## FOREIGN OFFICE, March 18, 1870.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Jacobo Bermudez de Castro as Consul-General for Spain for the British Possessions in North America, to reside at Quebec; of Don Domingo Rilova as Consul for Spain at Singapore; and of Don Juan Padrós y Prim as Vice-Consul for Spain for the West Coast of Africa, to reside at Sierra Leone.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr Sebastiao Antonio de Carvalho as Vice-Consul at Bombay for His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves.

## DUBLIN CASTLE, March 22, 1870.

Her Majesty's letters-patent have passed the Great Seal of Ireland, appointing David Sherlock, Esquire, Q.C., M.P., to be Third Serjeant-at-Law in Ireland, in the room of Richard Dowse, Esquire, Q.C., M.P., appointed Solicitor-General in Ireland.

## DUBLIN CASTLE, March 22, 1870.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Denis Caulfield Brady, Esquire, to be a Deputy-Lieutenant for the county of Down, in the room of Isaac Corry, Esquire, deceased.

#### DUBLIN CASTLE, March 22, 1870.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to approve of the appointment of John Mulholland, Esquire, to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of Down, in the room of John Waring Maxwell, Esquire, deceased.

# PENSIONS COMMUTATION ACT, 32 & 33 Vic. cap. 32.

Officers and other persons of the Naval or Military Services qualified to avail themselves of the Pensions Commutation Act of 1869. and desirous of commuting their Half-Pay, Retired Pay, Compensation Allowance, Superannuation, or Retirement Allowance, are hereby informed that, on application to the War Office, in the case of Officers whose allowances are chargeable on the votes for the Army Service, or to the Admiralty, in the case of Officers whose allowances are chargeable on the votes of the Navy Service, they will receive instructions as to the mode of making their proposals for commutation.

No application for the Commutation of Pensions of Widows or Children will be entertained.

Treasury Chambers, March 17, 1870.

# WAR-OFFICE, PALL-MALL, March 22, 1870.

- Royal Regiment of Horse Guards—The second Christian name of Cornet Viscount Dalrymple is *Hew*, and not *Hugh*, as stated in Gazette of 25th February 1870.
- 1st Dragoon Guards—Lieutenant Frederick Henry Huth to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Taddy Hatfeild, who retires. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Cornet Charles A. Gough Becher to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Charles Fox, who retires. Dated 23d March 1870.

- 1st Dragoons—Cornet Willoughby Charles Cotton has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Serjeant-Major George Clements to be Quartermaster, vice William Scott, who retires on halfpay. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 5th Lancers—Cornet Henry Stanley Williamson has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 14th Hussars—Cornet Charles James Maxwell Lefroy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gerald E. MacCarthy, who retires. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Royal Artillery Captain and Brevet Major Edward Harrison (late Bengal), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice G. Moir, C.B., deceased. Dated 6th February 1870.

Second Captain Christopher Hewetson Barnes (late Bengal), to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major E. Harrison. Dated 6th February 1870.

- Lieutenant Henry Cotton (late Bengal), to be Second Captain, vice C. H. Barnes. Dated 6th February 1870.
- Second Captain and Brevet-Major John Bonham (late Bengal), to be Captain, vice A. Fraser, deceased. Dated 18th February 1870.
- deceased. Dated 18th February 1870. Lieutenant James Charles (late Bengal), to be Second Captain, vice Brevet-Major J. Bonham. Dated 18th February 1870.
- Grenadier Guards Lieutenant and Captain Alfred Molyneux Byng to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice William S. Ewart, who retires. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Ensign and Lieutenant Lord Algernon Charles Gordon-Lennox to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Byng. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Ralph Leeke, gent. to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lord A. C. Gordon-Lennox. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 2d Foot—Captain St John Willans, from 4th Foot, to be Captain, vice R. T. Gwyn, who exchanges. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 4th Foot—Captain Reginald Thoresby Gwyn, from 2d Foot, to be Captain, vice St J. Willans, who exchanges. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 7th Foot—Ensign Robert Tomkyns Hawkes has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 8th Foot—Lieutenant Marmaduke Stourton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Martin George Cole, who retires. Dated 23d March 1870.
- Ensign Arthur Ashley Ruck to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stourton. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 11th Foot—Lieutenant John William O'Callaghan has been permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 19th Foot—Ensign Stuart Erskine Rolland has been permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23d March 1870.
- 21st Foot—Captain James Bower Jackson, from 3d West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice J. Browne, who exchanges. Dated 23d March 1870.