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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, January 28, 1885.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Callao reporting that it has been further decreed by the Peruvian Government that ships proceeding from places abroad where there are Peruvian Consuls to any port whatever of the Republic must be provided with bills of health countersigned by such Consuls, and that in cases where vessels leave these ports where no Peruvian Consuls exist, the said bills of health must be countersigned by the Consular officer of some other friendly nation.

## EGYPT MEDAL, &amp;c.

*Department of the Accountant-General of  
the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay,  
Admiralty, Spring Gardens, January  
28, 1885.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Medals, Clasps and Bronze Stars, for the operations near Suakin, between the 19th February and 26th March, 1884, both days inclusive, are ready for issue to the officers, seamen, and marines entitled thereto.

The following are the terms of the grant:—

A Medal to those who have not already received one for the operations in Egypt, 1882, and a Clasp, inscribed "Suakin, 1884," to those already in possession of a Medal.

A Clasp, inscribed "El Teb-Tamaai," to those who were in both actions, and a Clasp, inscribed "El Teb," or "Tamaai," as the case may be, to those who were in one or the other action but not in both.

Bronze Stars will also be issued to those engaged, who have not already received one for the operations of 1882.

A list is appended of the ships engaged in the operations, and of the period for which the officers and crew of each are entitled:—

- "Arab," 18th March to 26th March, 1884.
- "Briton," 28th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Carysfort," 19th February to 11th March, 1884.
- "Decoy," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Dryad," 25th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Euryalus," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Hecla," 22nd February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Humber," 21st February to 25th March, 1884.
- "Jumna," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Orontes," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Ranger," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.
- "Serapis," 28th February to 1st March, 1884.
- "Sphinx," 19th February to 26th March, 1884.

Application should be made personally, or by letter, to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W.

Petty officers, seamen, and marines, whether applying in person, or by letter, are required to produce their certificates of service.

*Admiralty, 26th January, 1885.*

The announcement contained in the London Gazette of 12th August, 1884, of the placing of Lieutenant William Hewetson on the Retired List of Her Majesty's Fleet, is hereby cancelled.

*Admiralty, 27th January, 1885.*

Assistant-Paymaster William Hobart Fendall Kay has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 23rd January, 1885.

*Admiralty, 28th January, 1885.*

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

Commander Francis Metcalfe Ommanney has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain. Dated 27th January, 1885.

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

Captain and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel and Barrack-Master Thomas Quin Meade has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 26th January, 1885.

Major Andrew Donald has been appointed Barrack-Master, vice Meade, retired, and has been placed on the Half-Pay List. Dated 26th January, 1885.

*Admiralty, 29th January, 1885.*

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

Captain William Burley Grant has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 29th January, 1885.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*30th January, 1885.*

Major and Colonel Sir Herbert Stewart, K.C.B., 3rd Dragoon Guards, Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, now a Brigadier-General on the Staff with the force on the Nile, to be Major-General in the Army for distinguished service in the field. Dated 19th January, 1885.

7th Dragoon Guards, Major Walter Creagh has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 26th August, 1884.

7th Hussars, Lieutenant Willoughby B. Mynors resigns his Commission. Dated 31st January, 1885.

18th Hussars, Riding-Master Nelson Banyard retires on retired pay. Dated 31st January, 1885.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant Ralph W. Nicholson has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 27th December, 1884.

Coldstream Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable G. A. V. Bertie to be Major, vice Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable E. H. T. Digby appointed Regimental Adjutant. Dated 31st January, 1885.

Lieutenant Vesey John Dawson to be Captain, vice Lieutenant-Colonel R. Pole-Carew, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 25th October, 1884.

Lieutenant the Honourable Henry P. C. S. Monck to be Captain, vice Major and Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable G. A. V. Bertie. Dated 31st January, 1885.

Gentleman Cadet John Trelawny Sterling, from the Royal Military College, to be Lieutenant, vice V. J. Dawson. Dated 31st January, 1885.

Major and Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Edward H. T. Digby, to be Regimental Adjutant, vice the Honourable E. E. T. Boscawen, who has vacated that appointment, having embarked for service in Egypt. Dated 31st January, 1885.