

1st *Renfrewshire*, Major W. O. Leitch is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th May, 1886.

The undermentioned Captains are granted the honorary rank of Major:—

W. Lamont. Dated 8th May, 1886.

J. Stewart. Dated 8th May, 1886.

J. Tannahill. Dated 8th May, 1886.

J. McEwen. Dated 8th May, 1886.

H. W. Walker. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Renfrewshire*, James Macfarlane, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border)*, Captain and Honorary Major John A. S. E. Fair resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Shropshire*, Captain R. H. Colley is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, William Harry Grindley, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant R. S. Williamson to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant John Gilbert to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Suffolk*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel P. B. Schreiber resigns his Commission. Dated 8th May, 1886.

Captain H. C. Edwards is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

6th (West) *Suffolk*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel J. T. Rowley resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Lieutenant William Sturt resigns his Commission. Dated 8th May, 1886.

3rd *Surrey*, Ralph Key Harvey, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1886.

5th *Surrey*, Lieutenant-Colonel W. F. Nettleship is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 8th May, 1886.

The undermentioned Captains are granted the honorary rank of Major:—

A. Ficklin. Dated 8th May, 1886.

E. V. Thompson. Dated 8th May, 1886.

3rd *Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel S. B. Bevington is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 8th May, 1886.

Major Joseph Gale is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th May, 1886.

Captain W. B. Johnston is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Tower Hamlets*, Captain Ebenezer Sandifer resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 8th May, 1886.

Quartermaster Philip Norris Page resigns his Commission. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment*, Quartermaster Charles Judge is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 8th May, 1886.

1st *Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)*, Captain William C. Booth is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)*, Surgeon J. W. Taylor, M.D., is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

2nd *Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Lieutenant John Crowther to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1886.

7th *West Riding of Yorkshire (Leeds)*, Captain George Arthur Burton to be Major. Dated 8th May, 1886.

Lieutenant Charles John Fowler to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1886.

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

Sir Henry Meysey Meysey-Thompson, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1886.

Sir John Pepys Lister Kaye, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th April, 1886.

*Whitehall, May 7, 1886.*

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that in pursuance of sec. 4 (3) of the Metropolitan Police (Compensation) Act, 48-49 Vic., cap. 11, the Chairman of the Metropolitan Board of Works has appointed Mr. R. C. Driver, of 4, Whitehall, to be Arbitrator under the Act; and that he has approved of this appointment.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board; Altering General Order as regards Parochial Lists and Statement of Accounts:—

Basford Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Basford Union, in the counties of Nottingham and Derby;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the 27th day of June, 1870, addressed (amongst others) to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Basford Union, the Poor Law Board made provision for the printing, circulating, and advertising by the said Guardians of the Parochial List and Statement of Account therein referred to, or any parts thereof;

And whereas it is expedient that further provision as regards the said Parochial List and Statement of Account should be made as hereinafter mentioned:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

ARTICLE 1. When the said Guardians deem it expedient that, in addition to the said Parochial List and Statement of Account, any such further information relating to the subject matters thereof shall be prepared, as can be given within reasonable limits it shall be the duty of the Clerk to prepare the same accordingly.