

- nd Lanarkshire*, Lieutenant James Naismith to be Captain. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Lieutenant Thomas Campbell resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 3rd Lanarkshire*, Lieutenant John Stirling Millen resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 10th Lanarkshire (Glasgow Highland)*, George Bell Todd, Gent., M.B., to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 6th Lancashire (1st Manchester)*, The under-mentioned Officers resign their Commissions :—
 Captain Russell Allen. Dated 20th March, 1886.
 Lieutenant William Humphreys. Dated 20th March, 1886.
 Ralph Dunn, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 7th Lancashire*, Maurice Edgar Shaw, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 16th Lancashire (3rd Manchester)*, Gerard Sunderland Leresche, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 20th Lancashire (2nd Manchester)*, Thomas Wilding Ashworth, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 22nd Lancashire*, William Patterson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment*, Lieutenant Robert Mackinder resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Acting Chaplain the Reverend William Wright Layng resigns his appointment. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment*, Arthur Bott, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 2nd London*, Denham William Westmacott, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 2nd (South) Middlesex*, Lieutenant William Benjamin Hards to be Captain. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 6th Middlesex (St. George's)*, Dudley William Wilson, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 11th Middlesex (Railway)*, Captain Edward Miller Gard Eddy resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Lieutenant Frederick William Thompson to be Captain. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Henry Hyman Haldinstein, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 20th Middlesex (Artists')*, Major Adolphus Charles White resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Captain William Wallace Bruce to be Major. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Lieutenant Arthur James Davidson to be Captain. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 24th Middlesex*, Thomas George Stuart, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment*, Acting Surgeon Herbert Francis Prince resigns his appointment. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Perthshire*, Lieutenant Alexander Souter resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Ross-shire (Ross Highland)*, Captain Andrew Mackenzie resigns his Commission. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 2nd Shropshire*, Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Taylor Masefield is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Major George Gordon Warren is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Captain Joseph H. Wilkinson to be Major. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Lieutenant Arthur John Rabone to be Captain. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 7th Surrey*, Acting Surgeon Julius Cæsar resigns his appointment. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Henry Ernest Price, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Westmoreland*, Edward Alexander Heelis, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 1st Wiltshire*, The resignation of Captain Thomas Ponting, announced in the London Gazette of the 28th October, 1884, is cancelled.
- 1st West Riding of Yorkshire*, Captain Tom Gibson Hawdon to be Major. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- John George Parker Parker Toulson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- Lieutenant William T. Garnett, from the 2nd West Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry, to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants :—
 Theodore Christophers. Dated 20th March, 1886.
 Harry Kearsley. Dated 20th March, 1886.
 Ernest Edwin Meek. Dated 20th March, 1886.
 Frederick Hugh Munby. Dated 20th March, 1886.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Francis Henry Dübs Vickerman, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th March, 1886.

THE VOLUNTEER MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

Richard Lake, Gent., to be Surgeon. Dated 20th March, 1886.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WHEREAS under a Convention lately entered into between the Postmaster-General of the United Kingdom and the Imperial German Postal Administration, each party guarantees the right of transit for Parcels over their territory, to or from any country with which they respectively have Parcel Post communication, subject to the stipulations in the said Convention contained.

And whereas the Imperial German Postal Administration has a Parcel Post communication with Switzerland, and the said Postal Administration has agreed with Her Majesty's Postmaster-General to effect the exchange of Parcels transmitted by post by way of Germany between the United Kingdom and Switzerland upon the terms in the said Convention mentioned.

And whereas the Postal Administration of Switzerland has agreed to accept from the Postal

Administration of Germany Parcels posted in England and addressed to places in Switzerland, and to deliver such Parcels and also to allow Parcels addressed to England to be posted in Switzerland and to hand such Parcels to the Postal Administration of Germany for transmission to England.

And whereas it is expedient for the due carrying out of the said arrangement that certain rates of postage to be charged in respect of Parcels should be fixed as hereinafter appears, and that Parcels should be posted, forwarded, conveyed, and delivered, subject to the regulations, conditions, prohibitions, and restrictions hereinafter appearing.

Now, 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:—

Interpretation Clause.

1.—(1.) The expressions "Parcels" and "Parcel" in this Warrant respectively mean any postal packet, which is posted as a parcel, in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

(2.) The expression "United Kingdom" includes the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

(3.) The expression "Lord Lieutenant" means the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland for the time being.

(4.) The expression "arms" includes any cannon, gun, revolver, pistol, and any description of fire-arms, also any sword, cutlass, pike, and bayonet, also any part of any arms as so defined.

(5.) The expression "ammunition" includes bullets, gunpowder, nitro-glycerine, dynamite, guncotton, and every other explosive substance, whether fitted for use with any arms or otherwise.

(6.) The expression "prohibited district in Ireland" means any place in Ireland in respect of which the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, by and with the advice of the Privy Council in Ireland, may have made or may make orders for prohibiting or regulating therein the sale or importation of arms and ammunition.

Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and Switzerland.

Maximum Dimensions and Weight.

3. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant from the United Kingdom any Parcel the dimensions of which shall exceed in any direction two feet, or which shall exceed in weight seven pounds.

Rates of Postage.

4. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant from the United Kingdom to Switzerland there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

If such Parcels are sent by way of Hamburg:

On every Parcel not exceeding three pounds in weight, one shilling and five pence.

On every Parcel exceeding three pounds and not exceeding seven pounds in weight, two shillings.

If such Parcels are sent by way of Belgium:

On every Parcel not exceeding three pounds in weight, one shilling and nine pence.

On every Parcel exceeding three pounds and not exceeding seven pounds in weight, two shillings and two pence.

Prepayment.

5. The postage on Parcels posted in the United Kingdom shall in all cases (except as otherwise provided in this Warrant) be prepaid at the time of posting by means of adhesive postage stamps.

Times of Posting.

6. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post may, in the United Kingdom, be posted on any day of the week except Sunday, but shall not be posted on Sundays, or in England or Ireland, on Christmas Day or Good Friday, and in Scotland on either of the two Sacramental Fast Days, except in the cases next hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Where the delivery of Parcels on Sundays, or any of the other days aforesaid, at certain Post Offices, to addressees calling for the same, may hereafter be specially authorized by the Postmaster-General, the posting of Parcels on Sundays, or such other days as aforesaid, at such offices respectively, shall also be permitted within such times and in such manner as may be directed by the Postmaster-General.

Mode of Posting.

7. Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant, all Parcels shall in the United Kingdom be posted by being handed in at a Post Office in the manner hereinafter provided, within the hours during which such office shall be open to the public for the posting of Parcels.

Posting at Post Offices.

8. The following provisions shall apply to the posting of Parcels at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, that is to say:—

(1.) It shall be the duty of the person bringing a Parcel to hand it to an officer on duty at the counter in such office.

(2.) Such Parcel must bear the name and address of the sender and the exact direction of the addressee, and must be packed in a manner adequate for the length of the journey, and for the protection of the contents. The Parcel must also be so packed as to prevent any tampering with its contents without leaving an obvious trace of its violation, and must be sealed by means of sealing wax, lead, or otherwise, with some impress or mark of the sender. Such Parcel must also be accompanied by or have affixed to it a declaration of such kind, and stating the contents of the Parcel in such manner and form and with such other particulars as the Commissioners of Customs and the Postmaster-General may prescribe.

(3.) Such Parcel shall be measured and weighed by such officer, and (if such Parcel do not exceed the limits of measurement or weight hereinbefore mentioned) the postage thereof according to the rates hereinbefore respectively mentioned shall be paid by means of postage stamps affixed to such Parcel, and shall be verified by such officer, and no such Parcel shall be forwarded by the post without the before-mentioned requirements being complied with; and if any such Parcel shall be left at a Post Office without such requirements being complied with, such Parcel shall, except as hereinafter mentioned, be detained and may be returned or given up to the sender thereof or otherwise

dealt with or disposed of in any manner authorized by this Warrant.

9. Any packet transmissible by Parcel Post from the United Kingdom which from any words or marks thereon, or other external evidence, appears to have been intended for transmission as a Parcel, but which has not been tendered for transmission as a Parcel, but has been posted in a Post Office Letter-box or otherwise than according to the manner hereinbefore prescribed for the posting of Parcels may, in the discretion of the Postmaster-General, either be detained and returned or given up to the sender, or if the said Packet is fully prepaid with the Letter or Book Packet rate of postage and otherwise conforms to the Regulations as to the Letter or Book Post may be forwarded as a Letter or Book Packet (as the case may be).

Collection of Parcels.

10. The Postmaster-General may, if he think fit, from time to time authorize such of his officers as he may direct to receive Parcels for the Post under such regulations and conditions as he may from time to time prescribe.

Retention of Parcels at Postes Restantes.

11. Any Parcel addressed to a Post Office in the United Kingdom "to be called for" shall, if not called for, remain in such office for a period of one week after the date of the arrival of such Parcel thereat, and shall then be dealt with as provided in this Warrant.

Parcels for Places beyond limits of free Delivery.

12. If the place of address in the United Kingdom of any Parcel be beyond the limits of the free postal delivery of any town or district to which the same may be forwarded by post, such Parcel shall be detained at the nearest Post Office until an opportunity of delivering the same shall occur, or in default of any such opportunity until a period of one week shall have elapsed from the time of the receipt of the Parcel at such Post Office. Upon the expiration of such period without such Parcel having been called for, such Parcel shall be dealt with as provided in this Warrant.

Parcels addressed to Ships.

13. Any Parcel addressed to a ship at any port in the United Kingdom shall, if from any cause such Parcel cannot be delivered at such ship, be detained at the Post Office at such port for a period of one calendar month, and if not delivered at the expiration of that time such Parcel shall be dealt with as provided in this Warrant.

Return and Disposal of Undelivered Parcels.

14. With regard to

(a.) Parcels which are addressed to a Post Office in the United Kingdom to be called for, or to a place in the United Kingdom beyond the limits of the free postal delivery of any town or district, or to a ship at any port of the United Kingdom, and which are not called for or delivered within the respective times in this Warrant specified in that behalf; and

(b.) Parcels which cannot be delivered in the United Kingdom for want of a true direction, or by reason that the addressee is dead, or cannot be found, or has refused the same, or has refused to pay any charges thereon, or for any other sufficient reason;

The following provisions shall apply, that is to say:—

(1.) The Parcel shall, as the Postmaster-General may from time to time direct, be retained at or forthwith forwarded to such

place as the Postmaster-General may from time to time appoint, and may, if necessary, be there opened and examined.

- (2.) Notice shall be given to the sender through the Post Office of Switzerland that the Parcel will, in default of any claim on the part of the addressee, be given up to the sender's agent upon personal application at such place as aforesaid, or at the request of the sender will be returned to him by post upon payment of such charges as are hereinafter mentioned.
- (3.) The notice shall state that in default of the receipt by the Postmaster-General of an application for the parcel, during a period to be specified in such notice from some person who, in the Postmaster-General's judgment, is entitled to receive the Parcel, it will be disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct.
- (4.) The Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, specify in any such notice, or otherwise, the periods during which Parcels may be returned to the senders thereof, and in so doing may have regard to the nature and contents of Parcels.
- (5.) A Parcel shall not be given up or returned by post to the sender except upon payment by him of any charge for redirection or other charge to which the Parcel has become liable under the provisions of this Warrant, or of any such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of the "Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."
- (6.) Where the sender requests a Parcel to be returned to him by post, such Parcel shall not be returned to the sender except upon payment by him of a new and distinct rate of postage, according to the rates fixed by this Warrant, and all other charges to which the Parcel has become liable.
- (7.) The Postmaster-General may require proof to his satisfaction that an applicant for a Parcel is entitled to receive the same.
- (8.) Where no application is made for a Parcel within the period specified in any such notice as aforesaid, or an applicant fails to prove to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that he is entitled to receive the Parcel, or refuses or fails to pay the charges to which the Parcel has become liable under this Warrant, the Parcel may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct or authorize.
- (9.) If at any time while a Parcel remains in the possession of the Postmaster-General it becomes offensive or injurious to any officer of the Post Office, or other person, or to other Parcels, it may forthwith be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize, notwithstanding that the provisions of this Warrant as to the return of such Parcel, have not been or have only partially been complied with.

Re-direction of Parcels.

15. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom, to any country or place with which a Parcel Post to or from the United Kingdom or Switzerland is established, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of such re-direction a new and distinct rate of postage according to the rates for the time being payable in respect of the transmission of a like Parcel from the United Kingdom to the country or place to which

it may be re-directed, and such postage, if not paid at the time of such re-direction, shall be collected on the delivery of the Parcel to the addressee.

16. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom to any other address within the United Kingdom, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of each such re-direction, and paid by the addressee thereof in money upon the delivery of such Parcel, a new and distinct rate of postage, equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been originally chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland parcel.

Remission of Re-direction Rates.

17. The Postmaster-General may wholly remit the rate of postage for re-direction on any Parcel addressed to the United Kingdom which may, on the request of the addressee thereof, be re-directed by an Officer of the Post Office and again forwarded by post to the same person at any address within the limits of the same free postal delivery as the address from which such Parcel was so re-directed.

Prohibitions.

18. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post any Parcel consisting of or containing any indecent or obscene picture, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, print, book or card, or any indecent or obscene article or thing of any other kind or any Parcel having thereon, or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, libellous, or grossly offensive character, and if any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which *prima facie* appears to be, or which any Officer of the Post Office may have reasonable cause to suspect to be, a Parcel within the description aforesaid, the same shall be detained, opened, and examined, and if on such examination it be found to infringe this or any other of the Regulations contained in this or any other Treasury Warrant relating to the Post Office, it may be dealt with and disposed of in any manner which may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

19. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post:—

- (1.) Any Parcel containing or bearing any letter or communication in the nature of a letter, or any article or thing not authorized by the Customs or other laws of Switzerland.
- (2.) Any Parcel containing any substance, material, article, or thing of any kind whatsoever, which might, in the course of transmission through the post, be or become, or be rendered injurious to any officer of the Post Office, or any other person who may deal with such Parcel, or to any bag, basket, box, or other receptacle in or by which such Parcel may be conveyed by post, or to any other Parcel or other contents of any such receptacle.
- (3.) Any Parcel consisting of or enclosing any bladder or other membranous substance containing a liquid of any kind.
- (4.) Any Parcel containing a live animal of any kind whatsoever.
- (5.) Any Parcel which either from the nature of the contents thereof, or from the absence of proper packing or covering, is, in the opinion of the Postmaster-General or his officers, likely to injure any person in the course of the conveyance of the Parcel through the post, or any receptacle in or by which such Parcel may be conveyed by post,

or any other Parcel or any other contents of such receptacle.

Any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by post, may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of in such other manner as may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

20. There shall not be posted or tendered for conveyance by post any Parcel consisting of or containing more than one Parcel or other Postal Packet, where any one of such Packets is intended for delivery to a person other than the addressee of such Parcel, and any such Parcel if posted or tendered for conveyance by post may be detained and either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or dealt with or disposed of as the Postmaster-General may authorize.

21. There shall not be conveyed or tendered or delivered for conveyance by post in or to any prohibited district in Ireland any Parcel containing arms or ammunition, and any such Parcel, if posted or tendered or delivered for conveyance by post as aforesaid, may be detained and opened and returned to the sender thereof, or otherwise dealt with according to law.

Non-compliance with Regulations.

22. In any case not hereinbefore expressly provided for, where any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which in any respect infringes or fails to comply with the regulations in this Warrant contained, or any of them, such Parcel may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, either be dealt with as in this Warrant provided, with reference to Parcels which cannot be delivered, or be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

Provision for safety of Parcels.

23. In any case where any officer of the Post Office may find it necessary or expedient for the safety or protection of Parcels that any Parcel should be forwarded or delivered by some later despatch or delivery than that for which the same was posted or despatched, or intended to be posted or despatched respectively, he may delay the despatch or delivery of such Parcel, or make such other and special arrangements as to the despatch or delivery thereof, not, however, involving a greater delay than 24 hours in the whole, as may be deemed by such officer necessary or expedient in the circumstances of the case.

Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.

24. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.

25. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect or in consequence of any loss of or damage to any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

Customs Regulations.

26. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of the "Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

Remission of Postage.

27. The Postmaster-General may, in any case in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

Commencement of Warrant.

28. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

Dated this seventeenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

E. J. Reed,

G. Leveson-Gower,

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Wolverton,

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 Tuesday, the 30th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Act 40 Vic., cap. 2, to the amount of £2,195,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 7th April, 1886, and will be payable at three or six months after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz. :—on the 7th July or 7th October next, 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 Wednesday, the 31st instant, 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 Wednesday, the 7th proximo.

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

Treasury Chambers, March 18, 1886.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of five hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Saint Giles, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, and in the diocese of Lichfield, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of fifteen pounds, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Saint Giles, Shrewsbury, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of fifteen pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our

opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of five hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Gildersome, in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of fifteen pounds, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Gildersome, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of fifteen pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of one thousand pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Dymock, in the county of Gloucester, and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of thirty pounds, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Dymock, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of thirty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend so payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed