

Foreign Office, May 22, 1882.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Chauncy Cartwright, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad.

Downing Street, June 2, 1882.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Thomas Lionel John Gallwey, R.E., Inspector-General of Fortifications and Director of Works, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Whitehall, May 30, 1882.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto William John Murray, sometime residing at Loch Slin House, Fearn, in the shire of Ross, and to Eleanor Starkie Letterewe Murray, of Winstanley Hall, in the county of Lancaster, wife of the said William John Murray, Her Royal licence and authority that he may take and henceforth use the surname of Banks only, in lieu and instead of his surname of Murray, and bear the arms of Banks; and that she, the said Eleanor Starkie Letterewe Murray, may take and use the surname of Banks only, and also take and bear the arms of Banks, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken and used by the issue of their marriage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 4586.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, June 1, 1882.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, intimating that the Monte Video Health have decided that quarantine shall not, during the ensuing winter season, be imposed on arrivals from Brazil.

(H. 4587.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, June 1, 1882.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government, declaring the port of Havana, and all the other ports of the Island of Cuba, infected with yellow fever since 20th April last.

Admiralty, 30th May, 1882.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 29th November, 1879—

Lieutenant Thomas Searle Dickinson has been placed on the Retired List from the 29th instant, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Commander.

Admiralty, 31st May, 1882.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.
Liverpool Brigade.*

Charles Alfred Jones, Esq., to be Sub-Lieutenant.
Dated 13th May, 1882.

Admiralty, 1st June, 1882.

Fleet Surgeon John Fisher has been promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 30th May, 1882.

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

Navigating Lieutenant James Richard Veitch has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 30th ultimo.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Reserved Colonel-Commandant Henry Adair has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 13th April, 1882.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Major John Dudley Fosbrooke has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 29th May, 1882.

War Office, Pall Mall,

2nd June, 1882.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the Regiment now styled—

“Princess Louise's (Sutherland and Argyll Highlanders)”

being in future designated—

“Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).”

Commissariat and Transport Staff, Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Theodore Campbell Heliger Macdonald to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice H. W. Hackman, retired. Dated 4th May, 1882.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

Viscount Throwley to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1882.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and Liberties thereof.

Sir William Fettes Douglas, R.S.A., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th May, 1882.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same) and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

1. The regulations made by any Treasury Warrants now in force as to the weight, length, breadth, and depth of a pattern or sample packet posted in the United Kingdom, and addressed to any place within the Republic of Switzerland, and transmitted via France, shall be, and the same are hereby, annulled.

2. In lieu thereof the limits of weight, length, breadth, and depth for all such packets shall in future be respectively as follows, that is to say:—The limit of weight shall be twelve ounces, the limit of length twelve inches, the limit of breadth eight inches, and the limit of depth four inches.

3. This Warrant shall come into operation on