

lain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at half-past one o'clock.

MOUNT-EDGCUMBE,
Lord Chamberlain.

War Office, February 2, 1880.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of William Henry White, Esq., Accountant-General of the Army; Arthur Lawrence Haliburton, Esq., Director of Supplies and Transport; Commissary-General Fitz James Edward Watt, Commissariat Department; Assistant Commissary-General William Frederick Wright, Ordnance Store Department; and Major William Clare Ball, Staff Paymaster, Army Pay Department; to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, December 24, 1879.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Cameron Lees, Esq., C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Island of Borneo.

Foreign Office, January 19, 1880.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur de Capel Crowe, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Island of Cuba.

Downing Street, February 3, 1880.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir William Cleaver Francis Robinson, K.C.M.G. (late Governor of the Straits Settlements), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Western Australia, and its Dependencies.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
January 31, 1880.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day by which the School Board for the parish of Frankton, in the county of Warwick, has been dissolved.

(H. 774.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, January 31, 1880.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy

of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government, declaring the ports of the Island of Cuba free from yellow fever since the 15th December last.

Admiralty, 30th January, 1880.

THE following promotions have been made from the 29th instant:—

Commanders:

Henry Harvey Boys,
Henry Salmond,
William James Lloyd Wharton,
John Fellowes,
to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet,

Lieutenants:

Oxford Churchill,
Charles Philip Giffin Hicks,
John Edward Greenhow,
Albert Mainwaring Ducat,
to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 31st January, 1880.

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

Commander Stratford Tuke has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 10th instant.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd February, 1880.*

BREVET.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the promotion of Major Oliver Beauchamp Coventry St. John, C.S.I., Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, in recognition of his special services in Afghanistan. Dated 4th February, 1880.

India Office, 31st January, 1880.

THE Queen has approved of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles James Robarts, 3rd Hussars. Dated 12th February, 1873.
Lieutenant Edmund Walter St. George Welchman, 51st Foot. Dated 11th July, 1874.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Ellison Thomas Charles Newton Marten, 43rd Foot. Dated 10th January, 1872.
Sub-Lieutenant Almond Paul Westlake, 70th Foot. Dated 29th November, 1877.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant John Cyril Francis, 62nd Foot. Dated 12th February, 1876.
Lieutenant Ernest Inglis, 73rd Foot. Dated 12th February, 1877.
Lieutenant Herbert Morres Prior, 54th Foot. Dated 12th February, 1877.
Lieutenant Frank Whittuck, 17th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1877.
Sub-Lieutenant Louis Augustus Gordon, 59th Foot. Dated 14th June, 1877.