4. The prohibition of importation, sale, and manufacture in Russia extends to toys of all sorts, painted with arsenical colours, as well as covers made of paper tinted with the same colours, which are used for wrapping or ornamenting bonbons, and other confectionery and provisions.

5. Colours other than arsenical colours but which are more or less injurious shall not be employed in painting toys unless mixed with oil.

6. The employment of any substance injurious to health to colour provisions and confectioneries such as bonbons, gingerbreads, marmelade, preserves, ices, &c., &c., is entirely forbidden.

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th February, 1868.

5th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Edward Rowley Hill to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General William Longworth Dames, deceased. Dated 21st February, 1868.

Admiralty, 22nd February, 1868.

Albert Walter Schroeder, Esq., has been this day appointed a Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 24th February, 1868.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet :-

Mr. Thomas Carter.

- Mr. George Williamson (δ), (Acting).
- Mr. George Frederick Greaves.
- Mr. William Henry Moon.
- Mr. Andrew R. Stewart.
- Mr. James Campbell (Acting). Mr. William Henry George Webb (Acting).
- Mr. James Henry Ferguson.
- Mr. Samuel Lloyd.
- Mr. Samson Grundy (Acting).
- Mr. Archibald Forrester.
- Mr. James Alexander Dicks.
- Mr. Joseph Sharpe (b), (Acting).
- Mr. William Conran Amos.

Admiralty, 25th February, 1868.

Lieutenant Charles Ashwell Boteler Pocock has been this day promoted to be a Retired Commander, under Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st November, 1830, and 9th July, 1864.

Queen's Commission.

1st Cheshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Lawrence Pleydill Bouverie, late Lieutenant-Colonel 78th Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 25th November, 1867, vice Campbell, whose services have been dispensed with.

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

- Dr. Laurence Lockhart to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1868. James Houldsworth, Esq., to be Deputy Lieu-
- tenant. Dated 19th February, 1868.
- Robert Napier, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1868.

1st Lanarkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Jasper Howat to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. Page, resigned. Dated 27th January, 1868.

5th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles Randolph Lawson to be Lieutenant, vice J. Pattison, resigned. Dated 12th February, 1868.

31st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- Ensign Alexander Millar Findlay to be Lieutenant, vice J. Easton, jun., resigned. Dated 31st January, 1868.
- David Smith Rodger to be Ensign, vice H. M. Findlay, promoted. Dated 14th February, 1868.

98th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- Ensign Gavin Black Motherwell to be Captain, vice W. Hawksworth, resigned. Dated 14th February, 1868.
- Thomas Clark, jun., to be Lieutenant, vice R. S. Thomson, resigned. Dated 14th February, 1868.
- John Murray to be Ensign, vice G. B. Motherwell, promoted. Dated 14th February, 1868.

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

20th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Boothby Dow, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 18th February, 1868.

29th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- William Jacob Birt to be Captain, vice Goode, promoted. Dated 19th February, 1868.
- Henry William Burt to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th February, 1868.

George Dubois Bassett to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th February, 1868

James Vaughan to be Ensign. Dated 20th February, 1868.

36th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George William Jeynes to be Honorary Quartermaster. Dated 18th February, 1868.

39th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Pontifex to be Captain, vice Willis, resigned. Dated 18th February, 1868.

Ensign James Upton Poole to be Lieutenant, vice Pontifex, resigned. Dated 18th February, 1868.

48th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- Thomas Fitzgerald Arthur to be Ensign, vice Shingleton, whose services have been dispensed with. Dated 15th February, 1868.
- The Reverend Charles Rogers, LL.D., to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 15th February, 1868.

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

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Right Honourable Sewallis Edward, Earl Ferrers, to be Lieutenant, vice Wedgwood, resigned. Dated 8th February, 1868.

36th Staffordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Alfred Wedgwood, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Alcock, promoted. Dated 11th February, 1868.

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