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Brentford New Brentford
" Perivale
" Twyford Abbey
Isle of Wight St. Helens (extra municipal)

Whitehall, January 31, 1885.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to confer "The Albert Medal of the First Class" upon William Cole, Police Constable in the A Division of the Metropolitan Police Force, for conspicuous gallantry displayed at an Explosion in Westminster Hall, on the 24th of January, 1885.

Whitehall, February 2, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto James Richardson Gibson, Esq., Director-General of the Egyptian Land Survey, Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of the Osmanieh, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, has been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed by His Highness beyond Her Majesty's dominions.

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Board of Trade (Harbour Department),

Whitehall Gardens, February 3, 1885.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Athens, reporting that the quarantine on arrivals from Algiers has been reduced to twenty-four hours observation.

Admiralty, 30th January, 1885.

Staff Surgeon James Dear Smith, M.D., has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 26th January, 1885.

Admiralty, 31st January, 1885.

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

Paymaster John George Shepherd has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank and title of Paymaster-in-Chief. Dated 31st January, 1885.

Admiralty, 2nd February, 1885.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 27th January, 1885—

Commander Charles Burney, C.B., on the Retired List, has been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain. Dated 23rd January, 1885.

War Office, Pall Mall,

3rd February, 1885.

2nd Life Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel George Augustus Curzon has been appointed to command the Regiment. Dated 12th January, 1885.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Trench Townshend to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel J. S. Ferguson, deceased. Dated 12th January, 1885.

Captain Douglas M. B. H., Earl of Dundonald, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. T. Townshend. Dated 12th January, 1885.

Lieutenant C. F. St. C. Anstruther-Thomson to be Captain, vice D. M. B. H., Earl of Dundonald. Dated 12th January, 1885.

Royal Horse Guards, Surgeon William Maunsell-Collins, M.D., retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 4th February, 1885.

13th Hussars, Captain and Brevet Major Thomas George Cuthell retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1885.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant Harry P. Levita, from the 2nd Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice R. W. Nicholson, seconded. Dated 4th February, 1885.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Charles Edmund Webber, C.B., on completing five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, to be retained as a Supernumerary, under the provisions of Article 115 of the Royal Warrant of 10th June, 1881. Dated 24th January, 1885.

The order of the names of the following Captains promoted on the 8th January, 1885, should be as under, and not as stated in the Gazette of 9th January, 1885:—

George Alfred Tower.

Edmund Spencer Eardley Childers.

Cecil Vernon Wingfield-Stratford.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant Herbert H. S. Cocks resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1885.

Lieutenant Henry B. Hawkes, from the East Surrey Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable H. P. C. S. Monck, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1885.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment), Captain O'D. C. Grattan has been seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 27th January, 1885.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Captain B. R. Hamilton to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. N. Gamble, who has vacated that appointment, having embarked for service in South Africa. Dated 4th February, 1885.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain Hugh Hovell Thurlow has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 2nd February, 1885.

The Essex Regiment, Lieutenant George Frederick E. S. S. Power has been dismissed the Service by sentence of a General Court-Martial. Dated 18th December, 1884.

The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Captain William Conolly retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th February, 1885.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Major John G. Crosbie to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel Sir C. Ashburnham, K.C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, placed on half-pay. Dated 1st November, 1884.

Supernumerary Major George T. Whitaker to be Major, vice J. G. Crosbie. Dated 1st January, 1885.