.

#### 1st B. Cinque Ports Artillery Volunteers.

John Clark, Esq., to be First Lieutenant.

Frederick Jeffery, Esq., to be Second Lieutenant, vice Clark, promoted.

### Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Lancashire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

- First Lieutenant George Enoch Grayson to be Captain. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- First Lieutenant Thomas Haigh to be Captain. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- John Vernon, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- George Frederic Chantrell, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- Second Lieutenant Charles Henry Beloe to be First Lientenant. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- Second Lieutenant Charles Seaton Boggs to be First Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- Second Lieutenent Frederick Hall Kirby to be First Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1861.
- Second Lieutenant George Arundale to be First Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1861.

71st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Leigh Clare, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th December, 1861.

#### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by the following Officers, viz. :-

- Ensign David Lloyd Davies, in the 39th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.
- Lieutenants Samuel Maxwell Morris and John Gerrard, in the 51st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.
- Lieutenant Edward Harboard, in the 80th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

### Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

1st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- Lieutenant James McGhie to be Captain, vice Thomas Anderson, resigned. Dated 11th December, 1861.
- Lieutenant William Neilson to be Captain, vice William Thomson, resigned. Dated 12th December, 1861.
- Ensign William Couper to be Lieutenant, vice William Neilson, promoted, Dated 11th December, 1861.
- David Arrott Reid, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice James McGhie, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1861.
- John William Baxter, Gent., to be Ensign, vice J. G. S. Coghill, resigned. Dated 11th December, 1861.
- Hugh Finlay, Gent., to be Ensign, vice William Dated 12th December, Couper, promoted. 1861,

### 30th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert McClure, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Allan Mac Naughton, resigned. Dated 12th December, 1861.

## 4th Company of Northamptonshire Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Joseph Muscott, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 26th December, 1861.

Commission signed by the Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

# 1st Essex Engineer Volunteers.

- Edward Hammond Bentall to be Captain. Dated 24th December, 1861.
- The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 24th December last.]
- Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the High Steward of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.
- 1st Administrative Battalion of Galloway Rifle Volunteers.
- Adjutant William Monro to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 18th December, 1861.
- [The following Notice is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 24th December last.]

#### MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captain the Earl of Durham, Lieutenant Henry Gregson, and Ensign Thomas Hunt, in the 4th Northumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps.

## TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty, cap. 96, 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 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 whereas, further powers are given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty, cap. 85, 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, certain powers are also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act passed in the 18th year of the reign of Her Majesty, cap. 27, for amending the laws relating to the stamp duties on newspapers, and for providing for the transmission by post of printed periodical publications.

And whereas, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by a certain Warrant in writing, under their hands, bearing date at Whitehall Treasury Chambers the 20th day of December, 1856, reciting (amongst other things) that a treaty had been then lately entered into between Her