

(H. 2302.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, March 9, 1882.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies copy of a Despatch from the Governor of the Gold Coast, reporting that in consequence of an outbreak of cholera at Bida, Eggan, the Kippo Hills, and Onitsha, and of smallpox at Aghwey, arrivals from the latter place, from the Niger, and from places to the leeward of Lagos which are in communication with those where cholera exists will be subjected to quarantine at Lagos.

Admiralty, March 7, 1882.

NAVAL KNIGHTS OF WINDSOR.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give notice to such Lieutenants of the Royal Navy, and to such Lieutenants retired with the rank of Commander, as are desirous of being recommended for the appointment of Naval Knight of Windsor, under the will of the late Samuel Travers, Esq., that they must apply at this office, either personally or by letter, on or before the 11th day of April next, when they will be informed of the nature of the certificates and testimonials which are required to show that they come within the meaning of the will, an extract from which is herewith appended:

"These gentlemen are to be superannuated or disabled Lieutenants of English men-of-war, single men, without children, inclined to lead a virtuous, studious, and devout life; to be removed if they give occasion for scandal."

By the Act 30 and 31 Victoria, cap. 100, widowers are deemed single men within the meaning of the will in question.

Admiralty, 8th March, 1882.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 21st July, 1876, the undermentioned Retired Officers, having attained fifteen years' seniority in the rank of Commander, have been authorized to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain, from the 6th instant:—

Commanders:

Robert Pitman.

William St. John Sumner Hornby.

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

Staff Commander William Henry Fawckner has this day been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain.

Commander Ferdinand George Gambier has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 3rd instant.

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been entered as Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 27th February, 1882:—

William George Kynaston Barnes, M.D.

Robert James McCormack, M.D.

William Gordon Cumming Smith, M.B.

Septimus Farmer.

Andrew Dillon Peyton.

James Stewart Wray.

Admiralty, 9th March, 1882.

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

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend

No. 25082.

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Walter Bridge Arthy, M.A., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 4th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall,

10th March, 1882.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the Regiment now styled the King's Light Infantry (Shropshire Regiment), being in future designated the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry).

Cavalry Depot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel E. Napier, Commandant, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1882.

Royal Engineers, Captain Hugh Mitchell retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 11th March, 1882.

The following Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants. Dated 22nd February, 1882:—

James Ronald Leslie Macdonald, vice C. H. Bagot, promoted.

Ellys William Walton, vice G. W. Bartram, promoted.

William John Daniell Dundee, vice J. C. Macgregor, promoted.

Alexander William Roper, vice G. A. Cockburn, promoted.

Cecil Nicholas Beevor, vice W. W. B. Whiteford, promoted.

Lewis Jones, vice St. G. M. Kirke, promoted.

James Edwin O'Hora Hamilton, vice M. H. G. Goldie, promoted.

Shafto Longfield Craster, vice A. W. Smart, promoted.

Gerard Moore Heath, vice A. Bogle, promoted.

William Girdlestone Shellabear, vice A. T. Preston, promoted.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant W. E. Bunbury, dated 8th March, 1881, is cancelled, he having been subsequently transferred to the Indian Staff Corps as a Lieutenant, with an anterior date.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant F. G. R. Ostrehan, dated 17th November, 1880, is cancelled, he having been subsequently transferred to the Indian Staff Corps as a Lieutenant, with an anterior date.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Johnson retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 11th March, 1882.

Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant Arthur Henry L. Bagot has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 5th November, 1881.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant A. F. Hogge, dated 2nd October, 1880, is cancelled, he having been subsequently transferred to the Indian Staff Corps as a Lieutenant, with an anterior date.

The Cheshire Regiment, Lieutenant George Steuart Goldsmid has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1881.

The resignation of the appointment of Adjutant of Lieutenant O. E. M. Davics, as notified in Gazette of 28th October, 1881, is cancelled.