

placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks:—

Paymasters:

Frederick Gransmore, from this date.

Joseph G. W. Hoare, from the 22nd instant.

Mr. Gransmore has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the date of his retirement.

Assistant Paymaster George W. de L. Willis, from this date.

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

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Lieutenant Charles Hunter to be Captain, vice Farquhar, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant and High Steward of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

1st Kirkcudbright Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant David Craig to be Captain, vice Hamilton, resigned. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Ensign William McLellan to be Lieutenant, vice Craig, promoted. Dated 23rd July, 1870.

Commissions signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

1st London Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Cornelius Frank Buttler to be First Lieutenant. Dated 20th July, 1870.

3rd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Beaton to be Captain. Dated 20th July, 1870.

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

2nd Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John G. Riddell to be Captain, vice Widdrington, resigned. Dated 15th July, 1870.

Second Lieutenant Joseph Yeaman to be First Lieutenant. Dated 15th July, 1870.

John George Hicks to be Second Lieutenant, vice Yeaman, promoted. Dated 25th July, 1867.

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

Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

Lieutenant Edward Sambourne McDougal to be Captain, vice Speir, resigned. Dated 4th July, 1870.

9th Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Garland Gray to be Ensign, vice Christie, resigned. Dated 21st July, 1870.

23rd Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant James Fleming to be Captain, vice Macbride, resigned. Dated 21st July, 1870.

Ensign Alfred O'Kell to be Lieutenant, vice Fleming, promoted. Dated 21st July, 1870.

[The following Memorandum is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 22nd instant.]

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Captain John Gollop in the Dorset Regiment of Militia, and in consideration of his service, approves of his being granted a step of honorary rank on retirement, and permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 14th June, 1870.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ACT BY THE PARISH OF SNEINTON, IN THE COUNTY OF NOTTINGHAM.

WHEREAS the Local Government Act, 1858, was duly adopted by the parish of Sneinton, in the county of Nottingham, on the 4th day of June, 1870, and notice of such adoption has been duly given, in writing, to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as required by such Act: And whereas it has now been duly certified that a copy of such notice has been duly advertised, and that copies thereof have also been affixed to the principal doors of each church and chapel in such parish to which notices are usually affixed; and whereas within the period for appeal against the resolution for the adoption of the said Act no 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 duly adopted within the said parish of Sneinton, in the county of Nottingham; and that in accordance with the provisions thereof, the said Act will have the force of law within the said parish, at the expiration of two months from the date of the aforesaid resolution of adoption.

Given under my hand this 27th day of July, 1870.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

Home Office, Whitehall.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1858.

WOOLWICH, KENT.

WHEREAS the Local Board of Health in and for the parish of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, have obtained the consent of a meeting of ratepayers and owners of property within such parish, held on the 28th day of October, 1869, the said consent being expressed by resolution, as required by the 50th section of the Local Government Act, 1858, and bringing in force the provisions of the Markets and Fairs Clauses Act, 1847, and the various Acts and parts of Acts incorporated therewith, relating to markets and tolls; and whereas the said Local Board of Health have now given notice to me, under the hereinbefore recited Local Government Act, 1858, that the said Acts and parts of Acts have been adopted in such parish, with a view to their being put in force therein:

I do hereby, as one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and under the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1858, give notice that the said Acts and parts of Acts, with respect to the establishment, &c., of markets, market-houses, &c., in the said parish of Woolwich, have been duly adopted by the aforesaid Local Board of Health, with the consent of the meeting of ratepayers and owners of Woolwich, as hereinbefore described.

Given under my hand this 29th day of July, 1870.

(Signed) *H. A. Bruce.*

Home Office, Whitehall.