

17th (late 56th) *Lancashire Corps*, Lieutenant Edward Shepherd, from the 1st Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1881.

2nd *London Corps*, Second Lieutenant Nathaniel Hildyard to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1881.

6th (late 11th) *Middlesex Corps*, Second Lieutenant Frederick Charles Davies resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

11th (late 20th) *Middlesex Corps*, Surgeon Joseph Blackstone, jun., resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

23rd (late 46th) *Middlesex Corps*, Captain Richard Simkin resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

24th (late 49th) *Middlesex Corps*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Frederic Villiers. Dated 26th February, 1881.

William Samuel Rushton. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Charles Wellesley Ricketts. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Leonard Henry Gramshaw. Dated 26th February, 1881.

2nd *Monmouthshire Corps*, Lieutenant Frederick Henry Davies resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Nottinghamshire Corps*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Edgar Herbert Hill. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Arthur William Brewill. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Joseph Gervase Spendlove. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Renfrewshire Corps*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Supernumerary):—

William Urquhart Park. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Robert Lyle. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Staffordshire Corps*, Second Lieutenant Samuel Antrobus Howell, from the 1st Warwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1881.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Supernumerary):—

Thomas Vincent Holbeche. Dated 26th February, 1881.

William Hodgetts Tisdall. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Suffolk Corps*, William John Whitmore, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1881.

6th *Surrey Corps*, Captain Joseph Gale to be Major. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Lieutenant Charles Gale Berrill to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Tower Hamlets Corps*, Captain Banister Fletcher to be Major. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Warwickshire Corps*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

William Beilby Avery. Dated 26th February, 1881.

John Joseph Bateman. Dated 26th February, 1881.

1st *Westmoreland Corps*, Captain John Gawith to be Major. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Lieutenant Francis William Watson to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1881.

Lieutenant William Todd Rayne resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

2nd *Worcestershire Corps*, Lieutenant Alfred Howarth Ward Blake resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

7th *West Riding of Yorkshire Corps*, Second Lieutenant William Henry Freeman resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1881.

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

William Thompson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1881.

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

Sir William Wallace Rhoderic Onslow, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1881.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City of York, and County of the same.

Frederick Barnardiston Greenwood, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1881.

Andrew Sherlock Lawson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1881.

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

THE following areas are now *Areas Infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease* under the above-mentioned Act (except the lines of railway within those areas as far as those lines are used or required for the transit of animals through those areas, without being untrucked within them):—

Bedfordshire.—The Petty Sessional Divisions of Bedford, Biggleswade, and Sharnbrook, in the county of Bedford, and the borough of Bedford.

Berkshire.—The county of Berks, and the boroughs of Abingdon, Maidenhead, Newbury, Reading, Wallingford, and Windsor.

Buckinghamshire.—The county of Buckingham, and the boroughs of Buckingham and Chepping Wycombe.

Cambridgeshire.—The county of Cambridge, and the borough of Cambridge.

Liberty of the Isle of Ely.—The Liberty of the Isle of Ely, and the borough of Wisbech.

Cheshire.—The county of Chester, and the boroughs of Birkenhead, Chester, Congleton, Crewe, Macclesfield, and Stockport, except as follows:—The foreign animals wharves at the Wallasey landing-stage and the Woodside landing-stage at Birkenhead; and the lands and buildings at Birkenhead approved by the Privy Council for the landing or lairage of foreign animals; and such landing-places in that county or in those boroughs as were on 28th January, 1881 (the date of the Order) used for the landing of animals from Ireland.

Derbyshire.—The county of Derby, and the boroughs of Chesterfield, Derby, and Glossop.

Dorsetshire.—The Petty Sessional Division of Blandford, in the county of Dorset, and the borough of Blandford.

Durham.—The Petty Sessional Division of the south-west division of Stockton Ward, in the county of Durham, and the borough of Stockton-upon-Tees,