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Lieutenants: Edward Leigh Trafford and George Gordon Webber have been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from the 1st instant.

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

Major Robert Bramston Smith to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1870.

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

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Richard Prescott Decie, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 2nd April, 1870.

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

28th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Hammond Wollaston to be Ensign. Dated 30th March, 1870.

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

1st Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain Thomas Brittain Forwood to be Major. Dated 22nd March, 1870.

First Lieutenant Leadley Brown to be Captain. Dated 22nd March, 1870.

7th Administrative Battalion of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Major John George Blackburne to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1870.

Captain Thomas Evans Lees to be Major. Dated 17th March, 1870.

23rd Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

- Thomas Mellor, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant John Eaton to be Captain. Dated 21st March, 1870.
- Lieutenant James Collier Harrop to be Captain. Dated 21st March, 1870.
- Ensign George Robert Hall to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st March, 1870.

Ensign George Burrows to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st March, 1870.

31st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major John George Blackburne to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1870.

- Captain Thomas Evans Lees to be Major, vice Blackburne, promoted. Dated 17th March, 1870.
- Lieutenant Harry Clegg to be Captain. Dated
- 21st March, 1870. Ensign Henry Whitaker to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st March, 1870.

40th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Warburton, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1870.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Mellor bearing the title of Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant of the 7th Administrative Battalion of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutexant of the County of Denbigh.

Royal Denbigh Militia.

John Barnett Barker, Gent., late Captain 75th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Humberston, promoted. Dated 2nd April, 1870.

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

2nd Derbyshire Militia.

Assistant-Surgeon Hugh Eccles Walker to be Surgeon, vice Newbold, resigned. Dated 6th April, 1870.

William Abraham Walker to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hugh Eccles Walker, promoted. Dated 6th April, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Durham Fusiliers Militia.

Henry Thomas Thornton Salvin, Esq., late Captain 1st West York Militia, to be Captain, vice Hawks, resigned. Dated 17th March, 1870.

Richard Bassett Wilson, Esq., to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th March, 1870.

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

Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Vincent Bailey to be Captain, vice Herne, resigned. Dated 29th March, 1870.

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

3rd Administrative Battalion of Kent Rifle Volunteers.

William Cracroft Fooks to be Major, vice Dalison, promoted. Dated 2nd April, 1870.

Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

3rd Pembrokeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Townsend Stokes to be Ensign, vice Hulm, resigned. Dated 4th April, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Rorough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

East York Regiment of Militia.

Captain Henry Janson to be Major, vice Wilkinson, resigned. Dated 5th April, 1870.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Arthur Brooking in the Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain George Smith in the North York Militia, and in consideration of his service, to approve of his being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, and permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment.