

from the British Vice-Consul at Cayenne, reporting that yellow fever has again broken out in that town, but chiefly amongst soldiers and sailors, and that it is now considered as an epidemic though in a mild form.

Admiralty, 5th May, 1873.

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

Vice-Admiral the Honourable Swynfen Thomas Carnegie, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List from the 30th ultimo, and the following promotions consequent thereon, have been made from the same date:—

Rear-Admiral Astley Cooper Key, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain the Honourable George Disney Keane, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Retired List have also taken place from the same date:—

Retired Rear-Admirals:

Edwin C. T. D'Eyncourt

Thomas H. Mason,

James Anderson,

Robert Kerr,

Sidney Grenfell, C.B.,

Richard S. Hewlett, C.B.,

Sir John G. D. Hay, Bart., C.B.,

James Willcox, C.B.,

Hugh Dunlop, C.B.,

to be Retired Vice-Admirals.

Retired Captains:

Robert Hall, C.B.,

John M. Hayes, C.B.,

to be Retired Rear-Admirals.

George Robinson, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet with seniority of 3rd instant.

War Office, 6th May, 1873.

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Royal Bucks (King's Own).

Assistant-Surgeon William Rose to be Surgeon, vice Dew, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Dorset.

Captain Henry Brouncker resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Royal South Gloucester.

Lieutenant Clavering Theodore Hay Walsh resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Hampshire.

Captain Edward Charles Forward resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant Lewis William Shedden resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

West Kent.

Lieutenant John Bell William Edmund Lambarde to be Captain, vice Hare, removed. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant Murray Robertson to be Captain, vice Dadson, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant Edmund Huntly Hooper to be Captain, vice Beattie, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant Henry John Conant to be Captain, vice Lewis, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1873.

5th Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant Hubert Slater to be Captain. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant George E. H. Rayner resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Lieutenant George M. H. Colman resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

1st or Royal East Middlesex.

Charles Albert Whyte, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.

Royal Montgomery.

Captain Henry Charles Thomas Beadnell resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

Captain John Stevens to be Major, vice Milner, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1873.

1st Somerset.

Henry Wyndham Helyar, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.

2nd Royal Surrey.

Captain Frederick Pontifex resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets.

Captain Andrew Rutherford Warren resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets.

Richard Rivarola Cole, late Lieutenant 1st Royal Tower Hamlets Militia, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.

East York.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joselin Francis, Lord Muncaster, resigns his Commission. Dated 7th May, 1873.

1st West York.

Captain Thomas Robert Johnson Logan resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 7th May, 1873.

The Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.

Arthur Francis Scott, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.

Forfur and Kincardine Artillery.

The services of Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Murray Officer are dispensed with, in consequence of ill health. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Royal Dublin City.

Henry William Phepoc, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th May, 1873.

Kilkenny.

Robert Butler, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.

Queen's County.

Douglas Frederick Rawdon Dawson, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 7th May, 1873.