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*War Office, October 10, 1878.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of John Savile Lumley, Esq., C.B., Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Belgians, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath;—and of Francis Ottiwell Adams, Esq., Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris, and the Honourable Hussey Crespigny Vivian, Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

*Buckingham Palace, October 8, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Henry Frederick Ponsonby (Private Secretary to Her Majesty) to be Keeper of Her Majesty's Privy Purse, in the room of General the Right Honourable Sir Thomas Myddelton Biddulph, K.C.B., deceased.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Frederick Pickard, V.C., Royal Artillery, to be Assistant Keeper of the Privy Purse, and Assistant Private Secretary to Her Majesty.

*Master of the Horse's Office,  
Royal Mews, Pimlico, October 11, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to accept the resignation of Lieutenant-General Henry Ponsonby as Equerry in Ordinary to Her Majesty, and has been pleased to appoint him Extra Equerry.

*Foreign Office, October 10, 1878.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Gottfried Buhmeyer as Consul at Bassein for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Frank Hood as Consul at Lagos for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. E. C. M. Ooms as Consul at Aden, and of Mr. Felix Dalmas as Consul for Sierra Leone, to reside at Freetown, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Francisco Yebra de San Juan as Consul at Gibraltar, of Mr. Rafael Lozano as Vice-Consul at Swansea, and of Mr. Bartolome de Angulo as Vice-Consul at Newport for His Majesty the King of Spain.

*Admiralty, 8th October, 1878.*

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

Engineer Joseph V. B. Thompson has been placed on the Retired List from the 4th instant.

Engineer John Jefferies has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 1st instant.

*Admiralty, 9th October, 1878.*

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

Assistant-Engineer Andrew S. Barter has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 4th instant.

*India Office, 11th October, 1878.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions among the Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

**BREVET.**

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Richard Campbell Stewart, Madras Cavalry, in succession to General P. F. Story, C.B., Bengal Cavalry, removed to the Retired List. Dated 22nd December, 1877.

Major Robert Cunliffe Low, Bengal Cavalry, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sir A. T. Wilde, K.C.B., C.S.I., Madras Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 8th February, 1878.

*To be Majors.*

Captain George Thomas Halliday, Bengal Cavalry, in succession to Lieutenant-General L. Barrow, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1877.