

5th (Deeside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant W. Duguid resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd June, 1889.

1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, David Tod, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1889.

3rd (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), John Anderson McHaffie, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1889.

14th Middlesex (Inns of Court), Hugh Pollock, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Super-numerary.) Dated 22nd June, 1889.

16th Middlesex (London Irish), Patrick Walter D'Alton, Gent., is reappointed Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1889.

18th Middlesex, Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Unite is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 22nd June, 1889.

PARCEL POST. 13th June, 1889.
GIBRALTAR and MALTA and BRITISH INDIA.

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.

1. There shall be repealed, revoked, and annulled on and as from the day on which this

Warrant comes into operation so much of the Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, dated the 23rd day of September, 1885, as relates to Parcels transmitted between Gibraltar and Malta and British India.

Interpretation Clause.

2. (1.) In this Warrant and the schedule thereto the expression "Parcel" means a 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 "British India" includes Aden, the whole Continent of India, British Burmah, Zanzibar, any place situate on the shores of the Persian Gulf, or on any Island therein and any place near the said gulf.

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 several places mentioned in the schedule hereto.

Rates of Postage.

4. On all Parcels transmitted by Post under this Warrant there shall be charged and paid the several rates of postage respectively specified in the schedule hereto.

Provisions of other Warrants to apply.

5. Every such Parcel shall be subject to the provisions of the respective Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury relating to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and the several places mentioned in the schedule hereto so far as such provisions are applicable.

Commencement of Warrant.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the twenty-first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

THE SCHEDULE.

	Rate of Postage on each Parcel not exceeding eleven pounds in weight.		
	If not exceeding one pound in weight.	If exceeding one pound in weight.	
		For the first pound.	For each additional pound or fraction of a pound.
On a Parcel transmitted from—			
Gibraltar or Malta to British India ...	one shilling eight annas	one shilling eight annas	eight pence six annas
British India to Gibraltar or Malta ...	one shilling eight annas	one shilling eight annas	eight pence six annas

Whitehall Treasury Chambers, the 13th day of June, 1889.

Sidney Herbert,
W. H. Walrond,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raikes,
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England, on Monday, the 1st proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of £2,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 6th July, 1889, and will be payable at three or six months after date, at the option of the persons tendering, viz.:—on the 6th October, or 6th January next, respectively.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.