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FRIDAY, JULY 23, 1880.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, July 21, 1880.

OTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Thursday next, the 22nd instant:

Whitehall, July 23, 1880.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto William Millar, Esq., who is actually and entirely employed in the service of His Majesty the Emperor of Russia, beyond the Queen's Dominions, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of St. Stanislas, which His Imperial Majesty has been pleased to confer upon him.

Crown Office, July 21, 1880.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

David Milne Home, Esq., Captain in the Royal
Horse Guards, in the place of the Honourable
Henry Strutt (now Lord Belper), called up to
the House of Peers.

Education Department, Whitehall, July 22, 1880.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned United District:—

Ashby-Folville (comprising the parishes of Ashby-Folville and Barsby) ... Leicester

Whitehall, July 15, 1880.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Arthur Algernon Capel, Earl of Essex, Viscount Malden, and Baron Capell, of Hadham, in the county of Hertford, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may resume the ancient orthography of his family name by using and bearing the surname of Capell, in lieu and in substitution of that of Capel:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect. Admiralty, 15th July, 1880.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 30th April, 1877—

Engineer Philip Blanch has been placed on the Retired List from the 8th instant.

Admiralty, 20th July, 1880.

THE following promotions have been made from the 19th instant:—

Commander Archibald Lucius Douglas to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenant Edward Stratford Dugdale to be Commander in Her Majosty's Fleet.

Staff Surgeon Robert Longst-ff Bett has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th February, 1880.

Admiralty, 21st July, 1889.

Royal Marine Forces.

THE following promotions, dated 4th July, 1880, have taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz.:—

Colonel-Commandant Hamond Weston Gwyn to be Major-General, vice Stewart, deceased. Lieutenant-Colonel Second Commandant William

Henry Worthy Bennett to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Gwyn.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Charles Nelson

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Captain Henry Monckton Kay to be Major, vice Le Grand.

Lieutenant George Anthony Ellard Gore to be Captain, vice Kay.

The following promotion, dated 10th July, 1880, has also taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, viz.:—

Lieutenant Henry Charles Horrocks to be Captain, vice Harrison, permitted to resign his Commission.

The undermentioned Officer to be Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William Bland Hunt, Royal Marine Light Infantry, vice Gwyn, promoted. Dated 4th July, 1880.

Assistant Paymaster Edwin Robert Stapylton Sandys has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 19th July, 1880.