In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 17th February, 1886, the undermentioned Staff Paymasters have been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster on the Retired List:—

William Dashwood Hirtzel. Dated 7th August,

1891.

Bernard Francis Meyer. Dated 6th September, 1891.

Admiralty, 26th March, 1892.

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

Vice-Admiral George Lydiard Sulivan has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from the same date:—

Rear-Admiral Alexander Buller, C.B., to be

Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Captain Edmund Charles Drummond, Ad.C., to

be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Rear-Admiral Sir George Strong Nares, K.C.B.,
F.R.S., to be Vice-Admiral on the Retired

List.

Engineer John Lake Michell has been promoted

Engineer John Lake Michell has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 4th March, 1892.

Admiralty, 28th March, 1892.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—

Engineer Horatio Frederick Walton has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 27th March, 1892.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 15th September, 1887—

Chief Gunner Charles Edmund Cox has been allowed to assume the rank of Lieutenant on retirement. Dated 24th December, 1891.

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- 13th Hussars, Captain Walter C. Smithson is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 2nd December, 1891.
- 15th Hussars, Captain C. W. W. De Vere Beauclerk retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 30th March, 1892.

Supernumerary Captain James K. P. Gordon to be Captain, vice C. W. W. De Vere Beauclerk. Dated 30th March, 1892.

- 19th Hussars, Second Lieutenant Wellington R. P. Stapleton-Cotton, from 18th Hussars, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. R. Grafton, resigned. Dated 30th March, 1892.
- 21st Hussars, Lieutenant Charles J. Clerk is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 11th November, 1891.
- Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel John Philip Steel (late Bengal), Indian Supernumerary List, retires on an Indian pension and extra annuity. Dated 30th March, 1892.
- Grenadier Guards, Second Lieutenant Arthur C. Wombwell resigns his Commission. Dated 30th March, 1892.
- Scots Guards, Lieutenant Edward Milner is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 18th March, 1892.

Gentlemen Cadet the Honourable Gavin George Hamilton, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. W. Smith-Neill, appointed Adjutant. Dated 30th March, 1892.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Lieutenant Edward Oakes to be Captain, vice E. E. B. Oldfield, placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 4th March, 1892.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Holohan retires on retired pay. Dated 30th March, 1892.

Garrison Sergeant-Major Francis Pidgeon to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain W. Holohan. Dated 30th March, 1892.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Captain Richard W. Deane is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 8th February, 1892.

The South Wales Borderers, The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—W. H. F. Basevi, to 3rd November, 1891, vice

 G. H. Grant, promoted.
 E. G. Jones, Probationer Indian Staff Corps, to 18th November, 1891, vice T. F. Kelly,

resigned.

M. J. B. de la Poer Beresford, to 18th November, 1891, to complete establishment.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Captain George W. W. Savile is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 22nd October, 1891.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Supernumerary Captain George L. B. Killick to be Captain, vice L. W. G. Butler, retired. Dated 28th March, 1892.

The Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Robert W. Studdy, on completion of six years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on retired pay. Dated 18th March, 1892.

Captain Lynch H. Prioleau is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 1st February, 1892.

The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Captain Henry Sherwood Smith is antedated to 1st February, 1892, vice L. H. Prioleau.

The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, The appointment to a Second Lieutenancy of Second Lieutenant A. W. Gilmour, from the 3rd Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment, which appeared in the Gazette of 11th March, 1892, is cancelled.

Army Service Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Hugh Armstrong retires on retired pay. Dated 30th March, 1892.

Staff, Lieutenant-General A. J. Lyon Fremantle, C.B., to be Deputy Adjutant-General for Militia, Yeomanry, and Volunteers at Head-Quarters, vice Lieutenant-General Sir R. Gipps, K.C.B., appointed Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief at Head-Quarters. Dated 28th March, 1892.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel E. Cunningham, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Colonel on the Staff in India, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel W. H. Ross, Indian Staff Corps, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 10th January, 1892.