

ENGINEER.

2nd Gloucestershire (the Bristol), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants:—

Harold Vaughan James. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

Edward Stockley Sinnott. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

RIFLE.

3rd (the Buchan) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant William Murison resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Wellington Harrison Sayer is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 14th September, 1885.

2nd Hertfordshire, Captain and Adjutant Bevil Granville resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 4th October, 1885.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Acting Surgeon John Prior Purvis to be Surgeon. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

10th Lanarkshire (Glasgow Highland), Lieutenant William Paterson resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

18th Lancashire (Liverpool Irish), Captain William Walker to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

Ralph Heatley Heys, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

2nd Shropshire, John Higgins, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire, Captain Francis Dickson Wise resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

Lieutenant William Collinson Pinckney Snowden to be Captain. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Acting Surgeon Thomas Scott, M.D., resigns his appointment. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

Acting Surgeon Richard Ernest Williamson, M.B., to be Surgeon. Dated 3rd October, 1885.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

Sir William Muir to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd September, 1885.

William Anderson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd September, 1885.

William Nelson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd September, 1885.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

Repeal of existing Warrant.

1. The Treasury Warrant of the third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five relating to the transmission of Parcels

by Post between the United Kingdom and Grenada and Trinidad is hereby repealed.

Interpretation Clause.

2.—(1.) The expressions "Parcels" and "Parcel" in this Warrant respectively mean any postal packet, which is posted as a parcel, in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

(2.) The expression "United Kingdom" includes the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

(3.) The expression "Lord Lieutenant" means the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland for the time being.

(4.) The expression "arms" includes any cannon, gun, revolver, pistol, and any description of fire-arms, also any sword, cutlass, pike, and bayonet, also any part of any arms as so defined.

(5.) The expression "ammunition" includes bullets, gunpowder, nitro-glycerine, dynamite, gun-cotton, and every other explosive substance, whether fitted for use with any arms or otherwise.

(6.) The expression "prohibited district in Ireland" means any place in Ireland in respect of which the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council in Ireland, may have made or may make orders for prohibiting or regulating therein the sale or importation of arms and ammunition.

Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.

3. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and Grenada and Trinidad.

Maximum Dimensions and Weight.

4. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant any Parcel the dimensions of which shall exceed in length three feet six inches, or in length and girth measured together six feet (such girth being measured round the thickest part of such Parcel), or which shall exceed in weight seven pounds.

Rates of Postage.

5. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every Parcel not exceeding one pound in weight eight pence.

On every Parcel exceeding one pound and not exceeding seven pounds in weight, for the first pound eight pence; and for every additional pound or fraction of a pound in weight eight pence.

Prepayment.

6. The postage chargeable according to the rates hereinbefore mentioned respectively shall in all cases (except as otherwise provided in this Warrant) be prepaid at the time of posting, and such prepayment shall, in the United Kingdom, be effected by means of adhesive postage stamps.

Times of Posting.

7. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post may, in the United Kingdom, be posted on any day of the week except Sunday, but shall not be posted on Sundays, or in England or Ireland, on Christmas Day or Good Friday, and in Scotland on either of the two Sacramental Fast Days, except in the cases next hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Where the delivery of Parcels on Sundays, or any of the other days aforesaid, at certain Post Offices, to addressees calling for the same, may hereafter be specially authorized by the Postmaster-General, the posting of Parcels on Sun-