

Foreign Office, January 1, 1872.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Heneage, Esq., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, February 2, 1872.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Johannes Dieckmann as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for His Majesty the Emperor of Germany.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John Dieckmann as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria:

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. José Pons as Consul at Gibraltar for the Republic of Paraguay.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Schultze as Consul at Colombo, Ceylon, for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

Whitehall, February 6, 1872.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William, Lord Kensington, to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Pembroke, in the room of William, Lord Kensington, deceased.

Crown Office, February 5, 1872.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to grant precedence within the Bar to Augustine Sargood, Serjeant-at-Law, next after Samuel Pope, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law now being.

The Queen has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint—

Thomas Charles Renshaw, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Leofric Temple, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Charles William Wood, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Æneas John McIntyre, of the Middle Temple, Esq. ;
 William John Bovill, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Samuel Boteler Bristowe, the Inner Temple, Esq. ;
 John Charles Day, of the Middle Temple, Esq. ;
 John Berry Torr, of the Middle Temple, Esq. ;
 Nathaniel Lindley, of the Middle Temple, Esq. ;
 Joseph Napier Higgins, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Thomas Halhed Fischer, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 James Kemplay, of the Middle Temple, Esq. ;
 Theodore Aston, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Alexander Edward Miller, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 Charles Russell, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ; and
 Farrer Herschell, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq. ;
 of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law.

Admiralty, 2nd February, 1872.

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

Chaplain the Reverend William G. Tucker has been placed on the Retired List from the 27th ultimo.

Admiralty, 6th February, 1872.

Lieutenant Astley Robert Cooper has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 20th December, 1871, in the haul-down promotion of Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Kellett, K.C.B., late Commander-in-Chief in China.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Isaac Lowthian Bell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1871.

3rd Durham Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Natrass to be Surgeon, vice Douglas, resigned. Dated 17th January, 1872.

Henry John Yeld to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Natrass, promoted. Dated 17th January, 1872.

The Reverend Walter R. Burnet to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 17th January, 1872.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.**2nd Berwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Andrew Noble to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1872.

William Henderson to be Ensign. Dated 31st January, 1872.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.**1st Devon Militia.*

The Honourable John Schomberg Trefusis to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 12th January, 1872.

South Devon Militia.

Lieutenant J. R. Stevenson to be Captain. Dated 20th January, 1872.

13th Devonshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant Ernest David William Derry to be Captain. Dated 24th January, 1872.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.**2nd Hampshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.*

Burford Norman to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 3rd February, 1872.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.**Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Volunteer Cavalry.*

Captain the Right Honourable Charles George, Earl of Gainsborough, to be Supernumerary Major. Dated 29th January, 1872.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Monmouth.**3rd Monmouthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Captain Francis Allfrey to be Major. Dated 30th January, 1872.

Lieutenant Henry Latch to be Captain. Dated 30th January, 1872.

The Reverend Albert Lewis Willett to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 30th January, 1872.