

Admiralty, 12th January, 1883.

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

Lieutenant George Hodgkinson has been placed on the Retired List from the 8th instant, with permission to assume the rank and title of Commander on the Retired List from same date.

Admiralty, 13th January, 1883.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority as stated against their names:—

William Alexander Harvey, 7th December, 1882.
Charles Albert Walmsley, 9th December, 1882.

The following promotion has been made:—

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Pellew Ogle to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th January, 1883.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired Lists of their ranks from the dates stated:—

Paymaster Isaac Hearnden, from 10th instant.
Commander Verney Lovett Cameron, C.B., D.C.L., from 12th instant.

Admiralty, 15th January, 1883.

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

Staff Captain Henry Davenport Sarratt has been placed on the Retired List from the 14th instant, with permission to assume the rank and title of Captain on the Retired List from same date.

War Office, Pall Mall,

16th January, 1883.

Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Minto Elliot, Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on the Staff, to command the Royal Artillery in Egypt. Dated 31st December, 1882.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Makgill Heriot Maitland, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be a Colonel on the Staff, to command the Royal Engineers in Egypt, with the local rank of Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 31st December, 1882.

BREVET.

Captain Lionel Edward Blakeney Booth, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Major, in recognition of his services during the late Afghan Campaign. Dated 6th September, 1882.

India Office, 16th January, 1883.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Hugh Rose, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 3rd March, 1881, but to rank from 2nd May, 1880.

Lieutenant William Legh Boswell, from the Essex Regiment. Dated 7th July, 1881, but to rank from 4th September, 1880.

Lieutenant William Colville Jephson, from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 6th August, 1881, but to rank from 17th November, 1880.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Mordaunt Broome Salmon, from the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 15th September, 1879, but to rank from 19th August, 1876.

Lieutenant Robert FitzRoy Maclean Johnstone, from the Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 20th September, 1880, but to rank from 9th March, 1879.

Lieutenant William Fremantle Cahusac, from the Royal Irish Fusiliers. Dated 4th July, 1881, but to rank from 9th September, 1880.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury give notice under Section 8 of the Sinking Fund Act, 1875, that £349,725 16s. 4d., being the amount of the Old Sinking Fund 1881-82, as certified by the Comptroller and Auditor-General, will be issued in the current quarter to the National Debt Commissioners, and they also give notice, that under Section 5 of the said Act, the said amount will be applied to the repayment of advances, made by the Bank of England, in pursuance of Section 12 of the Exchequer and Audit Act, 1866.

Treasury Chambers, January 16, 1883.

Civil Service Commission, January 12, 1883.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for the situation of Assistant Naturalist in the Natural History Department of the Museum of Science and Art, Dublin, held in London on the 9th and 10th January, 1883, under the Regulations dated 1st December, 1882:—

Durrant, John Hartley
Nichols, Albert Russell

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of February next, the Registrar's Sub-Districts of St. Olave, Southwark, and St. John, Horsleydown, in the district of St. Olave, Southwark, shall be united, and shall form one Registrar's Sub-District, to be called the St. Olave Sub-District.—Witness my hand this 12th day of January, 1883.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Bethania, situate at Penmachno, in the parish of Penmachno, in the county of Carnarvon, in the district of Llanrwst Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 27th day of December, 1882, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 30th day of December, 1882.

Morris Davies, Superintendent Registrar.