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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, September 20, 1880.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government declaring the port of Ceara, as well as all the other ports of that Province, free from yellow fever since the 5th July last.

Admiralty, 20th September, 1880.

Royal Marine Forces.

THE undermentioned Gentlemen have been appointed, 1st September, 1880, Lieutenants in the Royal Marine Light Infantry:—

Mr. Richard Hugh Montgomery.
Mr. Graham D'Arcy Anderson.
Mr. Charles Chamier.
Mr. John Hall Hill.
Mr. Augustus George Monckton.
Mr. Archibald George Brabazon Urmston.
Mr. Michael Alfred Colin Huggins.
Mr. Francis Edward Watson.
Mr. Clarence Herbert Macdonald.
Mr. Fitzroy Tufton Holt Scott.
Mr. Gervis Taylor Byrne.
Mr. William Price Drury.

Admiralty, 21st September, 1880.

Royal Marine Forces.

THE following promotions, dated 11th September, 1880, have taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz.:—

Captain Thomas Palmer Norton to be Major, vice Arbuckle, deceased.
Lieutenant Arthur Domville Corbet to be Captain, vice Norton.

War Office, Pall Mall,

21st September, 1880.

Royal Engineers, Major Edward Robert Festing, upon the Permanent Reserve List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Major George Watts Stockley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. P. Maquay, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Captain and Brevet Major John Charles Ardagh, C.B., upon the Seconded List, to be Major. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Captain William Emerson Peck to be Major, vice G. W. Stockley. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Lieutenant George Alexander Cockburn to be Captain, vice W. E. Peck. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Lieutenant William Whiteford Bell Whiteford to be Captain, vice W. H. James, who retires, receiving a gratuity. Dated 22nd September, 1880.

Staff, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Upton Prior, 100th Foot, to be Garrison Instructor at Aldershot, in succession to Captain and Brevet Major Wilkinson Shaw, 102nd Foot, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st October, 1880.

Commissariat and Transport Staff, The appointment of Deputy-Commissary Sidney George Granville, Commissariat and Transport Department, to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General, dated 31st January, 1880, as notified in the Gazette of 12th March, 1880, and his subsequent promotion to be Assistant-Commissary-General, dated 1st April, 1880, as notified in the Gazette of 2nd April, 1880, are cancelled.

Commissariat and Transport Department, Deputy-Commissary Sidney George Granville has been retired under Article 58 of the Royal Warrant of 31st January, 1880. Dated 9th September, 1880.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

LUTON STATUTE FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Sir William Vernon Harcourt, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 21st day of August, 1880, a representation has been duly made to me by the Justices of the borough of Luton, that a Fair has been annually held on the third Friday after the first Monday in September in the said borough, called the Luton Statute Fair, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished:

2. On the 16th day of October, 1880, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

W. V. Harcourt.

Whitehall, September 16, 1880.

Civil Service Commission, September 20, 1880.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for one situation of Clerk in a Metropolitan Police Court, held in London on the 31st August, 1880, and following days, under Regulations dated 16th July, 1880, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of 16th July, 1880, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

Stanley Saville.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage or benefice of Saint Michael and All Angels, Bedford Park, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage or benefice, one yearly sum or stipend of fifty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the thirteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty, 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: And we do also hereby grant and appropriate out of our said common fund to the said vicarage or benefice of Saint Michael and All Angels, Bedford Park, one capital sum of one thousand and five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage or benefice, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage or benefice of Saint Michael and All Angels, Bedford Park: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion,