

The Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant George A. McLean Buckley resigns his Commission. Dated 11th September, 1889.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles H. Sillifant resigns his Commission. Dated 11th September, 1889.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Captain George C. B. Baker resigns his Commission. Dated 11th September, 1889.

The Manchester Regiment, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Walter Facer retires upon retired pay. Dated 11th September, 1889.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Corporal of Horse Alexander Gordon Maxwell, from the Royal Horse Guards, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. McCrea, seconded. Dated 11th September, 1889.

Staff, Captain J. Stacpole, the Leicestershire Regiment, attached to the Army Service Corps, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 1st July, 1889.

Colonel R. K. Bayly, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, to be a Deputy Adjutant-General, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Major-General R. Blundell - Hollinshead - Blundell, promoted. Dated 30th August, 1889.

Medical Staff, Surgeon James Perceval Myles has been seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 4th August, 1889.

Veterinary Department, Fitzpatrick Eassie, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon on probation, in succession to Veterinary-Surgeon, First Class, F. Walker, promoted. Dated 11th September, 1889.

MEMORANDA.

Major Robert G. Warton, retired pay, has been permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 22nd August, 1889.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant J. Keeshan, the Welsh Regiment, to be granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 13th September, 1889.

Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Charles Duke, Bombay Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 25th May, 1889.

Deputy Assistant Commissary John Lewis, Bombay Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 25th May, 1889.

India Office, 10th September, 1889.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Indian Medical Service:—

To be Surgeons. Dated 30th March, 1889:—

BENGAL.

Fairlie Russell Ozzard.
Adam Rivers Steele Anderson.
John Telfer Calvert.
Edgar Jennings.
Theodore Mayo Stiles.
Arthur Gervase Hendley.

BOMBAY.

William Symonds Percival Ricketts.
Charles Malcolm Moore.
George William Jenney.
Charles Tilson Hudson.

Civil Service Commission, September 10, 1889.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified

for the appointments set against their respective names:—

September 5, 1889.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Lower Division: Boy Clerk, William Bonds Trethowan.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, London, William Elphick, William Albert Savage.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Thomas Bailey (Manchester), Eleanor Maddison (Alnwick).

Postmen, Charles William Dixon (Derby), Harry George Gosden (Dartford), John Kelly (Listowel), William Kingston (Towcester), Sydney Thomas Nicholls (Sittingbourne), Richmond Robinson (South Shields).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST.
Harry Vernon Moore.

September 6, 1889.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Joseph Evans.

War Office: Messenger, Edward McCardle.

Post Office: Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Bray, Robert Moffitt Loverock.

Postmen, James Younger Bell (Brechin), John Philip Collett (Oxford), Arthur Lea (Wrexham).

September 7, 1889.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Service, Ireland: Warder, John Mahoney.

Post Office: Postman, Northallerton, Robert Parker.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 319 of the year 1889.)

NORTH AMERICA—WEST COAST.

HARO ARCHIPELAGO—MIDDLE CHANNEL.

North Bay—Buoy Marking Shoal at Entrance.

THE United States Government has given notice of the existence of a shoal, with three feet over it at low water, and marked by a patch of kelp about a quarter of a mile in extent, lying in the fairway of the entrance to North Bay, western side of Middle Channel:—

This shoal (New Shoal) is marked by a spar buoy, painted in horizontal stripes, and moored with the north extreme of Dinner Island bearing W. by S., distant six cables.

Position, lat. 48° 30½' N., long. 123° 0¼' W.

NOTE.—Vessels without local knowledge are recommended to pass southward of this shoal.

[The bearing is magnetic. Variation 23° Easterly in 1889.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

3rd September, 1889.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Haro and Rosario Straits, No. 2689; Haro Strait and Middle Channel, No. 2840; Griffin Bay and adjacent anchorages, No. 611. Also, British Columbia Pilot, 1888, page 98.

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MEDITERRANEAN—EGYPT.

Sunken Wreck off Damietta Mouth.

INFORMATION has been received, that a vessel with masthead showing above water lies sunk in a position dangerous to shipping off Damietta mouth of the River Nile in about 10