

1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Captains:—

D. H. Nagel. Dated 4th October, 1890.

F. A. Dixey. Dated 4th October, 1890.

J. T. A. Haines. Dated 4th October, 1890.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

S. B. Martin. Dated 4th October, 1890.

J. H. Wyatt. Dated 4th October, 1890.

J. Adam. Dated 4th October, 1890.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. A. Kanthack is appointed Acting Surgeon. Dated 4th October, 1890.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Harold Kearsley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1890.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, Lieutenant R. E. Hodgkinson resigns his Commission. Dated 4th October, 1890.

1st Sutherland (the Sutherland Highland), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

P. Hamilton. Dated 4th October, 1890.

G. Sutherland. Dated 4th October, 1890.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel D. Duncan to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th September, 1890.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

GLASTONBURY FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Henry Matthews, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 26th of September, 1890, a representation has been made to me by the Owners of the Glastonbury Fair, that Fairs have been annually held on the 19th day of September, and the 11th day of October, in each year, respectively, in the Manor of Glastonbury XII Hides, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the dates of the holding of such Fairs should be altered, and that instead of being held as aforesaid such Fairs should be in future annually held on the second Mondays in September and October respectively.

2. On the 30th day of October, 1890, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the said proposed alteration in the times for holding the said Fair.

Henry Matthews.

Whitehall, September 29, 1890.

Whitehall, September 30, 1890.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that he has certified the Blackburn School Board Day Industrial School, Mayson-street, Blackburn, as a Day Industrial School for the purposes of "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," and the Order in Council of the 20th March, 1877.

PARCEL POST. 30th September, 1890.

THE UNITED KINGDOM AND HELIGOLAND.

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:—

1. All Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury now in force so far as they relate to the transmission by post of Parcels between the United Kingdom and Heligoland shall be repealed, revoked, and annulled, on and as from the day on which this Warrant comes into operation.

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation, the expression "Germany" in all Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury relating to the transmission of Parcels between the United Kingdom and Germany shall be construed to mean and include Heligoland, and such Warrants shall be read and construed as if Heligoland had been expressly mentioned therein.

3. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Dated this thirtieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Herbert Eustace Maxwell,

W. H. Walrond,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raihes,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

TELEGRAMS FOR GERMAN EAST AFRICA.

TELEGRAMS can now be forwarded to German East Africa by the route of the Eastern Telegraph Company, or via France, at a charge of 7s. 11d. for each word.

The only offices at present open are at Bagamoyo and Dar-es-Salaam.

TELEGRAMS FOR MADAGASCAR, THE ISLAND OF MAYOTTA, THE COMORO ISLANDS, AND BOURBON (REUNION).

TELEGRAMS for the Islands mentioned above are forwarded by post from Zanzibar, Aden, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, or Durban.

In addition to the ordinary charge for transmission to the places named a sum of 5d. is chargeable to the sender for postage.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board prescribing Forms of Advertisements and Notices under Part I of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890:—

To the several Urban Sanitary Authorities for the time-being in England and Wales;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 8 of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890, We, the Local Government Board, are constituted the Confirming Authority for every Improvement Scheme made by an Urban Sanitary Authority in pursuance of Part I of that Act;

And whereas by Section 27 of the same Act it is enacted that the Confirming Authority may by Order prescribe the Forms of Advertisements and Notices under Part I of that Act; and that it shall not be obligatory on any persons to adopt such Forms, but the same, when adopted, shall be deemed sufficient for all the purposes of that part of the said Act: