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Foreign Office, October 12, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. R. W. O. Neale as Consul in the Island of Barbadoes for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. A. L. Fox as Consul at Falmouth for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Arthur Carara as Consul at Gibraltar for the Republic of Haiti.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
October 10, 1874.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the compulsory formation of School Boards in the undermentioned United School Districts:—

Bulkeley and Ridley (comprising the parishes of Bulkeley and Ridley) Cheshire
St. George and St. Bride-super-Ely (comprising the parishes of St. George and St. Bride-super-Ely) Glamorgan;
and in the parishes of—
Elland-with-Greetland ... Yorkshire
Longwood Yorkshire
Stansfield... .. Suffolk
Upper Whitby Yorkshire
Widnes Lancashire

The District of Newhall, in the Nantwich Union, Cheshire, has been made Contributory to the United School District of Wrenbury-with-Frith;

And an Order for the election of a School Board under Section 12 (1) of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, has been issued for the Parish of—
Senny Brecon

*War Office, Pall Mall,
13th October, 1874.*

61st Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Thomas Montagu Steele, K.C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Lieu-

tenant-General Sir Horatio Shirley, K.C.B., transferred to the Colonelcy of the 88th Regiment of Foot. Dated 23rd September, 1874.

88th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Horatio Shirley, K.C.B., from the Colonelcy of the 61st Regiment of Foot, to be Colonel, in succession to General Montague Cholmeley Johnstone, deceased. Dated 23rd September, 1874.

War Office, 13th October, 1874.

VOLUNTEERS.

3rd Aberdeenshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Blaikie Nicol to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

4th Caithness-shire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Alexander Mitchell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th October, 1874.

28th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Frederick Schott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1874.

1st Administrative Battalion Cumberland Rifle Volunteers.

Anthony Peat, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 14th October, 1874.

2nd Denbighshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Richard Chambers Roberts, Gent., to be Acting Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 14th October, 1874.

22nd Derbyshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Josiah Court, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 14th October, 1874.

1st Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Quartermaster Thomas Board resigns his appointment. Dated 14th October, 1874.

5th Hampshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Henry Herington, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th October, 1874.