

*Foreign Office, February 2, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Q. Smith as Consul-General for the British North American Provinces, to reside at Montreal, and of Mr. T. J. McLain, jun., as Consul at Nassau for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Emil Liebert as Consul for South East and North East Lancashire, East Cheshire, and North Derbyshire, to reside at Manchester, and of Mr. Robert Thomson as Consul for the Counties of Westmoreland, Albert, St. John, and Charlotte, to reside at St. John's, New Brunswick, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Giuseppe Bienenfeld Rolph as Consul at Aden, with jurisdiction over the English Possessions situated on the Coasts of the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Ricardo Espejo y Chaparro as Vice-Consul at Glasgow, and of Mr. José Fronski as Vice-Consul at St. John's, Newfoundland, for His Majesty the King of Spain.

*Admiralty, 1st February, 1878.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 21st July, 1876—

Retired Commander Thomas Drinkwater Williams has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Captain, from the 29th January, 1878.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 30th April, 1877—

Engineer James Mutter has been placed on the Retired List from the 28th ultimo.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.  
London Brigade.*

The Reverend Alfred Theophilus Lee, LL.D., to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 1st February, 1878.

*Admiralty, 2nd February, 1878.**Royal Marines*

The following promotions, dated 1st October, 1877, have taken place in the Royal Marines under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 15th January, 1878, viz:—

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

Lieutenant-General George Augustus Schomberg, C.B., to be General, vice Tate, retired.

Major-General Charles Loudon Barnard, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General, vice Schomberg.

Reserved Colonel-Commandant John William Collman Williams, A.D.C., to be Major-General, vice Barnard.

Captain and Brevet Major George Brydges to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Lieutenant John Edward Thomas to be Captain, vice Brydges.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Captain and Brevet Colonel Sir Francis Worgan Festing, K.C.M.G., C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General (Supernumerary).

Captain and Brevet Major Charles Sidney Williams.

Captain and Brevet Major Francis Edward Halliday.

Captain and Brevet Major Harry Boscawen Savage.

Captain Henry Brasnell Tuson.

Captain John Chesterton Crawford.

Captain and Brevet Major John Frederick Crease.

Captain Colpoys Parkyns Heaslop.

Captain Robert Lennox Bouchier.

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

Lieutenant-General William Robert Maxwell to be General, vice Gascoigne retired.

Lieutenant-General Hayes Marriott to be General, vice Langley, retired.

Major-General Samuel Netterville Lowder, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General, vice Maxwell.

Major-General George Lambrick to be Lieutenant-General, vice Marriott.

Supernumerary Colonel-Commandant George Brydges Rodney, C.B., Deputy Adjutant-General, to be Major-General (Supernumerary).

Colonel-Commandant Peregrine Henry Fellowes to be Major-General, vice Lowder.

Colonel-Commandant Charles William Adair, C.B., A.D.C., to be Major-General, vice Lambrick.

Colonel Second Commandant George Wentworth Forbes to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Fellowes.

Colonel Second Commandant Fleetwood John Richards to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Adair.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hamond Weston Gwyn to be Second Commandant, vice Richards.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Lawes Pym to be Second Commandant, vice Forbes.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick George Pym, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Gwyn.

Captain and Brevet Major Joseph Hamilton Maskery to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. L. Pym.

Lieutenant Jasper Nicolls Harrison to be Captain, vice F. G. Pym.

Lieutenant Charles Morton Barham to be Captain, vice Maskery.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Captain and Brevet Major William Henry Hore West.

Captain and Brevet Major John Michael de Courcy Meade.

Captain and Brevet Major Francis William Thomas.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Cuthbert Ward Burton.

Captain and Brevet Major James Stirling Mould.

Captain and Brevet Major William Sanders.

Captain and Brevet Major Joseph George Shanks.

Captain and Brevet Major Geoffrey Mairis.

Captain and Brevet Major Charles Bullen Hugh Mitchell (Seconded).

Captain and Brevet Major Frederick Ley.

Captain and Brevet Major John Frederick Sanders.

Captain and Brevet Major Fitzmaurice Creighton.

Captain and Brevet Major Charles Bulkeley Nurse.

Captain and Brevet Major Howard Sutton Jones.

Captain and Brevet Major Anthony Malone.

Captain and Brevet Major Frederick Gasper Le Grand.

Captain and Brevet Major Samuel James Graham.

Captain and Brevet Major James William Vaughan Arbuckle.

Captain and Brevet Major Albert Henry Ozzard.