

Warwickshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignations of the Commissions held by Lieutenant John Digby Wingfield Digby, and Cornet John Newdigate Francis Astley.

Durham Artillery Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Second Lieutenant Arthur Munro.

3rd Durham Rifle Volunteers.

MEMORANDUM.

The name of the gentleman appointed Lieutenant in this Corps is Martin Wiener, and not Martin Warner, as previously gazetted. And the name of the gentleman appointed Ensign in this Corps is John Marsters, and not John Masters, as previously gazetted.

MEMORANDUM.

London Rifle Volunteer Brigade.

Major William Anderson Rose is transferred from the 2nd to the 1st Battalion. Dated 23rd October, 1860.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignations of Captain John William Thomas Locke and Captain Thomas Peach, both of the 1st Derbyshire Militia.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in the session of parliament holden in the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter sixty-five, for authorizing the Commissioners of the Treasury to further regulate the postage on re-directed letters of commissioned and warrant officers, seamen and soldiers, whilst on actual service, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are empowered by Warrant under their hands, to authorize all letters received by the post on their own private concerns, by commissioned officers and warrant officers, whether in the army or the navy, and midshipmen and master's mates in the navy, whether at home or abroad; and by commissioned and warrant officers, midshipmen, and master's mates, in Her Majesty's Indian military and naval forces, and by seamen employed in Her Majesty's navy, whether at home or abroad; and by serjeants, corporals, drummers, trumpeters, fifers, and private soldiers in Her Majesty's regular forces, militia, fencible regiments, artillery, or royal marines, whether at home or abroad; and by serjeants, corporals, drummers, trumpeters, fifers, private soldiers and seamen, in Her Majesty's Indian military and naval forces, whilst respectively actually employed in Her Majesty's service, to be delivered to all such persons respectively, free of foreign postage, chargeable on or in respect of re-direction on such letters, when such letters shall have been re-directed and again forwarded by the post, and transmitted or sent through any foreign country (the several conditions imposed by the fifty-third section of the Act of the third and fourth Victoria, chapter ninety-six, with respect to letters received by the post by the privileged persons therein mentioned, being duly observed, with respect to letters to be received by the post, by such

seamen, serjeants, corporals, drummers, trumpeters, fifers, and private soldiers respectively, as aforesaid); and also by Warrant under their hands, to reduce or remit the rates of postage, British or Colonial, which might be chargeable by law on or in respect of re-direction on all letters received by the post on their own private concerns, by commissioned officers and warrant officers, whether in the army or navy, and midshipmen and master's mates in the navy, whether at home or abroad; and by commissioned officers and warrant officers, midshipmen, and master's mates in Her Majesty's Indian military and naval forces whilst respectively actually employed in Her Majesty's service, which shall have been re-directed and again forwarded by the post.

And whereas it is expedient to regulate the postage on certain re-directed letters of commissioned and warrant officers, seamen, and soldiers, whilst on actual service, as hereinafter mentioned.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers given and reserved to us, in and by the said recited Act of Parliament, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners (by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided), order, direct, and declare as follows:—

1. All letters received by the post on their own private concerns, by commissioned officers and warrant officers, whether in the army or the navy, and midshipmen and master's mates in the navy, whether at home or abroad; and by commissioned and warrant officers, midshipmen, and master's mates in Her Majesty's Indian military and naval forces, and by seamen employed in Her Majesty's navy, whether at home or abroad; and by serjeants, corporals, drummers, trumpeters, fifers, and private soldiers, in Her Majesty's regular forces, militia, fencible regiments, artillery, or royal marines, whether at home or abroad; and by serjeants, corporals, drummers, trumpeters, fifers, private soldiers and seamen, in Her Majesty's Indian military and naval forces whilst respectively actually employed in Her Majesty's service, shall be delivered to all such persons respectively, free of foreign postage, chargeable on or in respect of re-direction on such letters, when such letters shall have been re-directed and again forwarded by the post, and transmitted or sent through any foreign country.

2. Every such letter so to be received by the post by any seaman, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, under or by virtue of this Warrant, must not exceed half an ounce in weight, and the postage of every such letter (unless the same be sent from parts beyond the seas) must be paid (or every such letter, if posted within the United Kingdom, must be duly and properly stamped) upon putting it into a post office established under the authority of the Postmaster General, and must be directed to every such seaman, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, specifying on the superscription thereof, the vessel or the regiment, corps or detachment, to which he shall belong, and the Deputy Postmaster of the place to which such letter shall be sent to be delivered, must not deliver such letter to any person except the seaman, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, to whom it shall be directed, or to some person appointed to receive the same by writing under the hand of the officer in command; and whenever any such

letter so to be received by any such seaman, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, shall be sent from parts beyond the seas without the postage of one penny being prepaid thereon, every such letter must be charged to the party receiving the same with a rate of twopence. And whenever any such letter so to be received by any such seaman, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, shall be conveyed by private ships, the gratuities payable by law to the masters of such vessels in respect of such letters must in all cases be paid to the Post Office in addition to the postage.

3. In all cases in which a letter sent by the post on their own private concerns, addressed to any commissioned officer in the army or the navy, respectively, whilst actually employed in Her Majesty's service in any of Her Majesty's colonies, or on any foreign station, and before the delivery of such letter at the place of its address, the officer to whom it shall be addressed shall, in the execution of his duty, have removed from that place to any other place (whether at home or abroad) (except as in the next clause of this Warrant is mentioned), every such letter shall be re-directed to such officer at such other place, and shall be forwarded to the latter place, and any postage, British or Colonial, chargeable by law on or in respect of such re-direction, shall be and the same is hereby remitted, and such officer shall not be charged with more than the postage which would have been payable for such re-directed letter in case the same had been delivered at the place to which it was originally addressed.

4. Provided that the last preceding clause shall not apply to any letter sent by the post from any one place in the United Kingdom addressed to any commissioned officer at any other place in the United Kingdom, and who before the delivery thereof at the place of its address shall, in the execution of his duty, have removed from that place to any place beyond the seas, which last-mentioned letter shall be chargeable with the same rates of postage to which it would be liable anything in the said last-preceding clause contained notwithstanding.

5. The several terms and expressions used in this Warrant shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as they would have had if inserted in the Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-six, for the regulation of the duties of postage.

6. The Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury may, by Warrant under their hands duly made, at any time hereafter alter, repeal, or revoke any of the orders or directions hereby made, and may make and establish other orders or directions in lieu thereof.

7. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of November next.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twenty-second day of October, 1860.

John Bagwell.

E. W. Knatchbull Hugesson.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, October 23, 1860.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the proceeds received and tonnage bounty awarded for the

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schooner, name unknown, captured on the 17th August, 1859, by Her Majesty's ship Triton.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said proceeds are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any captor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 23rd day of October, 1860,

Is Twenty-seven Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN.

No Return has been made of the Sale of BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR, the Produce of the MAURITIUS, in the Week ending as above.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Thirty Shillings and Three Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight.

The AVERAGE PRICE of the two foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Twenty-eight Shillings and Three Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

*WILLIAM RUCK,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company*

Grocers'-Hall, October 26, 1860.

Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorized by 18 and 19 Vict., cap. 63, sec. 13, for the dissolution of a Friendly Society called the Star of Wigan Division of the Order of Sons of Temperance, held at the Independent Methodist School, Scholes-Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England on the 24th day of October, 1860.

John Tidd Pratt, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

London, 24th day of October, 1860.