

*Downing-Street, February 9, 1857.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Henry Darling, Esq., now Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its dependencies, to be Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Island of Jamaica and the territories depending thereon; Sir Alexander Bannerman, Knt., now Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Bahama Islands, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its dependencies; Sir Carlo Arthur Henry Rumbold, Bart., to be President and Senior Member of the Council of the Island of Nevis; and Thomas Price, Esq., now Treasurer for the Island of Antigua, to be President and Senior Member of the Executive Council of the Virgin Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Edward W. Alexander, Esq., to be Colonial Surgeon for the Island of St. Helena; Thomas Havers, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Falkland Islands, during the absence of J. R. Longden, Esq.; John J. Robinson, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Province of New Brunswick; William Forgan and John Aldous, Esqs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Island of Prince Edward; and Sholto Thomas Pemberton, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of Nevis.

*Whitehall, February 9, 1857.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Monsell to be President of the General Board of Health.

*Whitehall, January 28, 1857.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Andrew-Johnes Rouse-Boughton, of Downton-Castle, in the county of Hereford, Esquire, second son of Sir William-Edward Rouse-Boughton, late of Downton-Hall, in the county of Salop, Baronet, by Charlotte, his wife, youngest of the three daughters and coheirs of Thomas-Andrew Knight, late of Downton-Castle aforesaid, Esquire, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of his maternal grandfather, the aforesaid Thomas-Andrew Knight, take and henceforth use the surname of Knight, in addition to and after those of Rouse-Boughton, and that he and they may bear the arms of Knight quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Rouse-Boughton; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise with the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Crown Office, February 10, 1857.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Aylesbury.*

Sir Richard Bethell, Knt., Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

*Borough of Hertford.*

The Right Honourable William Francis Cowper, Vice-President of the Committee of Privy Council for Education.

*War-Office, Pall-Mall,  
10th February, 1857.*

*Royal Artillery,* Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Joseph Morris to be Colonel, vice Higgins, removed as a General Officer. Dated 24th January, 1857.

Captain John Travers to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Morris. Dated 24th January, 1857.

Second Captain William Boyd Saunders to be Captain, vice Travers. Dated 24th January, 1857.

Lieutenant Cecil Brooke Le Mesurier to be Second Captain, vice Saunders. Dated 24th January, 1857.

*Royal Engineers.* The second Christian name of the Lieutenant appointed on 20th December, 1856, in the Gazette of the 23rd ultimo, is *Darley*, and not *Darby*, as previously stated.

*90th Foot.* The Christian name of Major Barnston is *Roger*, and not *Robert*, as stated in the Gazette of the 6th instant.

BREVET.

Colonel Thomas Gordon Higgins, of the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, vice Bastard, retired upon full-pay. Dated 24th January, 1857.

In consequence of the promotion of Colonel Morris, the undermentioned Officers on the retired full-pay list of the Royal Artillery, to be Colonels, in accordance with the Royal Warrant of 3rd November, 1854; Colonel Morris having stood next below them on the Effective Establishment of the Regiment when they retired, viz.:

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Herrick Burnaby. Dated 24th January, 1857.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Geddes Walker. Dated 24th January, 1857.

*Admiralty, 2nd February, 1857.*

BREVET.

*Corps of Royal Marines.*

With reference to Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th September, 1854,

Colonel Second Commandant Samuel Hawkins, on retired full-pay, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only.

Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Brames Nolloth, on retired full-pay, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only.

Captain William Lawrence Sayer, on retired full-pay, to be Major, the rank being honorary only.

*Admiralty, 6th February, 1857.*

*Corps of Royal Marines.*

The following promotions have taken place, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th September, 1854, in consequence of the death of General George Jones, on the Fixed Establishment of General Officers of the Royal Marines, viz.:

Lieutenant-General Thomas Adams Parke, C.B., to be General.

Major-General John Rawlins Coryton to be Lieutenant-General, vice Parke, promoted.

Colonel-Commandant John Alexander Philips to be Major-General, vice Coryton, promoted.