

Major George William Stacpoole, half-pay, late 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Captain R. H. Ricketts Rowley, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 15th November, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Everard William Bouverie, Colonel of the 15th Hussars, who died on the 18th November, 1871:—

Lieutenant-General Pringle Taylor, Colonel of the 24th Foot, to be General. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Major-General Augustus Halifax Ferryman, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel John W. S. Smith, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, late Depot Battalion, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 19th November, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major William James Stuart, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Captain Clifford Parsons, 3rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 19th November, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir Edmund Finucane Morris, K.C.B., Colonel of the 49th Foot, who died on 4th December, 1871:—

Lieutenant-General Thomas Henry Johnston, Colonel of the 66th Foot, to be General. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Major-General William Raikes Faber, Colonel of the 17th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel Francis Pym Harding, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel 22nd Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 5th December, 1871.

Major Richard Harcourt Robinson, half-pay, late 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Captain Henry Heberden, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 5th December, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General the Honourable Sir James Yorke Scarlett, G.C.B., Colonel of the 5th Dragoon Guards, who died on the 6th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General Henry Aitchison Hankey, Colonel of the 3rd Hussars, to be General. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Major-General Thomas James Galloway, Colonel of the 49th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Stopford Claremont, C.B., from Major, half-pay, unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to the 7th December, 1871.

Major Lionel Hook, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Captain Arthur Trevor Leake Chapman, 34th Foot to be Major. Dated 7th December, 1871.

In consequence of the foregoing promotions, the undermentioned Officers to have the rank of General:—

Lieutenant-General William Cokat, on a special rate of unattached pay. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-General Robert Martin Leake, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-General William Cartwright, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Lieutenant General Peter Edwards, on a special rate of unattached pay. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General George Whichcote, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General James Arthur Butler, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Major-General Thomas Charlton Smith, Major, half-pay unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th October, 1871.

The following promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871, the Officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 23rd December, 1871, but the Officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 22nd December, 1871, inclusive:—

24th Foot, Lieutenant Russell Upcher to be Captain by purchase, vice John Christian Thomas, who retires.

62nd Foot, Ensign Lestock Charles Harcourt Macwhirter, to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission.

104th Foot, Captain Charles Henry Lonsdale, from the 105th Foot, to be Captain, vice George Benjamin Wolseley, who exchanges.

105th Foot, Captain George Benjamin Wolseley from the 104th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. H. Lonsdale, who exchanges.

Ceylon Rifles, Ensign Ernest Edward Swaine to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice George Frederick Alexander Mungo Bashford, who retires.

#### Admiralty, 19th December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Charles A. P. V. Robinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Lieutenant Robert F. Ward has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Lieutenant Henry L. C. Robinson (whose retirement dates from the 4th instant) has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander, from the date of his retirement.

#### Admiralty, 20th December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Rear-Admiral the Honourable John Welbore Sunderland Spencer has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Consequent on the above retirement—

Captain Sir Leopold George Heath, K.C.B., has this day been promoted to be a Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

#### Admiralty, 22nd December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant A. J. Leith has been placed on the Retired List of his rank.