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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
November 17, 1885.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Constantinople transmitting a Circular Telegram issued by the Ottoman Board of Health, of which the following is a translation :—

CIRCULAR Telegram addressed to the Health Offices on the 8th November, 1885.

From to-day free pratique will be granted in our health ports to all vessels which have left the Italian or French Coast within fifteen days, and which have clean bills of health obtained on the voyage in an uninfected port. Vessels in this category actually in quarantine will have the benefit of this regulation. Vessels arriving from Spain, Algeria, Tunis, and Sicily are subject to the regulation in our circular of the 14th October.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
17th November, 1885.*

2nd Dragoon Guards, Major William Noel Hill, from half-pay, to be Major, on augmentation. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Lieutenant William W. Cordeaux, from the Royal Lunsiskilling Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Lieutenant Charles K. Bushe, from the Gordon Highlanders, to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 18th November, 1885.

4th Hussars, Captain and Brevet Major Cecil Wyburn Peters to be Adjutant, vice Captain F. H. Blacker, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 25th July, 1885.

12th Lancers, Captain John H. Learmonth resigns his Commission. Dated 18th November, 1885.

18th Hussars, Lieutenant William Reginald Currie resigns his Commission. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Scots Guards, Major and Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Thomas Philip Graham to be Lieutenant-Colonel, to command a Battalion, vice Colonel the Honourable H. T. Fraser, retired. Dated 21st October, 1885.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Leopold J. Y. C. Scarlett to be Major, vice Colonel T. P. Graham. Dated 21st October, 1885.

Supernumerary Captain the Honourable North de C. Dalrymple to be Captain, vice Lieutenant-Colonel L. J. Y. C. Scarlett. Dated 21st October, 1885.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant George M. G. Munro, from the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice A. H. R. Milne, seconded. Dated 18th November, 1885.

The Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel M. C. Morris has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 5th October, 1885.

Major Alexander Henry Vaughan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel W. A. Smyth, deceased. Dated 5th October, 1885.

Major Edward H. Vaughan retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Captain Richard Edward Kelsall to be Major, vice A. H. Vaughan, promoted. Dated 5th October, 1885.

Lieutenant Edmund Talbot Stanley, to be Captain, vice R. E. Kelsall. Dated 5th October, 1885.

Lieutenant Montagu C. Curry, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete Establishment. Dated 5th October, 1885.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant John C. Allen to be Captain, vice Brevet Major H. A. Walsh, appointed Adjutant, 3rd Battalion. Dated 1st November, 1885.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Captain Edward E. Carr has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 30th September, 1885.

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Major Henry F. Hutton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. H. Walwyn, retired on half-pay. Dated 21st October, 1885.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Turner has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 10th October, 1885.

Major William Frederic Wilson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel M. H. Hale, placed on half-pay. Dated 10th October, 1885.

Captain John Mews Evetts to be Major, vice W. F. Wilson. Dated 10th October, 1885.

Lieutenant Cameron C. Douglas to be Captain, vice J. M. Evetts. Dated 10th October, 1885.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant Louis Maurice Foster has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 10th October, 1885.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Captain Alexander Henry Atkinson retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 18th November, 1885.

The Royal Sussex Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel William Frederick Cavaye has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 10th October, 1885.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, Major Edward Lovegrove retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 18th November, 1885.

The Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel John C. Hay has been appointed to command a Battalion. Dated 10th October, 1885.

The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Lieutenant Beauchamp C. Urquhart to be Captain, vice Brevet Major K. S. Baynes, appointed Adjutant, 2nd Battalion. Dated 2nd November, 1885.

Lieutenant Hugh R. Lumsden, from the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice B. C. Urquhart. Dated 18th November, 1885.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Captain Charles Davis Sherston to be Major, vice L. F. B. Cary, promoted. Dated 7th August, 1885.

1st West India Regiment, Captain Arthur H. Daunt retires from the Service, receiving a gratuity. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Commissariat and Transport Staff, Assistant Commissary-General, with the honorary and relative rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, George Johnston, retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Deputy Commissary-General and honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 18th November, 1885.

Assistant Commissary-General John Smith Young, having completed five years' service in that rank, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st November, 1885.