

*Foreign-Office, March 27, 1840.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Peter, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul for the State of Pennsylvania, to reside at Philadelphia.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint John Storey Penleaze, Esq. to be Her Majesty's Consul at Amsterdam.

*Whitehall, March 24, 1840.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Samborne Stucley Palmer, of Timsbury-house, near Bath, in the county of Somerset, Esq. Her royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Samborne, in addition to and after that of Palmer, and also bear the arms of Samborne; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise Her Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

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

*Whitehall, March 26, 1840.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Lieutenant George-William-Roper Yule, of the Royal Marines, Her royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the cross, of the first class, of the National and Military Order of San Fernando, which the Queen Regent of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of Her Catholic Majesty's royal approbation of his services in the various actions which took place from the 10th day of May 1836 to November 1837; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed: provided, nevertheless, that Her Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorize the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privileges appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And also to command, that the said concession and especial mark of Her royal favour be registered, together with the relative documents, in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*War-Office, 27th March 1840.*

*1st Regiment of Life Guards*, Ensign and Lieutenant George Henry Cavendish, from the Scots' Fusilier Guards, to be Cornet and Sub Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bromley, who retires. Dated 27th March 1840.

Reresby Sitwell, Gent. to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Greville, who retires. Dated 28th March 1840.

*2d Regiment of Life Guards*, Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Edmund Vernon Mackinnon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Peyton, who retires. Dated 27th March 1840.

Second Lieutenant Honourable Cornwallis Maude; from the 60th Foot, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mackinnon. Dated 27th March 1840.

*7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Cornet John Campbell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Peters, who retires. Dated 27th March 1840.

Robert Wigram Arkwright, Gent. to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 27th March 1840.

*4th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant Archibald Edmund Bromwich to be Captain, without purchase, vice Ogle, deceased. Dated 30th November 1839.

Cornet William Augustine Hyder to be Lieutenant, vice Bromwich. Dated 30th November 1839.

*16th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Lieutenant Charles Frederick Havelock to be Captain, without purchase, vice Hilton, deceased. Dated 12th December 1839.

Ensign Edward B. Cureton, from the 13th Foot, to be Cornet, without purchase. Dated 27th March 1840.

Cornet Patrick Dynon to be Adjutant, vice Havelock, promoted. Dated 12th December 1839.

*Scots' Fusilier Guards*, George William Mercer, Gent. to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cavendish, appointed to the 1st Regiment of Life Guards. Dated 27th March 1840.

*2d Regiment of Foot*, Ensign Henry Piercy to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Thomas Gravatt, killed in action. Dated 14th November 1839.

Ensign John Hardie Kippen to be Lieutenant, vice Piercy, whose promotion, on 30th December 1839, has been cancelled. Dated 30th December 1839.

Thomas James Drummond Reed, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Kippen. Dated 27th March 1840.

*9th Foot*, Lieutenant Walter Foster Ker to be Captain, without purchase, vice Metcalfe, deceased. Dated 15th October 1839.

Ensign Charles Spencer Gaynor to be Lieutenant, vice Ker. Dated 15th October 1839.

William Graham Cassidy, Gent. to be Ensign, vice Gaynor. Dated 27th March 1840.

*14th Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Daly to be Captain, without purchase, vice Beere, deceased. Dated 15th January 1840.

Ensign Robert William Romer to be Lieutenant, vice Daly. Dated 15th January 1840.

Ensign Arthur H. Elton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Romer, whose promotion, by purchase, has been cancelled. Dated 27th March 1840.

Thomas Dowse, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Elton, promoted. Dated 27th March 1840.

*17th Foot*, Lieutenant John Thomas Nagel to be Captain, without purchase, vice Hackett, deceased. Dated 21st October 1839.

Ensign John L. Croker to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Corry, deceased. Dated 5th June 1839.