

*War Office, August 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Francis Knollys, Esq., Private Secretary to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

*Foreign Office, August 24, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henri Vernet as Agent and Consul-General in London for the Swiss Confederation.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Cavaliere Silvio Carcano as Consul at Gibraltar, with jurisdiction in the City and its territory, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Gordon R. Sanderson as Vice-Consul at Hull for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Guillermo Leslie as Vice-Consul at Aberdeen for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Simon H. Fraser as Vice-Consul at Newcastle-on-Tyne for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Jorge C. Keiller as Vice-Consul at Dundee for the Republic of Chile.

*Admiralty, 24th August, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 31st July, 1876, the undermentioned Commanders on the Retired List have been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Captain, from the 20th instant:—

## Commanders:—

Thomas Cuppage Bruce.  
Maxwell Fox.  
Thomas Charles Cholmeley.  
Hugo Beaumont Burnaby.  
John Kennaway Simcoe.  
George Asser White Welch.

*War Office, Pall Mall,**25th August, 1876.*

*2nd Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant Edward Hanning Hanning-Lee to be Captain, vice C. P. T. Kendall, retired. Dated 26th July, 1876.

Surgeon George F. Hume-Spry, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice F. G. Kerin, deceased. Dated 5th May, 1876.

Surgeon Henry Frank Hensman to be Surgeon. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant John Francis Green, from the 4th or Royal South Middlesex Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice J. O. Trotter, retired. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*2nd Dragoons*, Captain Alfred Cholmeley Earle Welby, from the 90th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. Wilson, who exchanges. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*8th Hussars*, Veterinary-Surgeon Samuel Luis Pallin, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice S. M. Wilson, transferred to the 12th Lancers. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*9th Lancers*, Lieutenant Henry Castell Hopkins, from the Durham Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. Percy, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*12th Lancers*, Veterinary-Surgeon Stuart Murray Wilson, from the 8th Hussars, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice C. Steel, transferred to the 16th Lancers. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*13th Hussars*, Lieutenant Gilbert Lloyd Elliott, from the 46th Foot, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant O. Heywood-Jones, resigned. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*14th Hussars*, Major William Arbuthnot to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice F. P. Campbell, deceased. Dated 15th June, 1876.

Captain John Hunter Knox to be Major, vice Arbuthnot. Dated 15th June, 1876.

Lieutenant Thomas Edward Stopford Hickman, from the 8th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Knox. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*Scots Fusilier Guards*, Lieutenant Richard Luttrell Pilkington, Lord Westbury, from the 9th Foot to be Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable P. S. Methuen, promoted. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*Brigade Depot*, Quartermaster John Humphreys retires upon half-pay. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*3rd Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major John Foot, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 26th August, 1876.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Alfred Baker, from the 97th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant T. F. C. Armstrong, deceased. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*7th Foot*, Sub-Lieutenant Turner Severin Macleay Woolley, from the 108th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. G. Reilly, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*8th Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick James Whalley to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Robert Julian Orde Jocelyn, who resigns that appointment. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*9th Foot*, Captain William Berry Drinan retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*12th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Anthony Clare Denne, from the Devon Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant M. E. Archdall, transferred to the 61st Foot. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*24th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Erskine retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 26th August, 1876.

Lieutenant Henry Streatfeild, from the West Kent Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant G. E. Chambers, transferred to the 81st Foot. Dated 26th August, 1876.

*29th Foot*, Captain Robert Berkeley to be Major, vice W. Boycott, retired. Dated 26th July, 1876.

Lieutenant Clement Astley Paston Cooper to be Captain, vice Berkeley. Dated 26th July, 1876.

*35th Foot*, Lieutenant George Walter Brandon Swiney, from the Royal Pembroke Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant E. L. S. Brett, transferred to the Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 26th August, 1876.