Foreign-Office, November 23, 1852.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Richard Bingham, late Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Naples, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General in the Republic of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William R. Holmes, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Batoom, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Diarbekir.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Campbell, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Venice, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Dunkirk.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Daniel Brooke Robertson, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Shanghai, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Amoy.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint John George Cope Lewis Newnham, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Republic of Liberia.

Westminster, November 17, 1852.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to the an Act agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Act, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to make provision concerning Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes payable in the metropolis on the day appointed for the Funeral of Arthur, late Duke of Wellington.

War-Office, 23rd November 1852.

- 1st Dragoon Guards, Ensign Richard G. Bomford Bolton, from the 48th Foot, to be Cornet, by purchase. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 7th Dragoon Guards, Archibald Clevland, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Maclean, appointed to the 13th Light Dragoons. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 10th Light Dragoons, James Alston Clark, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cass, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 16th Light Dragoons, Honourable Hugh Rowley to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Leader, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 1st Regiment of Foot, George Roe Fenwick, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Scroope, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 3rd Foot, Lieutenant Richard George Amherst Luard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Blair, who retires. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Ensign Leonard Sidebottom to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Luard. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- William Ross Turner, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Neville, appointed to the 86th Foot. Dated 23rd November 1852.

- 8th Foot, William Cole Hamilton, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Grierson, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 13th Foot, John Angerstein Rowley, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Montgomery, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 14th Foot, Thomas Prittie Cosby, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Helyar, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Walter Frederick Blunt, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Coote, promoted. Dated 24th November 1852.
- 16th Foot, William Henry Rainsford, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Quin, promoted in the 73rd Foot. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 18th Foot, Robert Hoey-Jex Blake, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Gibbons, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 21st Foot, Lieutenant John Watson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Albouy, deceased. Dated 6th November 1852.
- Second Lieutenant Crofton Peddie to be First Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Watson. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Gentleman Cadet John George Image, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Peddie. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Assistant Staff Surgeon Arthur Jackson Greer to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edge, who resigns. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 22nd Foot, Lawrence Nicholas Dyre Hammond, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Cairneross, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 23rd Foot, Joseph Henry Butler, Gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 25th Foot, James Moorhead, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Harvey, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 27th Foot, William Stackhouse Church Pinwill, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 30th Foot, Gentleman Cadet James Cavendish Hobbs, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice La Touche, deceased. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 35th Foot, Edward Tedlie, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hardinge, who retires. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 37th Foot, Frederick John Nash Ind, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Baker, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 39th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Thomas Hamilton to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet Major Stokes, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Ensign Thomas Carpendale Baird to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hamilton. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Gentleman Cadet Arthur James Phillips Wadman, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Baird. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- Gentleman Cadet Charles Burch Phillipps, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice De Carteret, deceased. Dated 23rd November 1852.
- 40th Foot, Robert Richardson Ellis, Gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Messenger, promoted. Dated 23rd November 1852.