

The following Officers are continued in their appointments on promotion on half-pay:—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Alexander, Inspector of Gymnasia, Bengal. Dated 27th March, 1890.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. James, Inspector of Gymnasia, Madras and Bombay. Dated 8th October, 1890.

Lieutenant-Colonel P. D. Jeffreys, Assistant Adjutant-General, Bengal Establishment. Dated 26th October, 1889.

The following appointments have been made to the Personal Staff in India:—

Lieutenant L. Herbert, Indian Staff Corps, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy and Governor-General. Dated 1st May, 1891.

Captain A. E. Sandbach, Royal Engineers, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General W. K. Elles, C.B., Commanding a First Class District of the Bengal Army. Dated 27th December, 1890.

Lieutenant H. Hudson, Indian Staff Corps, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General Sir J. Hudson, K.C.B., Commanding a First Class District of the Bengal Army. Dated 3rd September, 1890.

War Office, 14th July, 1891.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Forfar and Kincardine Artillery (Southern Division), Captain G. H. Morrison (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel, retired, late 5th Lancashire Rifle Volunteers), resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 15th July, 1891.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Lieutenant A. H. L. Cleland resigns his Commission. Dated 15th July, 1891.

3rd Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major A. G. Duberly (Major, retired pay) resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 15th July, 1891.

4th Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. H. P. Harrison. Dated 15th July, 1891
F. M. Colville. Dated 15th July, 1891.

3rd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, Captain W. E. J. Green-Emmott resigns his Commission. Dated 15th July, 1891.

3rd Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Gerald Robinson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th June, 1891.

4th Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant S. D. E. Hall resigns his Commission. Dated 4th July, 1891.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Gloucestershire (Royal Gloucestershire Hussars), Second Lieutenant the Honourable E. V. Gifford to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th July, 1891.

Yorkshire Dragoons, Captain R. H. Jones is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th July, 1891.

Charles Edward Jeffcock, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th July, 1891.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh.

John Robert Burton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

10th June, 1891.

PATTERN AND SAMPLE POST TO AND FROM CANADA.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, 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. The Regulations made by any Treasury Warrants now in force as to the weight, length, breadth, and depth of a pattern or sample packet posted in the United Kingdom addressed to any place within the Dominion of Canada, or posted in the Dominion of Canada addressed to the United Kingdom, shall be and the same are hereby annulled.

2. In lieu thereof the limits of weight, length, breadth, and depth for all such packets shall in future be respectively as follows, that is to say: the limit of weight shall be twelve ounces, the limit of length twelve inches, the limit of breadth eight inches, and the limit of depth four inches.

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

Dated this tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Sidney Herbert,

W. H. Walrond,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Henry Cecil Raihes,

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 20th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, 51 and 52 Vic., cap. 32, and 52 Vic., cap. 4, to the amount of £3,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 25th July, 1891, 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 25th October, or 25th January next, or 25th July, 1892, 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 Tuesday, the 21st instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than one o'clock, on Saturday, the 25th instant.

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

Treasury Chambers, July 10, 1891.