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TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1885.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, August 25, 1885.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Joseph Philippe René Adolphe Caron, Minister of Defence and Militia for the Dominion of Canada.

Major-General Frederick Dobson Middleton, C.B., in command of the Militia in the Dominion of Canada, for services whilst in command of the Forces in the North-West Territory.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Captain Herbert Jekyll, Royal Engineers, for services as Secretary to the Colonial Defence Committee, 1878, and to the Royal Commission on the Defence of British Possessions and Commerce Abroad, 1879-84.

Rickmer Claassen Rickmers, Esq., of the Island of Heligoland.

(H. 6262.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, August 25, 1885.*

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 Isthmus of Panama and those of Guayaquil, and all the other ports of the Republic of the Equator infected with yellow fever since the 1st June.

(H. 6263.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, August 25, 1885.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Note from the Ambassador for Austria-Hungary, intimating that, in consequence of the existence of cholera at Marseilles, the Austro-Hungarian Government has again put in force the preventive measures which were last year adopted in Austria-Hungary upon the appearance of that disease in France. Those measures have special reference to the supervision of travellers coming by way of land from Spain or southern France.

(H. 6264.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, August 25, 1885.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Constantinople, reporting that the Ottoman Health Administration has increased to twelve full days the quarantine on vessels from any part of Spain and the Mediterranean coast of France. Such vessels will undergo a severe medical inspection when passing the Dardanelles.

Admiralty, 20th August, 1885.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Sewallis Arthur Sewell has been placed upon half-pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 30th November, 1882. Dated 8th August, 1885.

Admiralty, 22nd August, 1885.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain and Brevet Major Samuel Hamilton Bunce Northcote to be Major, vice Allen, retired. Dated 17th August, 1885.

Admiralty, 24th August, 1885.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and the 30th April, 1877—

Chief Engineer Joseph Minhinnick has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 11th August, 1885.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
25th August, 1885.*

3rd Dragoon Guards, Supernumerary Major Frederick Meyer Wardrop, to be Major, vice H. F. E. Lucas, retired. Dated 29th July, 1885.

Lieutenant Henry Gillon to be Captain, vice J. F. S. Lee-Barber, resigned. Dated 22nd July, 1885.

1st Dragoons, Captain William Henry McLaren to be Major, vice B. J. Tidswill, deceased. Dated 19th June, 1885.

3rd Hussars, Lieutenant James S. F. Scott to be Captain, vice T. H. Peckham, sec'd. Dated 18th July, 1885.