

1st Midlothian, Lieutenant Arthur Bankier resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1887.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment Major Thomas Lancelot Reed resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 26th February, 1887.

1st Northamptonshire, Major T. J. Walker is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 26th February, 1887.

1st Nottinghamshire (Robin Hood), Lieutenant E. H. Hill to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1887.

John Sandford Robinson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Oxfordshire, Acting Surgeon G. O. Willis resigns his appointment. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Perthshire (the Perthshire Highland), Major and Honorary Lieutenant - Colonel Charles Stewart resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank; and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 26th February, 1887.

3rd Renfrewshire, Charles Dalrymple Gairdner, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1887.

1st Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
F. S. Fairbairn. Dated 26th February, 1887.

D. C. Alexander. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain M. L. Blake to be Major. Dated 26th February, 1887.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
E. J. Blake. Dated 26th February, 1887.
C. B. Foley. Dated 26th February, 1887.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant F. H. Lodge to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1887.

1st Stirlingshire, Peter Forfar, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1887.

3rd Surrey, Captain and Honorary Major George Stone resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant Hugh Edward Cotterill to be Captain. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment, Lieutenant Alexander Courthope resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1887.

Cadet Corps attached to the 1st Tower Hamlets (the Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Brigade), Honorary Captain F. P. F. Vane resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1887.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant A. E. Jagger resigns his Commission. Dated 26th February, 1887.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

*Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
February 21, 1887.*

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 Vict., cap. 25, and dated the 11th March, 1882, the 11th March, 1883, the 11th March, 1885, and the 11th March, 1886, that the interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th day of March, 1887, will be payable at the Bank of England on and after the 11th day of March, 1887.

The said EXCHEQUER BILLS, dated the 11th March, 1882, the 11th March, 1883, the 11th March, 1885, and the 11th March, 1886, WILL BE PAID OFF, either in New Bills or in money, on the 11th March, 1887, when the Interest will cease. Such Bills will be received at the Bank of England daily from ten till two o'clock,

UNTIL WEDNESDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH, 1887, INCLUSIVE.

Printed forms, containing instructions for the preparation of the Lists and the arrangement of the Bills, may be obtained on application at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

The holders must insert their names and addresses in each List; but where the names of holders are inserted in the body of the Bills, the indorsements of such holders must be obtained previously to their Lists and Bills being left for examination.

NEW BILLS, prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act 29 Vict., cap. 25, dated the 11th day of March, 1887, may be obtained in payment of the principal of the whole, or part, of the Exchequer Bills advertised for payment, on the claimants specifying in their Lists the amount of New Bills required by them.

The interest of the said New Bills will be payable by coupons, half-yearly, on the 11th September and 11th March, at the Bank of England. The rate of interest will be advertised from time to time in the London Gazette. Such rate for the half-year to the 11th day of September, 1887, will be three per cent. per annum.

The Bills will be current from year to year, for a period of five years, commencing on the 11th March, 1887, at the option of the holders; and they will be payable for duties, aids, and taxes, at any time during the last six months of every year, viz., between the 11th September, in each year, and the 11th March following.

The New Bills in payment of the Bills left on or before the said 2nd day of March for Exchange, will be issued ON FRIDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF MARCH, 1887, when the claimants must attend at the Bank of England to sign receipts for the payment of Principal.

Notice will be given yearly of the days on which holders of the New Exchequer Bills who may be desirous of being paid the principal moneys must send their Bills to the Bank of England for examination and payment.

Payment, in money, may be obtained at the Bank of England after the said 11th day of March next for any Exchequer Bills hereby advertised for payment in New Bills or in money as above, and which may not be brought in accordingly, upon the claimants leaving the Bills for examination three days prior to that on which such payment is desired, between the hours of Ten and Two.