

*Whitehall, May 7, 1851.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Montgomerie Bell, Esq. Advocate, to be Sheriff of the shiire or sheriffdom of Kincardine, in the room of John Cowan, Esq. resigned.

*Whitehall, May 8, 1851.*

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Robert Montgomery Lord Bellhaven to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

*Whitehall, May 8, 1851.*

The Queen has been pleased to nominate the Reverend John Watson to be the Officiating Minister of the church of Newborough, in the county of Northampton, and diocese of Peterborough, the same being void by the resignation of the Reverend Christopher Carr.

*War-Office, 9th May 1851.*

*2nd Regiment of Dragoons*, Cornet Thomas Price Gratrex to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hozier, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

*4th Light Dragoons*, Cornet and Adjutant George Ellis to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 8th May 1851.

Cornet Hedworth Hylton Jolliffe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ford, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Cornet Herbert James Fairlie to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brandreth, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

*2nd Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant William Henry Poulett to be Captain, by purchase, vice Tobin, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Ensign John Tolcher to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Poulett. Dated 9th May 1851.

*6th Foot*, Lieutenant Sydney James Timbrell, from half-pay 31st Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Macintosh, deceased. Dated 9th May 1851.

*7th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Sowden Payne, from Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Cameron, appointed to the 10th Foot. Dated 9th May 1851.

*10th Foot*, Lieutenant George John Arnolds Cameron, from the 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Miller, appointed to the 39th Foot. Dated 9th May 1851.

Ensign Thomas Chevallier Robertson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bendyshe, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Second Lieutenant Edwyn Stanhope Jervois, from the Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Ensign, vice Robertson. Dated 9th May 1851.

*23rd Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Bruce to be Captain, by purchase, vice Rickford, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Hopton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Battye, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Second Lieutenant and Adjutant Henry D'Oyley Torrens to have the rank of First Lieutenant. Dated 8th May 1851.

Second Lieutenant Corbett Holland to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bruce. Dated 9th May 1851.

Second Lieutenant Jervoise Clarke Jervoise to be First Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hopton. Dated 9th May 1851.

*34th Foot*, Assistant-Surgeon William Legge Reid, M.D. from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Clutterbuck, who exchanges. Dated 9th May 1851.

*39th Foot*, Lieutenant John Miller, from the 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dalrymple, promoted to an Unattached company. Dated 9th May 1851.

*53rd Foot*, Major William R. Mansfield to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice John Byrne, C.B. who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

Captain Charles Lempriere to be Major, by purchase, vice Mansfield. Dated 9th May 1851.

Lieutenant Frederick Gordon Steward, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Lempriere. Dated 9th May 1851.

Ensign Graham Taylor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Steward. Dated 9th May 1851.

*58th Foot*, Assistant-Surgeon Benjamin Tydd, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Philson, who resigns. Dated 9th May 1851.

*75th Foot*, Quartermaster John Dunlop, from half-pay 76th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Richard Berry, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th May 1851.

*98th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Stanhope Smelt, from half-pay Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Flood, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 9th May 1851.

*2nd West India Regiment*, Assistant-Surgeon James Edmund Clutterbuck, M.D. from the 34th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Reid, who exchanges. Dated 9th May 1851.

*Ceylon Rifle Regiment*, Captain William Grenfell, from half-pay 21st Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice William Henry Underwood, who exchanges. Dated 9th May 1851.

Lieutenant John Anthony Layard to be Captain, without purchase, vice Fenwick, deceased. Dated 31st December 1870.

Lieutenant Horace George Hayes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Grenfell, who retires. Dated 9th May 1851.

#### UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant John Fitz Roy Dalrymple, from the 39th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 9th May 1851.

#### HOSPITAL STAFF.

Harriss Carr Brakyn, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces. Dated 9th May 1851.

William James Ingham, Gent. to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Tydd, appointed to the 58th Foot. Dated 9th May 1851.

#### BREVET.

Major-General Sir Richard Armstrong, C.B. to have the local rank of Lieutenant-General in the East Indies. Dated 30th April 1851.

Captain William Grenfell, of the Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Major in the Army. Dated 10th January 1837.