

1st Lanarkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Captain and Adjutant Henry Lees to be placed on retired pay, and to have the honorary rank of Major, with permission to wear the uniform of the above Corps. Dated 14th October, 1874.
Lieutenant James Arthur Knox to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

25th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Gilbert Harry Shearer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1874.

15th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant George Francis Williams to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Arthur Hill Holme to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

1st Administrative Brigade Lincolnshire Artillery Volunteers.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis P. Cupiss resigns his Commission. Dated 14th October, 1874.

3rd Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend George Madison resigns his appointment. Dated 14th October, 1874.
The Reverend Jacob Clements to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

2nd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The promotion of Sub-Lieutenant Bird to be Lieutenant, which appeared in the London Gazette of 10th July, 1874, should be dated 24th December, 1873, and not 11th July, 1874.

1st Peeblesshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Reverend John Bell Lorraine to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

10th Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Hugh Fullarton to bear the title of Captain Commandant. Dated 14th October, 1874.
Lieutenant John Stewart to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

13th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Drewitt, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Super-numerary). Dated 14th October, 1874.

2nd Administrative Battalion Wiltshire Rifle Volunteers.

The surname of the Gentleman whose resignation as Honorary Quartermaster and appointment as Quartermaster appeared in the London Gazette of 15th September, 1874, is *Darley* and not *Darby*.

2nd West Riding of Yorkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles James Nelson to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.
Lieutenant William Wheeler to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.
Lieutenant Joshua Horne to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

5th West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain James William Sutcliffe resigns his Commission. Dated 6th October, 1874.

35th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend William Busfield resigns his appointment. Dated 14th October, 1874.
The Reverend William Malam to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

ORDERS issued by the Local Government Board :—

General Order (Metropolis).—Relief Committees.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Unions and Parishes named in the Schedule hereto :—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Poor Law Board and the Local Government Board respectively, by the several Orders specified in the Schedule hereto, ordered and directed that all the proceedings or directions of the Relief Committee or Committees which might be appointed by the Guardians of any of the Unions and Parishes mentioned in the said Schedule for the whole or part of the districts of the Relieving Officers of any such Union or Parish, should be entered in the Application and Report Books of the said Relieving Officers, and in some other book to be kept for that purpose by the presiding Chairman of any such Committee; and that such book should be laid before the Board of Guardians at the same or their next ordinary meeting, after each sitting of the Committee, as might be the more convenient; and that thereupon the Clerk to the Guardians should enter on the minutes of the Board of Guardians the fact of the same having been so laid before them;

And whereas it is expedient that so much of the said Orders as is above recited should be rescinded, and that further provision in lieu thereof should be made as herein-after mentioned :

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the statutes in that behalf, hereby order with respect to the several Unions and Parishes named in the Schedule hereto, as follows; that is to say—

ARTICLE I.—So much of the several Orders above mentioned as is above recited is hereby rescinded.

ARTICLE II.—Each Relieving Officer whose district or any part thereof is assigned to a Relief Committee shall submit to the Committee at every meeting the Application and Report Book which he is required to keep by the Orders of the Poor Law Board or the Local Government Board; and a note of the decision or direction of the Committee upon every application for relief, whether made through the Relieving Officer or directly to the Committee, shall be inserted at the meeting of the Committee in the proper columns of such book, and authenticated in the proper column by the initials of one of the members of the Committee, or of the Clerk or the Assistant Clerk to the Board of Guardians.

ARTICLE III.—A Relief Order Book according to the form prescribed by the Orders of the Poor Law Board or the Local Government Board shall be kept for the use of each Committee; and the first four columns in such book shall, as far as practicable, be entered up by the Clerk or the Assistant Clerk before each meeting of the Committee, and the remaining columns containing the particulars of the decisions or directions of the Committee shall be filled up at the meeting by one of the members of the Committee, or by the Clerk or the Assistant Clerk.