ment, removing the Port of Rotterdam from the category of "infected" to that of "suspected" of Cholera Morbus since the 3rd instant, and declaring all the other ports of Holland free from the same disease since that date.

Admiralty, 21st November, 1871.

The date of retirement of Commander William L. Staniforth is the 10th October, 1871, and not 3rd October, as given in the London Gazette of the 13th ultimo.

Admiralty, 22nd November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Maddock R. M. Griffiths has this day been placed on the Retired List, and been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander.

Lieutenant John Campbell Wilkinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 16th instant:—

Chief Engineer Joseph Deal.

Queen's Commission.

Galloway Administrative Battalion of Rifle Volunteers.

Loftus Corbet Singleton, Captain 92nd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 7th Nevember, 1871.

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

1st Ayrshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Archibald Galbraith Brown to be Second Lieutenant, vice Thomson, resigned. Dated 18th November, 1871.

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

West Kent Militia.

Augustus Frederick Ross, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1871.

1st Administrative Battalion of Kent Rifle Volunteers.

Harry Burrard Farnall, C.B., to be Honorary. Colonel. Dated 17th November, 1871.

Edmund Henry Lenon, V.C., late Captain and Brevet-Major 67th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Farnall, resigned: Dated 16th November, 1871.

28th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Stevens to be Ensign, vice Graham, promoted. Dated 17th November, 1871.

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

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

George Maurice Hoblyn Colman, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1871.

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

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Gilbert Alexander Pagan, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th November, 1871.

1st Lanarkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Allan Fraser to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1871.

3rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Smyth to be Ensign, vice Duncan, resigned. Dated 31st October, 1871.

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

Royal London Militia.

Henry Edward Rose to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

1st London Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Harry Garle to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

London Rifle Volunteer Brigade.

Lieutenant Abraham Rhodes to be Captain. Dated 15th November, 1871.

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

2nd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John Steed Churchward to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 18th November, 1871.

. 1st Middlesex Engineer Volunteer Corps.

George James Kain to be Honorary Quartermaster. Dated 17th November, 1871.

20th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Charles Rice to be Lieutenant, vice Macklin, resigned. Dated 18th November, 1871. George Thomas Wickenden to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th November, 1871.

26th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major Charles Hampden Wigram to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Collett, resigned. Dated 16th November, 1871.

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

1st Warwick Militia.

William John Shaw, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Powell, resigned. Dated 17th November, 1871.

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

1st Administrative Brigade of Renfrewshire Artillery Volunteers.

John William Taylor, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 9th November, 1871.

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

5th Suffolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Thomas William Thurlow to be Lieutenant, vice Arcedeckne, deceased. Dated 14th November, 1871.

Arthur Thomas Draper, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Thurlow, promoted. Dated 14th November 1871.