War Office, Pall Mall, 20th June, 1873.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Thomas Field, from the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel, vice M. Clifford, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 21st June, 1873. Lieutenant Walter Joseph Joyce retires upon

temporary half-pay. Dated 1st May. 1873. Riding-Master Charles Jones retires upon tem-

porary half-pay. Dated 25th April, 1873. Master Gunner Samuel Cox to be Quartermaster, vice C. Serbutt, who retires upon half-pny. Dated 21st June, 1873.

The Commissions of the undermentioned Lieutenants to be antedated to the 6th January, 1872;

Charles Stewart Skipton. John Albert Robertson. Hector Maclaine. Herbert Percival Willoughby. Ernest Veness Elwes. Francis Tilson Shaen Carter. Wilton Winckworth March Gruggen. William Powlett Thring. Thomas Stickney Howie. Hugh Aboukir Scott. Alexander John Montgomery. Charles Edward Bedford.

BREVET.

Colonel Miller Clifford, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 21st June, 1873.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant-Colonel Thring, Royal Artillery, promoted to be Colonel in the Army, in the Gazette of the 16th July, 1872, is John, and not James, as therein

Quartermaster Charles Serbutt, retired half-pay, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 21st June, 1873.

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

Thomas Slaney Eyton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1873.

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

Thomas Brassey, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1873.

Whitehall, June 14, 1873.

Lord Chancellor has appointed the Honourable Greville Theophilus Howard, Barrister-at-Law, to be a Commissioner in Lunacy, in the place of Robert Wilfred Skeffington Lutwidge, Esq., deceased.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage or benefice of Christ Church, Chadderton, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diorese of Manchester, and to his successors. Incumbents of the same vicarage or

pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in equal halfyearly portions on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage or benefice, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this tweltth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint Matthew, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarge, one yearly sum or stipend of two hundred pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thou-sand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twelfth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of one thousand pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in tayour of the vicarage or benefice of Kilpeck, in the county and diocese of Hereford, do hereby, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twentyninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage or benefice of Kilpeck, and to his successors, Incumbents thereof, to meet the said benefaction, one yearly sum or stipend of sixteen pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: And we do also in further consideration of the aforesaid benefaction, hereby grant and ap. benefice, one yearly sum or stipend of two hundred propriate out of our said common fund to the