

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Hugh Owen Edwards, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*2nd Glamorgan*, The Reverend Charles Edward Thomas Griffith, B.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Harry Elliott Pulford, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Lieutenant Arthur Ernest Oram resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*4th Lanarkshire (Glasgow 1st Northern)*, Major James Ritchie resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 28th March, 1885.

Captain William Reginald M. Church to be Major. Dated 28th March, 1885.

Lieutenant Joseph Findlay Newlands to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*6th Lancashire (1st Manchester)*, Lieutenant Ernest James Bridgford to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*15th Lancashire*, Lieutenant William Henry Fernie to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment*, Major Charles Sebastian Smith is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1885.

William Lindsay Emmerson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment*, Frederick Arden Peacock, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th March, 1885.

Surgeon and Honorary Surgeon-Major Edwin Morris, M.D., resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*2nd London*, The undermentioned Lieutenants resign their Commissions:—

George Brooke Mee. Dated 28th March, 1885.

Howard Wallace Soutter. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*2nd (South) Middlesex*, Captain George White resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1885.

William Benjamin Hards, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1885.

Harry Edwin Griffiths, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th March, 1885.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment*, Captain Lewis Horace Phillips, 2nd Battalion, to be Adjutant, in succession to Major K. R. B. Wodehouse, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), whose term of service as Adjutant has expired. Dated 1st April, 1885.

*1st Oxfordshire (Oxford University)*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants:—

Hubert Pinckney Cother Strange. Dated 28th March, 1885.

Charles Dixon Kimber. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*1st Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border)*, Captain and Honorary Major Robert Selby resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his

rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry)*, Captain John Sylvanus Turner resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry)*, Captain John Miller Elgee Waddy, 1st Battalion, to be Adjutant, in succession to Captain F. B. Bradshaw, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant-Colonel Hanbury Barclay is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 5th March, 1885.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, The undermentioned Officers are granted the honorary rank of Colonel:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Alexander C. Foster Gough. Dated 1st March, 1885.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Singleton Tudor. Dated 1st March, 1885.

*1st Surrey (South London)*, Lieutenant Walter Frederick Gorin resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Lieutenant Edward Phippard George Rogers, from the 1st Surrey (South London) Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*3rd West Riding of Yorkshire*, George William Jessop, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*7th West Riding of Yorkshire (Leeds)*, Lieutenant Sidney Bedford Beves Hebb resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1885.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.*

Hugh Robert Hibbert, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1885.

#### THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

##### GRANTCHESTER FEAST.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 21st day of March, 1885, a representation has been duly made to me by the Justices of the Peace of the Petty Sessional Division of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge that a Fair, commonly known by the name of "Grantchester Feast," has been annually held at Grantchester, in the county of Cambridge, in the Petty Sessional Division of Cambridge aforesaid, on the 25th day of July and the two following days, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be held on a less number of days than those on which such Fair is used to be held (to wit) on one day only, such day to be the first day of the Fair, namely, on the 25th day of July, unless and except the 25th day of July happens to fall on a Saturday or Sunday in which case such day to be the Monday immediately following the 25th day of July.

2. On the 27th day of April, 1885, I shall take the aforesaid representation into considera-