

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

*4th Brecknockshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Charles William Layton, late Captain 25th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bridgwater, resigned. Dated 7th July, 1865.

*Commissions signed by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man.*

*Isle of Man Volunteers.*

John S. Goldie Taubman, Esq., to be Major, vice Scott, resigned. Dated 8th July, 1865.

*1st Isle of Man Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant Robert Bruce Willis to be Captain. Dated 8th July, 1865.

John Frederick Gill to be Lieutenant, vice Willis, promoted. Dated 8th July, 1865.

Serjeant John Samuel Kegg to be Ensign. Dated 8th July, 1865.

Thomas Wise to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Underwood, deceased. Dated 8th July, 1865.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.*

*East Kent Yeomanry Cavalry (Royal Mounted Rifles).*

The Honourable George Watson Milles, late Captain Royal Horse Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th July, 1865.

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

*1st Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

First Lieutenant William Moseley Mellor to be Captain, vice Burton, resigned. Dated 3rd July, 1865.

Second Lieutenant Charles Harrison Lockett to be First Lieutenant, vice Sinclair, resigned. Dated 3rd July, 1865.

Second Lieutenant William Alexander Neill to be First Lieutenant, vice Mellor, promoted. Dated 3rd July, 1865.

MEMORANDUM.

*6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.*

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John Buckley. Dated 30th June, 1865.

Whitehall, June 8, 1865.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Watson the younger, of Barnard Castle, in the county of Durham, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY MATLOCK BATH AND SCARTHIN NICK, DERBYSHIRE.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted on the 31st day of May, 1865, by the District of Matlock Bath and Scarthin Nick, in the county of Derby, within the boundaries of that district, as settled for the purposes of the hereinbefore recited Act; 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 duly advertised, and that copies have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such district, to which notices are usually affixed, and the period fixed by the said Act for appeal 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 district of Matlock Bath and Scarthin Nick, in the county of Derby, and that although it is a place with a population of less than 3,000 by the last census, it has appeared to me that, by reason of special circumstances, it is expedient that the said district should be allowed to adopt the said Act. I do therefore hereby approve of such adoption by the district aforesaid; and do further order that the Local Government Act, 1858, do come into force from and after the 1st day of August, 1865, within the aforesaid district of Matlock Bath and Scarthin Nick.

Given under my hand this 13th day of July, 1865.

(Signed) G. Grey.

Home Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY ORMESBY, NORTH RIDING OF YORKSHIRE.

WHEREAS a resolution for the adoption of the Local Government Act, 1858, has been passed by the township of Ormesby, in the North Riding of the county of York (exclusive of such part of that township as is included within the boundaries of the borough of Middlesbrough), the said township being a place with a population of less than 3,000 by the last census. And whereas it has appeared to me, that, by reason of special circumstances, it is expedient that the said township of Ormesby, exclusive of the part thereof comprised within the boundaries of the borough of Middlesbrough, shall be allowed to adopt the said Act, I do hereby approve of such adoption; and I do hereby further order that the Local Government Act, 1858, do come into force within such township of Ormesby, exclusive of the part thereof comprised within the boundaries of the borough of Middlesbrough, from and after the 1st day of August, 1865.

Given under my hand this 13th day of July, 1865

(Signed) G. Grey.

Home Office, Whitehall.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 34.)—BALTIC—GULF OF BOTHNIA.

*Grundkal and Finngrund Light Vessels.*

THE Royal Marine Department at Stockholm has given notice, that from the opening of the navigation of the Sea of Aland in spring, until it is closed by ice in autumn, the following signals will be exhibited at Understen Lighthouse, to make known to passing ships by day, should the Grundkal and Finngrund light vessels not be lying at their respective stations.

A black-painted double cone (a basket, sharp pointed at either extremity) shown over a red