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TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1853.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 17, 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness Prince Albert will, by the desire of Her Majesty, hold Levees at St. James's-Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on the following days, at two o'clock:

Wednesday, 2nd March next. Wednesday, 9th March next.

It is Her Majesty's pleasure that presentations to His Royal Highness at these Levees shall be considered equivalent to presentations to the Queen.

Addresses to the Queen may either be forwarded to Her Majesty through the Secretary of State for the Home Department, or may be reserved until Her Majesty shall hold a Levee.

Crown-Office.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

February 28, 1853.

County of Forfar.

The Honourable Lauderdale Maule, presently residing at Brechin Castle, Suveyor-General of the Ordnance.

March 1.

County of Worcester.

Western Division.

Henry Lygon, Esq., commonly called Viscount Elmley, in the room of the Honourable Henry Beauchamp Lygon, now Earl Beauchamp, called to the House of Peers.

> War-Office, 1st March, 1853. 20th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Sir William Chalmers, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Andrew Pilkington, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 28th February, 1853.

50th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General the Right Honourable Sir George Arthur, Bart., to be Colonel, vice Major-General James Allan, C.B., deceased. Dated 28th February, 1853. Admiralty, 28th February, 1853.

IN consideration of the successful operations against Rangoon and Pegu, and in the Irrawaddy River, the following Naval Promotions have taken place, dated the 25th instant:

To be Captain.

Commander Charles Frederick Alexander Shadwell.

To be Commanders.

Lieutenant John William Dorville. Lieutenant Henry Shank Hillyar. Lieutenant Rowley Lambert. Lieutenant George William Rice.

To be Lieutenants.

Mr. Hugh Alan Hinde, Mate. Mr. Charles Ashwell Boteler Pocock, Mate.

To be Master.

Mr. Richard Sturgess, Second Master.

To be Surgeons.

Mr. Thomas Seccombe, Assistant Surgeon. Mr. Henry Slade, Assistant Surgeon.

To be Boatswain of the Second Class.

Mr. John Campbell, Boatswain of the Third Class.

The Board have further directed the promotions of the undermentioned officers, contingent on their passing the required examinations:

Mr. Robert Cronyn Copland, Mate, to be Lieutenant.

Mr. John Felix Johnson, Assistant Surgeon, to be Surgeon.

John Minton, Boatswain's Mate, to be Boatswain.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

The Right Honourable Charles William, Earl Fitzwilliam, K.G., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th February, 1853.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Robert Hanbury, junior, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1853.

Hugh Parnell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th February, 1853.

Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

Theophilus Caractacus Lewis, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 26th February, 1853.