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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1858.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 24, 1858.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed to the public after this day until further orders.

Downing-Street, December 22, 1858.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Ivor Murray, Esq., M. D., to be Colonial Surgeon for the Island of Hong Kong.

Commission signed by the Queen.

West Essex Militia.

Robert Otho Travers, Esq., late Captain in King's Dragoon Guards, to be Adjutant from 27th November, 1858, vice Boggis, resigned. Dated 7th December, 1858.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Queen's Own Regiment of Oxfordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet William Fermor Ramsay to be Lieutenant, vice Dashwood, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1858.

Cornet Henry Elwes to be Lieutenant, vice Fitz-Roy, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1858.

Henry Lomax Gaskell, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Dormer, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1858.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

George Henry Bengough, Esq., to be Captain, vice Worthington, resigned. Dated 21st December, 1858.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.

2nd Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

Edward George McDougall Ick, Gent., from 2nd West York Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice James Broff Byers, resigned. Dated 20th December, 1858.

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

Forfar and Kincardine Militia Artillery.

Francis Barclay Grahame, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant, vice McWhannel, promoted. Dated 30th November, 1858.

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

Stirlingshire, &c., Highland Borderers Light Infantry Regiment of British Militia.

Edward Horrocks, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Dunlop, appointed to the Line.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the County of Ayr.

Royal Ayrshire Rifles.

Thomas Alexander Riddell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th December, 1858.

Whitehall, November 30, 1858.

The Right Honourable Sir Alexander Edmund Cockburn, Bart., Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas at Westminster, has appointed John Simpson, of Henrietta-street, Cavendish-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgement of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Middlesex, also in and for the city of London, and the city and liberties of Westminster.