

*Windsor Castle, February 12, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Miss Ethel Henrietta Mary Cadogan to be Extra Maid of Honour to Her Majesty.

*Whitehall, February 16, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; John Henry Crichton, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Crichton), Rowland Winn, Esq.; and Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, Bart., to be Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

*Whitehall, February 18, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the under-mentioned Gentlemen, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten, namely:—

John Henry Scourfield, of the Mote and of Williamston, both in the county of Pembroke, Esq.

Richard Thomas Gilpin, of Hockliffe Grange, in the county of Bedford, Esq.

John Leslie, of Glasslough, in the county of Monaghan, Esq.

Gilbert Greenall, of Walton Hall, in the parish of Runcorn, in the county palatine of Chester, Esq.

John Hardy, of Dunstall, in the county of Stafford, Esq.

John Walrond Walrond, of Bradfield and of Newcourt, both in the county of Devon, Esq.

Gerald William Henry Codrington, of Dodington, in the county of Gloucester, Esq.

*Buckingham Palace, February 18, 1876.*

His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold has been pleased to appoint Mr. Arnold Royle, M.R.C.S., to be Surgeon in Ordinary to His Royal Highness.

*Crown Office, February 16, 1876.*

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*Borough of Leominster.*

Thomas Blake, Esq., of Lebanon, Ross, Herefordshire, in the place of Richard Arkwright, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

*Borough of Huntingdon.*

The Right Honourable Edward George Henry Montagu (commonly called Viscount Hinchingbrook), Lieutenant-Colonel, in the place of Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt., who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Manor of Northstead.

*February 17.*

*Borough of Enniskillen.*

The Honourable John Henry Crichton (commonly called Viscount Crichton), one of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Admiralty, 16th February, 1876.*

Lieutenant Lawrence Ching has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 14th February, 1876, in the haul-down promotion of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George F. Hastings, C.B., late Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels at Sheerness.

*Admiralty, 17th February, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Edward Phillips Statham has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
18th February, 1876.*

*36th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Charles William Dunbar Staveley, K.C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sir A. A. T. Cunyng-hame, K.C.B., appointed Colonel-Commandant of the 60th Foot. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*60th Regiment of Foot.*

Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Augustus Thurlow Cunyng-hame, K.C.B., from the 36th Foot, to be Colonel-Commandant, in succession to General Henry, Viscount Melville, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

*War Office, 12th February, 1876.*

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the 2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia being in future designated "*Light Infantry.*"

*War Office, 18th February, 1876.*

MILITIA.

*Royal Carnarvon.*

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lennox Peel to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

*1st Royal Cheshire.*

John Randle Minshall Ford, Esq., late Captain 8th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal Denbigh.*

Major John Barnett Barker resigns his Commission. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*1st Derby.*

Captain James O'Donnel Annesley resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Royal South Gloucester.*

Henry Selwyn Goodlake, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th February, 1876.

*Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.*

William Hastings Graham Gordon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th February, 1876.