In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—

Fleet Engineer Lewis Phillips Lewis has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 26th July, 1886.

Staff Paymaster Cuthbert Robert Rodham has been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 22nd March, 1886.

The undermentioned Paymasters have been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymasters in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Archibald Court. Dated 16th July, 1886. Edwin Robert Stapylton Sandys. Dated 19th July, 1886.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 19th January, 1886—

Assistant-Paymaster Samuel Herbert Benson has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 3rd August, 1886.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1886.

Navigating Lieutenant William Way has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th August, 1886.

War Office, Pall Mall,

10th August, 1886.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Astell St. Quintin, from the 10th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. R., Viscount Downe, C.I.E., who exchanges. Dated 11th August, 1886.

7th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Charles William Thompson to be Adjutant, vice Captain U. G. C. de Burgh, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 22nd July, 1886.

10th Hussars, Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Richard, Viscount Downe, C.I.E., from the 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice T. A. St. Quintin, who exchanges. Dated 11th August, 1886.

13th Hussars, Lieutenant William Henry Makins resigns his Commission. Dated 11th August, 1886.

20th Hussars, Lieutenant Arnold Gerstenberg resigns his Commission. Dated 11th August, 1886.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant - Colonel William Arthur Roberts retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 11th August, 1886.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Walter Charles Rothe, from half-pay, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel C. E. S. Scott, placed on half-pay. Dated 30th July, 1886.

Captain Thomas Perrott, upon the Seconded List, to be Major. Dated 21st July, 1886.

Captain John James Swinton to be Major, vice F. N. Innes, retired. Dated 21st July, 1886.

Lieutenant Atherton ffolliott Powell to be Captain, vice J. J. Swinton, promoted. Dated 21st July, 1886.

Lieutenant Howard Guise to be Captain, vice C. R. J. Cane, resigned. Dated 21st July, 1886.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants. Dated 24th July, 1886:—

Roland Egerton Bennett, vice J. F. Vans-Agnew, promoted.

James Arbuthnot Tyler, vice A. W. B. Gordon, promoted.

Arthur Francis Hickie, vice E. P. A. Tawney, seconded.

William Stuart Armitage, vice E. Tinker, seconded.

Charles Burrard, vice N. B. Heffernan, seconded. Percy Douglas Hamilton, vice W. D. Burrard, seconded.

Harry Joseph Kelsall, vice H. H. Rogers, seconded.

Robert Hugh Hare, vice H. S. Nelson, promoted. Charles Lionel Basevi, vice G. M. Wingate, promoted.

Charles Osborn Adair, vice L. Bell, promoted. Arthur Mulloy Kennard, on augmentation.

Claude Edward Forestier-Walker, on augmentation.

Percy Harrison Fawcett, on augmentation.

Morgan John MacCarthy, on augmentation.

George Ross Marryat Church, on augmentation. Alfred Cyril Pitman, on augmentation.

James Murray Macgowan, vice C. V. Hume,

George Gilbert Traherne, vice F. B. R. Toms,

promoted. Robert Frederick Ellice, vice P. W. D. Brockman,

seconded.

John Robert Wetten Brassington, vice E. J.

Phipps-Hornby, promoted.

Owen Annesley Smith, vice J. H. Leslie, promoted.

Cecil Bingham Levita, on augmentation.

Henry Lysaght Griffin, on augmentation.
Thomas Leonard Lees Boulton, on augments

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Lionel Altham Graham-Clarke, vice H. C. Molesworth, promoted.

Frederick Benjamin Dumaresq Broadrick, vice the Honourable J. E. P. Vereker, promoted.

Frank Graham Smallwood, vice F. B. Jackson, promoted.

Dudley Gillum Seagrim, vice E. A. Fanshawe, promoted.

Cyril Maxwell Ross-Johnson, vice E. A. Gartside-Tippinge, seconded.

George Tracey Robinson, vice F. B. Lecky, pro-

Hervey Guy Francis Edward de Montmorency, vice G. Osborn, seconded.

John Capron Watson, vice E. T. Young, seconded. Alfred Ralph Burlton, vice A. H. Wolley-Dod, seconded.

Charles Alfred Rumball, vice F. R. Wingate, seconded.

Percival Godfrey Godfrey-Faussett, vice P. J. T. Lewis, seconded.

Almeric Edward Spencer Griffin, vice E. W. Richards, seconded.

John Charters Kirk, vice C. T. Blane, promoted. John Williams Matthews, vice C. B. Watkins, promoted.

Ewan Duncan Cameron, vice T. G. Thistlethwayte, promoted.

Walter Pomeroy Vernon, vice A. Sankey, pro-

Frederick Edward Halstead Allen, vice T. F. Bushe, promoted.

Royal Engineers. The undermentioned Officers to be placed on half-pay, on completing five years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 13th August, 1886:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Edward Henry Courtney.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Richard Manwaring Forman Sandford.