

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Buckinghamshire, Francis Tyringham Higgins, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 27th October, 1883.

Royal East Kent, Lieutenant-Colonel Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, resigns his Commission. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, late Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Leicestershire, Captain Robert Heathcote resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Montgomeryshire, Major John Dugdale resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Yorkshire Hussars, Captain Gerard Lascelles Darwin resigns his Commission. Dated 27th October, 1883.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st East Riding of Yorkshire, Lieutenant Harrison Weighill resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

ENGINEER.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne and Durham, John Percival Jobling, Gent., late 2nd Lieutenant, Northumberland Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th October, 1883.

RIFLE.

1st Bucks, Lieutenant Heber Martin Williams to be Captain. Dated 27th October, 1883.

2nd Bucks (Eton College), Hector McLean, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th October, 1883.

1st Cheshire, [Surgeon David Russell, M.D., is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 27th October, 1883.

5th Devonshire, Acting Chaplain the Reverend Arthur Francis Northcote, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 27th October, 1883.

1st Dorsetshire, Edward Hector House, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th October, 1883.

3rd Glamorgan, Lieutenant Bartholomew James Rosser to be Captain. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

Surgeon James Griffith Hall is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Cadet Corps (Winchester College) attached to 1st Hampshire, Lieutenant John Sampson Furlay to be Honorary Captain. Dated 27th October, 1883.

9th Lancashire, Lieutenant Harry Thomson to be Captain. Dated 27th October, 1883.

17th Lancashire, John Ellis Russell Hall, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th October, 1883.

13th Middlesex (Queen's, Westminster), Surgeon George Pearse resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

22nd Middlesex (Central London Rangers), Captain Frederick Low, from 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), to be Captain. Dated 27th October, 1883.

The services of the undermentioned Lieutenants are dispensed with:—

Edward John Clarkson Stanfield. Dated 27th October, 1883.

Henry Dummer. Dated 27th October, 1883.

24th Middlesex, Captain Percy Spencer Everest resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Captain Joseph Millard resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, William Downie, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th October, 1883.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant Frederic William Dutton to be Captain. Dated 27th October, 1883.

6th (West) Suffolk, Lieutenant Henry Gedney resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

5th Surrey, The resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Rugg-Price, which appeared in the Gazette of 9th January, 1883, is cancelled.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire, Lieutenant George Manuel Briggs resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd November, 1883.

EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875 (38 Vic., c. 17).

WHEREAS by Section 68 of the above-named Act, it is provided as follows:—

“The Council of any Borough which is assessed to the county rate of any county by the Justices of such county, and the Commissioners of any Improvement District, may, by order of a Secretary of State made upon the application of such Council or Commissioners, and published in the London Gazette, be declared to be a Local Authority for the purposes of this Act, and thereupon shall become a Local Authority accordingly for such part of their borough or district as is not included in any harbour, to the exclusion of the Justices in Petty Sessions:”

And whereas an application has been made to me by the Council of the borough of Middlesborough to be declared a Local Authority for the purposes of the said Act, in accordance with the provision aforesaid.

Now I, the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do hereby, in virtue of the powers contained in the said section, declare the said Council of the borough of Middlesborough to be a Local Authority for the purposes of the said Act.

W. V. Harcourt.

Whitehall, October 22, 1883.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England, on Tuesday, the 6th proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of £1,500,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 10th day of November, 1883, and will be payable at