

## VOLUNTEER CORPS.

## ARTILLERY.

*4th Volunteer (Cinqve Ports) Brigade, Cinqve Ports Division, Royal Artillery*, Acting Surgeon Otho Robert Travers is appointed Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*2nd West Riding of Yorkshire*, Major E. M. Wavell, jun., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th August, 1887.

## ENGINEER.

*1st Lancashire*, Captain G. H. Coleman is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*2nd Lancashire (the St. Helen's)*, Lieutenant Henry Rothwell to be Captain. Dated 6th August, 1887.

## RIFLE.

*2nd Cheshire (Earl of Chester's)*, Major T. E. Skidmore resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment)*, Captain and Honorary Major F. C. Corfield to be Major. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Dumfries*, Captain George Thomas William Hewat, 1st Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, to be Adjutant, in succession to Captain T. D. Wilson, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, whose term of service as Adjutant has expired. Dated 12th July, 1887.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Lieutenant W. T. Moore resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Inverness-shire (Inverness Highland)*, Captain David Munro is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*7th Lanarkshire*, Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Forrest resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*3rd Lancashire*, Lieutenant H. Macbeth resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Surgeon J. H. Gornall resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

Honorary Assistant-Surgeon J. W. Watkins, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 6th August, 1887.

Surgeon J. W. Watkins, M.D., is granted the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, John Alfred Chambers, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*8th (S.W.) Middlesex*, Quartermaster Joseph Andrews resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*11th Middlesex (Railway)*, William Francis Vallat, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*16th Middlesex (London Irish)*, Philip Percival Whitcombe, M.B., to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*24th Middlesex*, Captain John Blanchard resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Nottinghamshire (Robin Hood)*, Captain R. Hardy is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Perthshire*, James Tyrrell Sellar, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*5th Surrey*, George Frederick Clarke, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*1st Wiltshire*, James Compton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment*, Lieutenant H. A. Silvester resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1887.

*Treasury Chambers, August 1, 1887.*

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty Treasury, have made, by Treasury Warrants dated the 30th ultimo, the following appointments, viz. :—

Reginald John Cust, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, Assistant-Commissioner, to be Chief Commissioner, under the West Indian Incumbered Estates Acts, 1854 to 1886, vice James Fleming, Esq., Q.C., deceased.

Edward Wingfield, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, one of the Assistant Under-Secretaries of State for the Colonies, to be Assistant-Commissioner, under the above Acts, vice R. J. Cust, Esq.

*The Land Office, 3, St. James's Square, August 2, 1887.*

THE Land Commissioners for England having, on the 27th day of July last, appointed James Woodhams, Esq., of Havelock-road, Hastings, to act as an Assistant Land Commissioner under "The Extraordinary Tithe Redemption Act, 1886," he, the said James Woodhams, did, on the 30th July last, make his declaration for the due execution of his duties under the said Act before E. Chalinder, Esq., a Commissioner to administer oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature in England.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board : (Altering Order as to Appointment and Duties of Stocktaker) :—

Rye Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Rye Union, in the counties of Sussex and Kent ;— And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order, dated the 11th day of May, 1885, We, the Local Government Board, empowered the Guardians of the Poor of the said Rye Union to appoint a competent person or persons as a Stocktaker or Stocktakers at the Workhouse belonging to the said Union to perform the duties therein set forth ;

And whereas by Article V of the said Order it is provided that the Stocktaker shall, on the day next after the termination of each quarter, examine the stores at the Workhouse, and compare the same with the entries in the Accounts referred to in such Article ;

And whereas it is expedient that the said Article V should be altered as hereinafter mentioned ;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We hereby rescind the said Article V in the said General Order dated the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and Direct that the following Article shall be substituted in its place ; namely,—

"ARTICLE V.—The Stocktaker shall, on the day next after the termination of each half-