War Office, June 30, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :-

The Right Honourable Viscount Eversley, P.C. The Right Honourable Viscount Sherbrooke, P.C.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Divi-sion of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :-

Augustus Keppel Stephenson, Esq., C.B., Solicitor to the Treasury.

To be Ordinary Mémbers of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :-

Edward Walter Hamilton, Esq., of the Office of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.

Thomas Gray, Esq., one of the Assistant Secre-taries of the Board of Trade.

Robert Henry Hobart, Esq., of the War Office.

St. James's Palace, June 27, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Duchess of Buccleuch to be Mistress of the Robes, in the room of the Duchess of Roxburghe, resigned.

St. James's Palace, June 27, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint George William, Viscount Barrington, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Body Guard of Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of William John, Lord Monson, resigned.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the following to be Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, viz. :-

Dudley Charles, Lord de Ros, in the room of Frederick Henry Paul, Lord Methuen, resigned.

Algernon Hawkins Thomond, Earl of Kintore, in the room of John William, Earl of Dalhousie, resigned.

Cornwallis, Viscount Hawarden, in the room of William, Lord Sandhurst, resigned.

John Major, Lord Henniker, in the room of Thomas, Lord Ribblesdale, resigned. John Adrian Louis, Earl of Hopetoun, in the

room of Thomas John, Lord Thurlow, resigned.

William, Lord Elphinstone, in the room of Arthur, Lord Wrottesley, resigned.

Whitehall, July 1, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing the Right Honourable Orlando George Charles, Earl of Bradford, to be Master of the Horse to Her Majesty.

Whitehall, July 1, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Richard Assheton Cross, G.C.B., being one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, an Ecclesiastical Commissioner for England.

Whitehall, July 1, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland constituting and appointing the Right Honourable George Francis Hamilton (commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton); Vice-Admiral Arthur

William Acland Hood, C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir Anthony Hiley Hoskins, K.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Thomas Brandreth; Captain William Codrington, R.N., C.B., A.D.C.; and Ellis Ashmead Barilett, Esq.; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Whitehall, July 1, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Thomas William Kelly, Esq., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Order of the Osmanieh, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, has been pleased to confer upon him, in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed by His Highness beyond Her Majesty's dominions, as Administrator of the Egyptian Daira Sanieh.

Whitehall, July 2, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignities of a Viscount and an Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart., G.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Viscount Saint Cyres, of Newton Saint Cyres, in the county of Devon, and Earl of Iddesleigh, in the said county.

Whitehall, July 2, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the under-mentioned persons and the heirs male of their respective bodies lawfully begotten, namely :-

- Mervyn Edward, Viscount Powerscourt, in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, K.P., by the name, style, and title of Baron Powerscourt, of Powerscourt, in the county of Wicklow.
- Anthony Henley, Baron Henley, in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, by the name, style, and title of Baron Northington, of Watford, in the county of Northampton.
- Sir Nathaniel Mayer Rothschild, Bart., by the name, style, and title of Baron Rothschild, of Tring, in the county of Hertford.
- Edward Charles Baring, Esq., by the name, style, and title of Baron Revelstoke, of Membland, in the county of Devon.
- The Right Honourable Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, by the name, style, and title of Baron Monkswell, of Monkswell, in the county of Devon.
- The Right Honourable Sir Arthur Hobhouse, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hobhouse, of Hadspen, in the county of Somerset.
- Sir Ralph Robert Wheeler Lingen, K.C.B., by the name, style, and title of Baron Lingen, of Lingen, in the county of Hereford.
- The Right Honourable Edward Gibson, Chan-cellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, by the name, style, and title of Baron Ashbourne, of Ashbourne, in the county of Meath.
- Rowland Winn, Esq., by the name, style, and title of Baron Saint Oswald, of Nostell, in the West Riding of the county of York.