

of Great Britain and Ireland, unto Sir Samuel George Bonham, K.C.B., Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Hong Kong and its dependencies, and Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary and Chief Superintendent of British Trade in China, and to the heirs-male of his body lawfully begotten.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 23, 1852.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Richard Bingham, late Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Naples, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General in the Republic of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William R. Holmes, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Batoom, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Diarbekir.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Campbell, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Venice, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Dunkirk.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Daniel Brooke Robertson, Esq. now British Vice-Consul at Shanghai, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Amoy.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint John George Cope Lewis Newnham, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Republic of Liberia.

WESTMINSTER, November 17, 1852.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to an Act agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Act, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

An Act to make provision concerning Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes payable in the Metropolis on the day appointed for the Funeral of Arthur, late Duke of Wellington.

DUBLIN-CASTLE, November 20, 1852.

The Lords Justices have directed the following changes to take place in the Stations of the under-mentioned Resident Magistrates, under the provisions of the Act 6 Wm. 4, c. 13, viz.:—Captain Pollock, R.M., to take charge of the Cork District, and Thomas Brereton to take charge of the Parsonstown District, in the King's County.

DUBLIN CASTLE, November 23, 1852.

The Lords Justices have been pleased to approve of the Honourable Cavendish Butler being appointed a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Cavan.

WAR-OFFICE, November 23, 1852.

1st Dragoon Guards—Ensign Richard G. Bomford Bolton, from the 48th Foot, to be Cornet, by purchase. Dated 23d November 1852.

7th Dragoon Guards—Herbert Cleveland, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Maclean, appointed to the 13th Light Dragoons. Dated 23d November 1852.

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10th Light Dragoons—James Alston Clark, gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cass, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

16th Light Dragoons—Honourable Hugh Rowley to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Leader, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

1st Regiment of Foot—George Roe Fenwick, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Scroope, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

3d Foot—Lieutenant Richard George Amherst Luard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Blair, who retires. Dated 23d November 1852.

Ensign Leonard Sidebottom to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Luard. Dated 23d November 1852.

William Ross Turner, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Neville, appointed to the 86th Foot. Dated 23d November 1852.

8th Foot—William Cole Hamilton, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Grierson, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

13th Foot—John Angerstein Rowley, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Montgomery, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

14th Foot—Thomas Prittie Cosby, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Helyar, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

Walter Frederick Blunt, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Coote, promoted. Dated 24th November 1852.

16th Foot—William Henry Rainsford, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Quin, promoted in the 73d Foot. Dated 23d November 1852.

18th Foot—Robert Hoey-Jex Blake, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Gibbons, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

21st Foot—Lieutenant John Watson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Albony, deceased. Dated 6th November 1852.

Second Lieutenant Crofton Peddie to be First Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Watson. Dated 23d November 1852.

Gentleman Cadet John George Image, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Peddie. Dated 23d November 1852.

Assistant Staff-Surgeon Arthur Jackson Greer to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edge, who resigns. Dated 23d November 1852.

22d Foot—Lawrence Nicholas Dyre Hammond, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Cairncross, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

23d Foot—Joseph Henry Butler, gent. to be Second Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

25th Foot—James Moorhead, gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Harvey, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

27th Foot—William Stackhouse Church Pinwill, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase. Dated 23d November 1852.

30th Foot—Gentleman Cadet James Cavendish Hobbs, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice La Touche, deceased. Dated 23d November 1852.

35th Foot—Edward Tedlie, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hardinge, who retires. Dated 23d November 1852.

37th Foot—Frederick John Nash Ind, gent. to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Baker, promoted. Dated 23d November 1852.

39th Foot—Lieutenant Charles Thomas Hamilton, to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Stokes, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 23d November 1852.

Ensign Thomas Carpendale Baird to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hamilton. Dated 23d November 1852.