War Office, February 20, 1864.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Major-General Duncan Alexander Cameron, CB. (having the local rank of Lieutenant-General while in command of the Troops in New Zealand), to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, February 22, 1864.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Samuel Otis Johnson as Consul in the Bahama Islands for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Eduardo Verdegay as Vice-Consul at Newcastle for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Nelson Arnold as Vice-Consul at Dublin for the Republic of Haiti.

Downing Street, February 23, 1864.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph William Trutch, Esq., to be Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor-General for the Colony of British Columbia.

Whitehall, February 23, 1864.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Robert Francis Colvin to the Church and Parish of Saint Leonard's in the Presbytery of Saint Andrew's, and County of Fife, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend John Cook, D.D.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, February 22, 1864.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Notification from the Prussian Ambassador, that the Beacons at Swinemunde were extinguished on the 11th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd February, 1864.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend M. C. O'Dell, Chaplain of the Fourth Class, to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 6th December, 1863.

Admiralty, February 23, 1864.

With reference to the London Gazette of the 16th instant, Retired Captain Reginald Yorke has been advanced from the 9th instant, to be a Retired Rear-Admiral, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 1st of August, 1860.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hereford.

1st Herefordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Alexander Forbes Suter to be Captain, vice Chandos Wren Hoskyns, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1864.

3rd Herefordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Thomas Heywood to be Captain, vice Earl Somers, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1864.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

1st Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Paterson Wingate, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice James Pinkerton Frazer, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1864.

William Alexander, Gent., to be Ensign, vice John Hugh Hewitt, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1864.

3rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William McTear, Esq., to be Captain, vice William Cochran, resigned. Dated 15th February, 1864.

5th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign George Strathearn to be Lieutenant, vice Alexander Fyfe, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1864.

Alexander Gow, Gent., to be Ensign, vice W. L. Dunn, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1864.

47th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign John Downes to be Lieutenant, vice John Napier, resigned. Dated 16th February, 1864. Robert Thomson, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Downes, promoted. Dated 16th February, 1864.

84th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Hunter Scott, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Andrew Ballantine, resigned. Dated 27th January, 1864.

James Gibb Birrell, Gent., to be Ensign, vice James Thomson, resigned. Dated 27th January, 1864.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

47th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Charles Edmund Blackwell to be Lieutenant, vice Fortnum, promoted. Dated 15th February, 1864.

John Henville Hulbert to be Ensign, vice Blackwell, promoted. Dated 15th February, 1864.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

1st Cumberland Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Thomas King Atkinson to be Captain. Dated 15th February, 1864.

Ensign George Mounsey to be Lieutenant, vice Atkinson, promoted. Dated 15th February, 1864.

John Reed Donald to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th February, 1864.

Thomas Francis Slater to be Ensign. Dated 15th February, 1864.

Samuel Jackson Binning to be Ensign. Dated 15th February, 1864.