

Foreign-Office, July 22, 1854.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Bell, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General in Algeria.

Foreign-Office, August 1, 1854.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur Edward Kennedy, Esq., Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Sierra Leone and its dependencies, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Sherbro country on the west coast of Africa.

Foreign-Office, August 7, 1854.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. James Duncan Thomson as Consul at Cape Town for His Majesty the King of Portugal.

Osborne, August 3, 1854.

His Royal Highness Prince Albert has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Arthur Penrhyn Stanley, Canon of Canterbury, to be Chaplain in Ordinary to His Royal Highness, vice the Reverend Doctor Richards, deceased.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 7, 1854.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Despatches from Her Majesty's Consuls at the places noted in the margin, containing the information given below, relative to the Quarantine measures that have been adopted in the south of Europe in consequence of the outbreak of cholera :

MARSEILLES—

On vessels from this port, entering the ports of Nice and Genoa, a 5 days' quarantine is imposed ; at Leghorn and Civita Vecchia, 6 days ; at Naples, 10 days at the Lazaret of Nisida ; and in the ports of Spain, 10 days at the Lazaret of Mahon.

LEGHORN—

The quarantine already imposed by the Board of Health of this Port, on vessels arriving from France and Corsica, has been increased to a 9 days' observation ; as also a similar quarantine of observation on vessels arriving there from Genoa and Naples.

ROME—

The Board of Health at Civita Vecchia have subjected all arrivals from Malta to a quarantine of 6 days ; as also those from Marseilles, which is extended also to arrivals from the upper Italian ports, unless it can be proved that no communication whatever has been had with Marseilles.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 7, 1854.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Brussels, reporting that the temporary prohibition to the exportation of Corn from Belgium was to cease on the 31st ultimo ; but that the export of Potatoes was still prohibited.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 8, 1854.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Stockholm, reporting that Liverpool has been declared infected with Cholera, and the ports on the west coast of England, from the Scottish border to the south border of Wales, suspected.

*War-Office, 8th August, 1854.***STAFF.**

Walter Colquhoun Grant, Esq., to be Captain Commandant of the Mounted Staff Corps to be attached to the Army now serving in Turkey, with the rank of Captain in the Army while so employed. Commission to bear date 1st August, 1854.

*Office of Ordnance, 7th August, 1854.**Royal Regiment of Artillery.*

Second Lieutenant Augustus Henry Carr Hamilton to be First Lieutenant, vice Burrowes, deceased. Dated 4th August, 1854.
Second Lieutenant Henry Charles Cuthbert to be First Lieutenant, vice Sir William Johnson, resigned. Dated 4th August, 1854.

MEMORANDUM.

The dates of promotion of the undermentioned officers have been altered as follows, viz. :

Lieutenant Walker to 14th July, 1854.
Lieutenant Hamilton to 17th July, 1854.

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.

Tudor Lavie, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 3rd August, 1854.

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

1st Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Lieutenant Cecil Newton Lane to be Captain, vice Paynter, resigned. Dated 27th July, 1854.

Ensign the Honourable Edward Henry Legge to be Lieutenant, vice Bunney, resigned. Dated 26th July, 1854.

Richard Mills, Gent., late Quartermaster, to be Ensign. Dated 1st June, 1854.

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

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Robert Dod, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 4th August, 1854.

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

Warwickshire Militia.—2nd Regiment.

Butler Dunboyne Moore, Esq., late Captain 89th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 18th July, 1854.