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Board of Trade (Harbour Department),

London, May 9, 1892.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated 31st March, 1892, from Her Majesty's Representative at Guayaquil, stating that the Board of Health and foreign Consuls in that city are now issuing clean bills of health to all vessels clearing from that port, and that the quarantine restrictions recently imposed on vessels from Guayaquil, in Peruvian and other ports, have now been removed.

Admiralty, 6th May, 1892.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz:—

Edward George Pitt Moffett. Dated 12th April, 1892.

Robert Samuel George Norgate. Dated 19th April, 1892.

Admiralty, 7th May, 1892.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881— Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets John Fisher has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

Admiralty, 9th May, 1892.

THE following Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed:—

The Honourable Algernon Douglas Edward Harry Boyle. Dated 21st October, 1890.

Algernon Walker Heneage. Dated 14th November, 1890.

Montagu Lister Hulton. Dated 14th November, 1890.

Henry Gosset Vereker. Dated 14th November, 1890.

Frederick Laurence Field. Dated 14th November 1800

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Herbert William James. Dated 14th December, 1890.

Harry Clarence Boyle. Dated 14th December, 1890.

Edward Leonard Booty. Dated 14th December, 1890.

James Douglas Dick. Dated 14th January, 1891.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's

The Honourable Algernon Douglas Edward Harry Boyle. Dated 21st October, 1891.

James Douglas Dick. Dated 14th January, 1892.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Engineer John Morley to be Senior Engineer. Dated 5th May, 1892.

War Office; Pall Mall,

10th May, 1892.

- 6th Dragoon Guords, Gentleman Cadet John Leslie Reid, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice G. Armitage, resigned. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- 5th Lancers, Lieutenant William Henry Goodair to be Captain, vice A. W. Daniel, seconded. Dated 9th March, 1892.
- Second Lieutenant H. H. Hulse to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. Goodair. Dated 9th March, 1892.

- 6th Dragoons, Honorary Queen's Cadet George Frederick Steele, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. S. Sharpe, resigned. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- 9th Lancers, Captain Ronald McFarlane retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- Lieutenant Frederick T. Lund, from 3rd Hussars, to be Captain, vice R. McFarlane. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- 16th Lancers, Troop Sergeant-Major Rough-Rider James Laing, from the Cavalry Depôt Staff, to be Riding-Master, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Lieutenant T. A. Tooth, deceased. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- 17th Lancers, Lieutenant A. J. T., Earl of Ava, resigns his Commission. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colone Montagu Willes Ommanney (late Bengal), from the Indian Supernumerary List, retires on an Indian pension and extra annuity. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Edmund George Battiscombe (late Bombay), from the Indian Supernumerary List, retires on an Indian pension and extra annuity. Dated 11th April, 1892.
- Captain Walter Stanbury Churchward, from the Seconded List, to be Major, vice G. W. R. Howard-Vyse, deceased. Dated 30th April, 1892.
- Lieutenant George Tyacke, from the Seconded List, to be Lieutenant, vice A. S. Buckle, seconded. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- seconded. Dated 1st April, 1892.

 Lieutenant Francis Henry Ernest Brouncker, from the Seconded List, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Second Lieutenant R. S. Pottinger. Dated 1st May, 1892.
- The undermentioned Officers are seconded: -
- Lieutenant Cosmo Gordon Stewart, for service with a Battery of Native Artillery. Dated 1st May, 1892.
- Second Lieutenant Robert Southey Pottinger, for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 1st May, 1892.
- The second Christian name of Second Lieutenant G. C. Sturrock is Colleymore, and not as stated in the Gazette of 8th March, 1892.
- The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Second Lieutenants:—
- Alec Francis Porcher, in succession to Lieutenant W. N. Gordon, appointed to the St. Lucia Company, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- Stuart Ogilvy Boyd, in succession to Lieutenant R. St. L. Moore, appointed to the Jamaica Company, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1892.
- Grenadier Guards, Captain John H. Reynolds retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 11th May, 1892.
- Scots Guards, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 4th May, 1892:—
- Edward Milner, vice N. J. Menzies, retired. William P. Pulteney, Adjutant, to complete establishment.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Major Bernard A. Beale retires on retired pay. Dated 11th May, 1892.