

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

A. R. Scott. Dated 1st February, 1890.

G. G. Tait. Dated 1st February, 1890.

4th (Stirlingshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Light Infantry) Captain and Honorary Major D. Frew to be Major. Dated 1st February, 1890.

Lieutenant J. M. Lawson is appointed Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st February, 1890.

5th Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant J. Hunter to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1890.

1st Dumbartonshire, Captain and Honorary Major A. Pollock resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 1st February, 1890.

15th Middlesex (the Customs and the Docks), Captain W. H. Veale resigns his Commission. Dated 1st February, 1890.

19th Middlesex (St. Giles's and St. George's, Bloomsbury), Captain C. J. Davenport is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st February, 1890.

24th Middlesex, Lieutenant G. B. Michell to be Captain. Dated 1st February, 1890.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Harry Earnest Sheldon, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1890.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

George Augustus Duncombe, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Walter Clay Jalland, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

27th January, 1890.

INLAND POST CARDS. TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts, or any of them, and of all other 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. This Warrant shall be read as one with the Warrant dated the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and relating to Inland Postal Packets, and the Warrants amending the same.

2. On and as from the day upon which this Warrant comes into operation Clause 10 of the said Warrant of the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, shall be repealed.

3. Subject to the provisions of this Warrant, and of the said Warrant of the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, nothing whatever shall be in any manner attached to a Post Card except a Postage and Inland Revenue Stamp or Stamps in payment of additional postage or stamp duty, nor shall a Post Card be cut or folded or otherwise altered.

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

Dated this twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Herbert Eustace Marwe'll,

Sidney Herbert,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raihes,

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

TELEGRAMS FOR MOMBASSA (EAST COAST OF AFRICA).

TELEGRAMS are now accepted for transmission to Mombassa (East Coast of Africa) by the route of the Eastern Telegraph Company, or via France, at a charge of 7s. 9d. per word.

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 Friday, the 7th proximo, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2 and 52 Vic., cap. 4, to the amount of £1,500,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 13th February, 1890, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or twelve months after date, at the option of the persons tendering, viz:— on the 13th May, or 13th August next, or 13th February, 1891, 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.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Saturday, the 8th proximo, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Thursday, the 13th proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, January 28, 1890.

LIST of Tradesmen who hold Warrants of Appointment from the Lord Steward, with Authority to Use the Royal Arms:—

Bread and Biscuits.—Thomas Barker, Freeman and Challice, Francis Lemann, S. Petrzywalski, Eliza Radford, F. Stewart and Co.; Huntley and Palmers, Reading; Tull and Son, Windsor; Holderness and Son, Windsor; Henry Vine, Isle of Wight; T. Darracott, Aldershot; Henry Jones, Bristol; A. Romary, Tunbridge Wells; J. W. Mackie and Sons, Mackenzie and Mackenzie, and Lawson and Son, Edinburgh; Mitchell and Muil, Aberdeen; Keith and Ralston, Stirling; Patrick Boland, Dublin; Kirkland Bros., Liverpool; C. Feuz, Aix-les-Bains; Mary, Annie, and Harriet Humphreys, Corwen, North Wales; V. Balboni, Florence; Louis Laulhé, Biarritz.

Flour.—John Vidler, Windsor.

Oatmeal.—George Gunn, Banbury.

Cattle Food.—Joseph Thorley.

Linseed and Cotton Cake.—Walter Graham and Co., West Drayton.

Pheasants' Food.—Gilbertson and Page, Hertford.