

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Argyll.*

*7th Argyllshire Rifle Volunteers.*

Richard James Unwin, Gent., to be Lieutenant.  
Dated 4th September, 1863.

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

*15th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Thomas Vickers Bird, Gent., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 21st August, 1863.  
Samuel Brookfield the younger, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 21st August, 1863.

*1st Lancashire Engineer Volunteer Corps.*

First Lieutenant Charles Seaton Boggs to be Captain. Dated 21st August, 1863.  
First Lieutenant Walter Atkin Hayman to be Captain. Dated 21st August, 1863.

*2nd Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

James Lund, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 21st August, 1863.  
William James Mullett, M.D., to be Ensign. Dated 21st August, 1863.

*1st Manchester or 6th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant John Bagshaw to be Captain. Dated 22nd August, 1863.  
Ensign John Hill to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1863.

*3rd Manchester or 40th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Henry Buckley, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th August, 1863.

MEMORANDUM.

*St. George's Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held in this Corps by George Henry Elliott and John William Powlett Ordé as Captains.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.*

*40th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Edward Swansborough to be Ensign. Dated 22nd August, 1863.  
James Thomas Burton to be Ensign. Dated 22nd August, 1863.  
John William Dennison to be Ensign. Dated 27th August, 1863.

MEMORANDUM.

*1st Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captain William Duncan, Lieutenant Thomas Archer, Ensign James Paterson, and Ensign James Ferguson Pullar.

*Commissions signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Perth.*

*1st Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant Robert Walker to be Captain.  
Robert Hope Moncrieff, Gent., to be Lieutenant.

MEMORANDA.

*1st Monmouthshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by First Lieutenant William Clark and Second Lieutenant Edmund Davies Williams in the above Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Honorary Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Thornton in the 7th Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Honorary Assistant-Surgeon Dennis Adams in the 2nd Cambridgeshire Mounted Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Edward Loomes in the 4th Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The 18th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps has been reduced to 1 Company and 1 Sub-division.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

1022. John Cornes, of Roden-villa, and John Coope Davis, of Crambrook-park, Gentleman, both of Ilford, in the county of Essex, have given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of their intention to proceed with their application for Letters Patent for the invention of "improvements in lawn mowing, rolling, and collecting machines."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of April, 1863.

1056. And William Hudson, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, and Christopher Catlow, of the same place, Overlooker, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of April, 1863.

1061. And Samuel Crabtree, of Bradford, in the county of York, Manager, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in balling motions."

1062. And George Hall, of the city of Worcester, in the county of Worcester, and Josiah Wells, also of the city of Worcester aforesaid, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new explosive compound applicable for all the purposes for which gunpowder is or may be used."

1069. And Thomas Moore, of 27, Leadenhall-street, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus for laying down, protecting, and controlling submarine cables for telegraphing from vessels moored off a coast to the shore."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 28th day of April, 1863.

1077. And William Tarr, of 112, York-street, Oxford-street, Manchester, and Ench Farr, of 40, Cavendish-street, Oxford-street, Manchester, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in pianofortes."