

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Walter Spencer Stanhope, 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Sir William Henry Humphery, Bart., 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Henry Eyre, 4th (Nottinghamshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel Robert Peter Laurie, 3rd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Lowther du Plat Taylor, 24th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Queen has also been pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath :—

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knight Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

Honorary General The Right Honourable Sir Henry Frederick Ponsonby, K.C.B., Private Secretary and Equerry (Extra) to The Queen.

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

Lieutenant-General Sir Dighton Macnaghten Probyn, K.C.S.I., C.B., *J.C.*, Controller and Treasurer of the Household of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales.

Major Sir Evelyn Baring, K.C.S.I., C.B., C.I.E., Agent and Consul-General in Egypt.

Stevenson Arthur Blackwood, Esq., C.B., Secretary, General Post Office.

Charles Thomas Newton, Esq., C.B., late British Museum.

John Simon, Esq., C.B., M.D., late Medical Officer, Privy Council Office.

Hugh Owen, Esq., C.B., Permanent Secretary, Local Government Board.

William Fraser, Esq., C.B., LL.D., Deputy Keeper of Records of Scotland.

Charles Lister Ryan, Esq., C.B., Assistant Comptroller and Auditor, Exchequer and Audit Department.

Sir Edward Walter, Knt., Founder and Commanding Officer Corps of Commissioners.

Captain Douglas Galton, C.B., late Royal Engineers.

Major Fleetwood Isham Edwards, C.B., Royal Engineers, Assistant Keeper of the Privy Purse and Assistant Private Secretary to The Queen.

To the Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—

Godfrey Lushington, Esq., Under-Secretary of State, Home Office.

The Right Honourable The Earl of Iddesleigh, Deputy Chairman, Board of Inland Revenue.

John Molineux, Esq., Chief Inspector (Excise), Inland Revenue.

William Henry Cousins, Esq., Secretary (Stamps and Taxes), Inland Revenue.

Algernon Turnor, Esq., Financial Secretary, General Post Office.

Samuel Seldon, Esq., Principal of the Statistical Department, Board of Customs.

Alexander John Finlaison, Esq., Actuary, National Debt Office.