

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

West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet William Haggitt Richards to be Lieutenant, vice H. B. Patton, promoted. Dated 29th June, 1867.

7th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Hervey Edward Murly, Esq., to be Captain, vice Hopkins, resigned. Dated 29th June, 1867.

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

15th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Walter E. Wood to be Lieutenant, vice Cochrane, promoted. Dated 27th April, 1867.
Charles Edward Firmstone to be Ensign, vice Wood, promoted. Dated 27th April, 1867.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captains Richard Hackett and Samuel Leith Tomkins and Lieutenants Ormerod Pilkington Baldwin and William Fraser Rae in the 7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 2nd July, 1867.

Whitehall, June 29, 1867.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Hopwood, of No. 14, King William-street, Strand, and No. 127, St. George's-square, Pimlico, Gentleman, to be a London Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, January 24, 1867.

The Right Honourable Sir William Bovill, Kut., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Lawrence Desborough, of No. 6, Sise-lane, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the city of London, also in and for the county of Middlesex, and the city and liberties of Westminster.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, July 3, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the slave and tonnage bounties of a dhow captured on the 15th April, 1865, by Her Majesty's ship "Penguin," will commence on Tuesday, the 16th 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 in-

struments, 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," (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.
Lieutenant Commanding	74	0	11
Fourth class	26	13	1
Fifth class	14	16	2
Sixth class	13	6	8
Seventh class	8	17	9
Eighth class	4	8	11
Ninth class	2	19	2
Tenth class	1	9	7

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of two hundred and twenty-five pounds, thirteen shillings, and four pence, which we have received in favour of the perpetual curacy of Christ Church, Harwood, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Manchester, and in respect whereof we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same benefice, and to his successors, a yearly sum of seven pounds, ten shillings, and sixpence, and in consideration also of a further benefaction, consisting of one thousand seven hundred and eighty-four square yards of land, which have been permanently secured to the same benefice, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said perpetual curacy of Christ Church, Harwood, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of ten pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the nineteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and to be receivable half-yearly on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said benefice in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this fourth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

(L.S.)