

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

1st City of Edinburgh Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Norman Bethune to be Captain, vice J. T. Gordon, resigned. Dated 10th January, 1865.

John Thomson to be Lieutenant, vice Mackinlay, resigned. Dated 10th January, 1865.

Alexander Martin to be Ensign, vice Bethune, promoted. Dated 16th January, 1865.

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

1st Kincardineshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

James Tindal to be Second Lieutenant, vice Thomson, resigned. Dated 20th January, 1865.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, February 10, 1865.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the tonnage bounty of a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 5th of April, 1862, by Her Majesty's ship "Ariel," will commence on Friday, the 17th instant, 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 ships, 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," (enclosing his certificate of service, or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of Commissioned Officers,)—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.
Flag	21	6	4
Commander	50	12	8
Third class	18	15	3
Fourth class	12	1	2
Fifth class	6	14	1
Sixth class	6	0	7
Seventh class	4	0	4
Eighth class	2	0	3
Ninth class	1	6	9
Tenth class	0	13	4

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Zoar Chapel, situate at Llangafelach-road, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Swansea, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 20th day of Janu-

ary, 1865, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 21st day of January, 1865.

G. B. Haynes, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Chapel, situated at Chester-le-Street, in the parish of Chester-le-Street, in the county of Durham, in the district of Chester-le-Street, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 1st day of February, 1865, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of February, 1865.

Joseph Arthur Jackson, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Roman Catholic Chapel, situated at the corner of Conduit-street, in the parish of Saint Leonard, Hythe, in the county of Kent, in the district of Elham, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 7th day of February, 1865, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 8th day of February, 1865.

Robert Thompson, Superintendent Registrar.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given that—

2427. Luke Cashmore and Charles Cashmore, both of Mill-street, Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Needle Manufacturers, 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 the manufacture or production of needles employed in knitting machinery."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of October, 1864.

2458. And Thomas Turner, junior, of the firm of Turner and Son, Gun Manufacturers and Government Contractors, of Fisher-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms, and which said improvements are also applicable for the conversion of muzzle loading fire arms into breech loaders."

2465. And Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of the General Patent Offices, 10, Rue de la Fidélité, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in photography for obtaining images direct on cloth and other materials."—A communication from Jean Nicolas Truchelut, a person resident at 27, Rue de Grenille, St. Honoré, Paris, in the Empire of France.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 6th day of October, 1864.