Hatf-pay, Lieutenant Henry R. Abadie, from 11th Hussars, to be Captain. Dated 14th February, 1872.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Winckworth Scott, Bombay Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 19th June, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Biddulph, of the Royal Artillery, having completed eight years' service with the Brevet rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, conferred for distinguished service in the field, to be Colonel. Dated 15th January, 1872.

Captain Guiseppe de Piro (with local and temporary rank), retired upon full pay of the Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th February, 1872.

Paymaster George Lewis Cuming, 73rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 6th December, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

The retirement on half-pay of Quartermaster Lewis, late Royal Hibernian School, and the honorary rank of Captain conferred on him on the 2nd December, 1871, to be antedated to the 1st October, 1871.

Captain and Honorary Major Patrick Cahill, retired upon full-pay 56th Foot, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated

22nd January, 1872.

Admiralty, 10th February, 1872.

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 this date:—Chief Engineer Thomas Owen.

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

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend George Jackson has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 12th February, 1872.

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

Assistant Paymaster Leicester H. Edwards has this day been placed on the Retired List.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Richard Frederick Fotheringham Campbell, Esq., being appointed Vice Lieutenant of the County of Ayr. Dated 12th January, 1872.

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

John Reginald Houison Craufurd, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1872.

Edward Henry John Craufurd, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1872

Thomas Douglas Cuninghame Graham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1872.

Prince Regent's Royal Regiment of Ayr and Wigtown Militia.

James McHaffie to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1871.

Francis Dykes Walker to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 18th January, 1872.

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

Bedfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Francis Arthur Bouverie Talbot, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1872.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.

3rd Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Richard Danson, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Dean, promoted. Dated 28th December, 1871.

6th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant William Alfred Dickson to be Captain, vice Dixon, resigned. Dated 1st February, 1872.

Ensign John Brown to be Lieutenant, vice Dickson, promoted. Dated 1st February, 1872.

Ensign James Dickson to be Lieutenant, vice

Ensign James Dickson to be Lieutenant, vice Churton, resigned. Dated 2nd February, 1872.

13th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign William Henry Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice Hollinworth, resigned. Dated 24th January, 1872.

Albert Sidebottom, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 24th January, 1872.

James Gill, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 25th January, 1872.

Commission signed by the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports.

7th Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Frederick Sangster to be Ensign. Dated 30th
January, 1872.

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

Cornwall Rangers Militia.

Francis Gilbert Hamley, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1872.

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

1st Administrative Battalion of Derbyshire Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Augustus Greaves, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th February, 1872.

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

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Edmund Thomas Moore Harper, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1872.

27th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major Arthur Bailey to be Lieutenant-Colonel.
Dated 20th January, 1872.
Captain James Cross Ormrod to be Major. Dated

2Qth January, 1872.