

Whitehall, April 17, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Lieutenant Benjamin Cotton, Shropshire Light Infantry, Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Osmanieh of the Fourth Class, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, has been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions with the Egyptian Army.

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THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Henry Hearson, Esq., and Henry William Walker, Esq., Chief Engineers in Her Majesty's Fleet, Her Royal licence and authority that they may respectively accept and wear the Insignia of the First Grade of the Third Division of the Order of the Double Dragon, which His Majesty the Emperor of China has been pleased to confer upon them, in recognition of their services whilst actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions, as Instructors in the Naval College at Tientsin.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
April 14, 1890.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the compulsory formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish:—

Kettering Northampton

Admiralty, 16th April, 1890.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Fleet Surgeon James Dunlop, M.D., has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request.

Staff Surgeon Bernard Renshaw has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 9th April, 1890.

Admiralty, 17th April, 1890.

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

Commander James Bridgeham Haye has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 13th April, 1890.

Sub-Lieutenants Ronald Arthur Hopwood and Arthur Hearle Tremayne have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th February, 1890.

Paymaster Henry Dawson has this day been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
18th April, 1890.*

1st Dragoons, Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General Frederick Marshall, C.M.G., to be Colonel, vice General John Yorke, C.B., deceased. Dated 29th March, 1890.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant-General and Honorary General Reginald Yonge Shipley, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General and Honorary General Sir Henry Errington Longden, K.C.B., C.S.I., deceased. Dated 30th January, 1890.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Lieutenant-General and Honorary General Robert Bruce to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General and Honorary General John Hope Wingfield, deceased. Dated 4th February, 1890.

The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant-General and Honorary General Thomas Addison, C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Arnold Charles Errington, deceased. Dated 1st April, 1890.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General Robert Beaufoy Hawley, C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General the Honourable Sir Arthur Edward Hardinge, K.C.B., C.I.E., extra Equerry to the Queen, Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar, transferred to the Colonelcy of the Coldstream Guards. Dated 26th February, 1890.

India Office, 18th April, 1890.

THE Queen has approved of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces and Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Henry Macan Mason. Dated 8th February, 1890.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Thomas Henry Hardy, from the Worcestershire Regiment, dated 24th November, 1888, but to rank from 25th August, 1888.

Lieutenant Herbert Lance Richardson, from the Yorkshire Light Infantry, dated 19th June, 1888, but to rank from 7th February, 1885.

Lieutenant George Templer Widdicombe, from the Leinster Regiment, dated 10th June, 1888, but to rank from 30th January, 1886.

Lieutenant Frederick Anderson Kingston, from the Leinster Regiment, dated 10th June, 1888, but to rank from 30th January, 1886.

Lieutenant Philip Charles Palin, from the Cheshire Regiment, dated 15th June, 1888, but to rank from 28th April, 1886.

Lieutenant Benjamin May Kempson, from the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, dated 1st July, 1888, but to rank from 25th August, 1886.

Lieutenant Cyril Edward Wood, from the Bedfordshire Regiment, dated 23rd May, 1888, but to rank from 25th August, 1886.

Lieutenant Henry Carew Ricketts, from the Royal Irish Fusiliers. Dated 9th June, 1888, but to rank from 10th November, 1886.

Lieutenant Hugh Ryves Wallis, from the Highland Light Infantry. Dated 29th June, 1888, but to rank from 3rd April, 1889.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Godfrey de Vaud Chichester, from the Manchester Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1888.