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Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,

August 2, 1879.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of new Rules agreed upon by the High Authorities at Canton for regulating the issue of transit passes by the Custom-houses at Pakhoi and Kiungchow. The document can be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department, 1, Whitehall.

Admiralty, 1st August, 1879.

The Reverend William Joseph Wilby, B.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 9th June last.

The Reverend William Stuart Harris, B.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 23rd July, 1879.

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

Paymaster William Frederick Alexander has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 30th ultimo.

Admiralty, 2nd August, 1879.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, Admiral George Greville Wellesley, C.B., has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank; and the following promotions, consequent thereon, have been made from the same date:—

Vice-Admiral Sir William King Hall, K.C.B., to

be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Rear-Admiral John Corbett, C.B., to be Vice-

Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Captain Nowell Salmon, V.C., C.B., A.D.C., 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:—
Vice-Admirals:

Sir Charles Frederick Alexander Shadwell, K.C.B.,

Edmund Gardiner Fishbourne, C.B.,

Thomas Chaloner,

to be Admirals on the Retired List.

Rear-Admirals:

James Hosken,
James Samuel Akid Dennis,
Joseph Martin Mottley,
Philip Somerville,
Arthur Trevor Macgregor,
Alexander Boyle,
Byron Drury,
to be Vice-Admirals on the Retired List.

War Office, Pall Mall,

5th August, 1879.

- Royal Horse Guards, Licutenant Sir John Pepys Lister-Kaye, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 3rd Dragoon Guards, The appointment of Lieutenant Langham Charles Christie, from the Northampton and Rutland Militia, to a Second Lieutenancy, dated 22nd January, 1879, is cancelled.
- 4th Dragoon Guards, Supernumerary Captain Charles Villiers Ibbetson to be Captain, vice C. H. Currey, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 19th July, 1879.

- 6th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Montagu Cradock, from the 1st Durham Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, vice Alan, Lord Greenock, transferred to the Scots Guards. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 4th Hussars, Second Lieutenant Ivan Owden Richardson, from the Royal South Down Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. F. Grant, promoted. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 5th Lancers, Second Lieutenant Arthur William Mordaunt Richards, from the King's County Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Spencer, promoted. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 14th Hussars, Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh George Gough to be Captain, vice W. B. McTaggart, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 23rd July, 1879.
- 15th Hussars, Lieutenant Cecil Francis Johnstone Douglas to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. T. Middleton, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st June, 1879.
- 17th Lancers, Second Lieutenant James Holland Dyer, from the 2nd Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. J. C. Frith, killed in action. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 21st Hussars, Captain F. Bruce Prinsep retires on half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1879 (since deceased).
- Royal Artillery, The name of the Officer whose date of promotion to the rank of Captain was altered to 27th June, 1579, in the Gazette of 1st August, 1879, is A. F. Griffiths, and not Griffith, as therein stated.
- Brigade Depôt, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Murray Miller, C.B., retires on half-pay. Dated 6th August, 1879.

Coldstream Guards, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions: —

Lieutenant Arthur Henry Clarke-Jervoise. Dated 6th August, 1879.

- Lieutenant John George, Viscount Lambton. Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 4th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Augustus Charles Twentyman to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Sykes, retired on a pension. Dated 9th July, 1879.

Lieutenant Malby Edward Crofton to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. C. Twentyman. Dated 9th July, 1879.

- The Christian names of Captain McEwen are James Henry, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 22nd July, 1879.
- 8th Foot, Captain Manley Charles Matthew Dixon retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity, Dated 6th August, 1879.
- 12th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Bellew Adams has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.
- 15th Foot, Second Lieutenant Charles Mulcaster Harding, from the 3rd (King's Own) Stafford Militia, to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. W. C. Hutchinson, transferred to the 25th Foot. Dated 6th August, 1879.