St. James's Palace, May 7, 1888.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Mr. Horace West to be one of the Gentlemen Ushers of the Privy Chamber in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Sir Algernon West, K.C.B., resigned.

Foreign Office, May 1, 1888.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Frederic Holmwood, Esq., C.B., late Her Majesty's Consul at Zanzibar, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Smyrna.

Foreign Office, May 10, 1888.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Hassan Ali Effendi as Consul at Karachi, for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

Downing Street, May 9, 1888.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Matthew Wilson, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Fiji.

Whitehall, May 10, 1888.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for presenting the Reverend Conrad William Curling Finzel, M.A., to the Vicarage of Stokenham with Chivelstone and Sherford, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, vacant by the cession of the Reverend Charles William Stubbs, M.A., the last Incumbent.

Education Department, Whitehall,

May 9, 1888. THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this

day, under Section 63 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, for the election of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish :

Llanynghenedl ... Anglesey ...

(H. 3119.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 9, 1888.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Telegram, dated 4th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Washington :-- " From and after 15th May, and until 15th November, quarantine at Santa Rosa Island, in Bay of Pensacola, for vessels from infected ports."

(H. 3200.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 10, 1889.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 8th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Washington :- " Quarantine Mobile arrivals from Mexico, Central South America, and West Indies, May 1 to December 1."

(H. 3221.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, May 10, 1888.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 9th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Washington :--- "Quarantine Port of Wilmington, North Carolina from May 1, vessels arriving from ports south of Cape Fear and Mediterranean, steamships without regard to port of clearance.

Admiralty, 8th May, 1888.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets Doyle Money Shaw, C.B., has been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 7th May, 1888.

Admiralty, 10th May, 1888.

Staff Surgeon John Kelly Conway, M.D., has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th May, 1888.

War Office, Pall Mull,

11th May, 1888.

- Royal Artillery, Major Arthur George Dugdale retires upon retired pay. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Captain Charles Beaumont d'Anyers Willis retires on retired pay. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Captain George Nugent retires from the Service,
- receiving a gratuity. Dated 12th May, 1888. Captain the Honourable George Augustus Anson Dated 12th May, resigns his Commission. 1888.
- Lieutenant Edward Travers Dixon resigns his Commission. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Lieutenant Herbert Turner resigns his Commission. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Lieutenant Alfred Capel-Cure, from Supernumerary to the Establishment, to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. English, seconded for service as an Officer in charge of Danger Buildings, Royal Laboratory. Dated 1st April, 1888. Lieutenant Algernon Winn Chaldecott has been
- placed upon the Seconded List, on appointment as a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2. th September, 1887.
- The undermentioned Lieutenants have been placed upon the Seconded List, on appointment to No. 1 Bombay Native Mountain Battery. Dated 13th April, 1888 :-Arthur Reade Braid.

Frederick Robert McCrea de Butts.

- Coast Brigade, Lieutenant Edward Dixon to be Captain, vice E. Fountain, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Artillery. Dated 20th April, 1888.
- Superintending Clerk William Paine Furner to be Lieutenant, vice E. Price, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Artillery. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Class Master-Gunner Thomas Young First Osmond to be Lieutenant, vice E. Dixon, promoted. Dated 12th May, 1888.
- Royal Engineers, The undermentioned Captains to be Majors, to complete Establishment. Dated 1st April, 1888 :-

James Cameron.

Mortimer Durant Whitmore.

Brevet-Major William Peacocke.

Richard Theodore Orpen.

George Robert Rollo Savage.

Pechell Haslett.

George William Addison.

- Alfred Porcelli.
- James White Thurburn.

Frederic Gosset.

Captain Chandos Hoskyns to be Major, vice A. Hill, promoted. Dated 4th April, 1888.