Foreign Office, December 10, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. George H. Butler as Consul-General at Calcutta for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Otto Burchardt as Consul at Liverpool for the North German Confederation.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John Gibb as Consul at Dublin for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Rudolph Kummerer as Consul at Sydney for His Majesty the King of Wurtemberg.

Whitehall, December 11, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to grant to the Reverend Charles Merivale, D.C.L., the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Ely, void by the promotion of Doctor Harvey Goodwin, late Dean thereof, to the Bishoprick of Carlisle.

Whitehall, December 11, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Downs to the church and parish of East Kilbride, in the presbytery of Hamilton and county of Lanark, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Carrick, late Minister thereof.

Downing Street, December 13, 1869.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Henry Simpson, Esq., to be Collector of Customs for Her Majesty's Settlement on the Gambia, on the Western Coast of Africa.

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th December, 1869.

- 6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major William Thomas Betty to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Courtenay William Bruce, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Captain John Fryer to be Major, by purchase, vice Betty. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Lieutenant Hardin Burnley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Fryer. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Cornet Florance Thomas Stephen Rippingall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Burnley. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 11th Hussars, Cornet, with the rank of Lieutenant, Alan Coulston Gardner to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Delacour, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Edward Archibald Young, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Gerald Westby Wellesley Richardson, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 3rd Foot, Lieutenant Edward Girdlestone Graham to be Captain, by purchase, vice James H. Le Cocq, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Ensign Arthur Trevor Leslie to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Graham. Dated 15th December, 1869.

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- 15th Foot, Ensign John Ingham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Turner Warner Burt, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- William Edward Brown, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ingham. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Herbert Blakely Brown, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James Browne, transferred to 77th Foot. Dated 16th December, 1869.
- The first Christian name of Ensign Pigou is *Clarence*, and not *Charles*, as stated in the Gazette of 30th November, 1869.
- 16th Foot, Lieutenant Philip Neil has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 17th Foot, Ensign Charles Edward McCrea has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 22nd Foot, Lieutenant Harry Bromley Pitman to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edward Murray Cookesley, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869
- Ensign William Charles Francis Molyneux to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Hoste Swinny, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 30th Foot, Ensign Arthur William Morris Headley has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 34th Foot, The transfer of Ensign T. H. F. Strickland, from 73rd Foot, which appeared in the Gazette of 29th October, 1869, has been cancelled.
- 42nd Foot, Paymaster, with the rank of Captain, Frank Samwell, from half-pay, late 102nd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice honorary Captain James Arnold Bazalgette, placed on half-pay. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 47th Foot, Lieutenant Henry E. Poole has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 57th Foot, Ensign Hamlet Dalton Wade to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Robert Joseph Holmes, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 70th Foot, Robert Nassau Sutton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice the Honourable Patrick Henry Coghill Plunket, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 77th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Nicholas Mosley to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Wordsworth, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Ensign Henry Doveton Hutchinson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mosley. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- Ensign James Browne, from 15th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Hutchinson. Dated 15th December, 1869.
- 84th Foot, Ensign George Patrick Campbell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Allen O. Hickey, deceased. Dated 8th November, 1869.
- 92nd Foot, Major Forbes Macbean ntoghe Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice of histian Monteith Hamilton, who retires. Dated 15th December, 1869.