

to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Combined Counties of Elgin and Nairn, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this fifteenth day of September, 1889.

ARTHUR W. PERL, Speaker.

(H. 6745.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, September 17, 1889.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies the following Notice, dated the 30th August, 1889, from the Governor of Malta:—"His Excellency the Governor, having heard the opinion of the Board of Health, has been pleased to direct that the quarantine restrictions imposed by Government Notice No. 82, of 30th June, 1888, on arrivals from Sicily, be discontinued."

(H. 6746.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, September 17, 1889.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated the 16th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon:—"Quarantine on arrivals from Vigo has been raised."

Admiralty, 12th September, 1889.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-General John Michael de Courey Meade to be General, vice McArthur, retired. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Major-General Geoffrey Mairis to be Lieutenant-General, vice Meade. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Colonel-Commandant Arthur Huntly Hill Walsh to be Major-General, vice Mairis. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Colonel Second Commandant Mackey Andrew Herbert James Heriot to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Walsh. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Joseph Philips, C.B., to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Heriot. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederic Vincent Godfrey Bird to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Philips. Dated 8th September, 1889.

Admiralty, 13th September, 1889.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Henry Hand has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 9th September, 1889.

Engineer John Samuel Watch has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 13th August, 1889.

Staff Paymaster Thomas William Snell has been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 11th September, 1889.

Royal Naval Reserve.

John Spear, Esq., to be Honorary Chief Engineer. Dated 13th September, 1889.

Admiralty, 16th September, 1889.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Herbert Franklyn Crohan has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 16th September, 1889.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
17th September, 1889.*

Royal Horse Guards, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment:—

Wilfrid Francis Ricardo. Dated 18th September, 1889.

Algernon E. Burnaby. Dated 18th September, 1889.

7th Hussars, Captain Thomas Hone resigns his Commission. Dated 18th September, 1889.

10th Hussars, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Lord William A. Cavendish-Bentinck, vice the Honourable A. Lawley, promoted. Dated 10th August, 1889.

Bertram C. C. S. Meeking, to complete establishment. Dated 18th September, 1889.

12th Lancers, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment. Dated 18th September, 1889:—

Henry J. H. Platt.

H. Granville Heneage.

18th Hussars, Gentleman Cadet Bernard Elliot Church, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. A. Grant, resigned. Dated 18th September, 1889.

Royal Engineers, Colonel Willoughby Digby Marsh has retired upon retired pay, with an annuity. Dated 16th September, 1889.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Alfred Thomas Mander (late Bombay), upon the Indian Supernumerary List, to retire upon an Indian pension and extra annuity. Dated 23rd September, 1889.

Captain Edward Raban to be Major, vice J. R. McCullagh, placed upon half-pay. Dated 4th September, 1889.

The following Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Alexander Hugh Cowie, vice M. H. P. R. Sankey, retired. Dated 10th August, 1889.

Osbert Montague Roche Thackwell, vice E. Raban. Dated 4th September, 1889.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant William H. Astell is placed on temporary half-pay, on account of ill-health. Dated 18th September, 1889.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant Victor A. F. C., Lord Churchill, resigns his Commission. Dated 18th September, 1889.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant Wilfred S. Carey to be Captain, vice H. Mansel, deceased. Dated 18th September, 1889.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Major Edward Alfred Mostyn is placed on temporary half-pay, on account of ill-health. Dated 18th September, 1889.