the said Fairfax Blomfield Wade and his issue by the petitioner, the said Harriet Ruth Wade, may bear the arms of Palmer quarterly with those of Wade, and that she, the said Harriet Ruth Wade, may bear the arms of Palmer quarterly with those of Pym; the said arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

Crown Office, June 24, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to appoint—

Reginald Brown, Esq., of the Middle Temple; Hugo Joseph Young, Esq., of the Inner Temple;

John Scott Fox, Esq., of Lincoln's-inn and the Middle Temple;

Ernest Page, Esq., of the Inner Temple; Thomas Raffles Hughes, Esq., of Lincoln's-inn; Henry Charles Richards, Esq., of Gray's-inn and the Middle Temple;

Edward Marshall-Hall, Esq., of the Inner Temple;

Rufus Daniel Isaacs, Esq., of the Middle Temple; and

Edward Boyle, Esq., of the Inner Temple; to be of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law.

Crown Office, June 24, 1898.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Hertford.

Ea tern or Hertford Division.

Evelyn Cecil, Esq., in the place of Abel Smith,

Esq., deceased.

Admiralty, 18th June, 1898.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Major Harry Reginald Lockyer Pym is placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 17th June, 1898.

Admiralty, 20th June, 1898.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Major Augustus Simeon Le Quesne is advanced to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel by Brevet, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 19th March, 1883. Dated 12th June, 1898.

Admiralty, 21st June, 1898.

Assistant-Paymaster Hammet Holditch Share has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet Dated 9th June, 1898.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Eyre Robbins is placed on the Retired List, at his own request, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, 5th February, 1872, and 29th November, 1881. Dated 22nd June, 1898.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Horatio de Montmorency Roche, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant - Colonel, vice Robbins, retired. Dated 22nd June, 1898.

Captain Leonard Christopher Peters to be Major, vice Roche, promoted. Dated 22nd June, 1898.

Admiralty, 22nd June, 1898.

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

Albert Edward Cox. Dated 19th May, 1898. Henry Charles Wonham Peel. Dated 21st May, 1898.

John Tom Hickman Ward. Dated 27th May, 1898.

Harold Gaisford. Dated 31st May, 1898. David Peacock. Dated 1st June, 1898.

Admiralty, 23rd June, 1898.

THE undermentioned Chief Engineers have been advanced to the rank of Staff Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

William Thomas Hocken.
Dated 31st May, 1898.
George William Hudson.
Frederick John Flood.
Dated 1st June, 1898.

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th June, 1898.

2nd Life Guards, Lieutenant Sir George Lionel Lawson Bagot Prescott, Bart., from 4th Battalion the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable Osbert C. Molyneux, resigned. Dated 25th June, 1898.

1st Drayoon Guards, Second Lieutenant D. A. Rasbotham to be Lieutenant, vice D. Parker, resigned. Dated 18th May, 1898.

5th Dragoon Guards, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant G. H. Watson is antedated to 23rd December, 1897, vice R. L. C. Wilkinson, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps.

4th Hussars, Second Lieutenant A. M. Rotheram to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable Hugo Baring, resigned. Dated 8th June, 1898.

12th Lancers, Second Lieutenant R. S. Grenfell to be Lieutenant, vice B. H. Piercy, resigned. Dated 11th May, 1898.

Royal Engineers, Second Lieutenant Gilbert Robertson Frith to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th June, 1898.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant Dudley Ferrars Loftus retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 25th June, 1898.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. F. Crichton, vice Lieutenant Lord Edward
H. Cecil, seconded. Dated 12th March, 1898.
F. L. V. Swaine, vice W. W. Ashley, resigned.
Dated 11th May, 1899.

J. A. Morrison, vice D. F. Loftus. Dated 25th June, 1898.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Colonel Edward Agincourt Brind, 39th Regimental District (the Dorsetshire Regiment), retires on retired pay. Dated 25th June, 1898.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Norfolk Regiment, Second Lieutenant R. D. F. Oldman to be Lieutenant, vice A. S. Campbell, seconded. Dated 5th May, 1898.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Licutenant Samuel FitzG. Cox to be Captain, in succession to Major W. G. Grant, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 11th March, 1898.

Sec and Lieutenant H. Hodgson to be Lieutenant, vice S. FitzG. Cox. Dated 11th March, 1893.