

Major-General George Wynne, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 27th February, 1876.

Colonel Charles Fanshawe, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 27th February, 1876.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 19th March, 1876, of General Walter Scott, Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers :—

Lieutenant-General Sir Arthur Thomas Cotton, K.C.S.I., Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be General. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Major-General Charles Alexander Orr, Colonel-Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Archibald Ballard, C.B., Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, from the Seconded List, to be Major-General. Dated 28th June, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 20th March, 1876.

The following Officers having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Goddard, Royal (late Madras) Engineers. Dated 24th March, 1876.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lindsay Russell, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers. Dated 24th March, 1876.

*Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office,  
Princes-Street, Westminster, S.W.*

**THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1869.**

William Chambers Lawson, M.R.C.V.S., has ceased to be an Inspector of the Privy Council for the purposes of the above-mentioned Act from the 13th April, 1876.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS.

April 24, 1876.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,  
April 21, 1876.*

THE Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following employment in connexion with the service of the Board of Trade is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

Coal Porter, at No. 1, Whitehall.

*Treasury Chambers, April 24, 1876.*

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following situation under the Admiralty is withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz. :—

The situation of—

Foremen of Boiler Makers in Her Majesty's Dockyards.

**REGULATIONS made by the Public Works Loan Commissioners for carrying into effect "The Public Works Loans Act, 1875."**

1. All words used in these Regulations shall have the same meaning as is assigned to them by "The Public Works Loans Act, 1875," which Act is hereinafter referred to as "The Act."

2. The Loan Commissioners shall elect a Chairman and Deputy Chairman, and three Commissioners shall form a quorum.

3. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present, the Deputy Chairman shall be the Chairman of the meeting, and if neither the Chairman nor Deputy Chairman be present, then the Commissioners present shall choose one of their number to be the Chairman of such meeting.

4. Meetings of the Commissioners shall be held as often as the business to be transacted may be found to require, and shall be convened by notice from the Secretary.

5. All questions arising at any meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman shall have a second or casting vote.

6. A book to be called the minute book shall be kept, in which applications for loans and minutes of the proceedings and resolutions of the Commissioners shall be recorded, and such other books shall be kept as the Commissioners may think necessary.

7. The fees or sums to be paid by the applicants in respect of Loans on rates, pursuant to section 41, shall not exceed the following sums, viz. :—

*For Loans as hereunder.*

	£	£	s.	d.
Not exceeding ... ..	300	3	3	0
Exceeding £300 and not exceeding 500	500	5	5	0
"    500      "    "	1,000	7	17	6
"    1,000     "    "	2,000	10	10	0
"    2,000 ... ..	...	15	15	0

Where a Loan is advanced by instalments, secured by one deed, an additional fee of £3 3s. shall be paid on account of each advance after the first.

In addition to the above, the applicants shall pay all disbursements incurred by the Loan Commissioners in respect of their several applications.

In cases of all business not being a Loan on Rate, the sums payable shall be fixed by the Commissioners, regard being had to each particular case.

8. When the Loan Commissioners shall have determined upon any amount of money to be advanced by way of loan pursuant to section 9 of the Act, the said Commissioners, or any three, or more of them, shall forthwith certify such amount to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt for the time being, and at the foot of every such certificate the Secretary shall state the name or names of the person or persons by whom every such certificate is to be presented to the said Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, and upon every such certificate being lodged for seven clear days at the office of the said Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, the Comptroller-General or other proper officer of the said Commissioners shall sign an order appended to such certificate for the payment of the sum mentioned therein to the person or persons named at the foot of the certificate, or to one of such persons, which order shall be addressed to the cashiers of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England; and the signature of such person or persons, jointly or severally, shall be a sufficient discharge to the said Commissioners