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War Office, January 7, 1890.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—
The Honourable Charles William Fremantle, C.B., Deputy-Master and Comptroller of the Mint; and
Charles Lennox Peel, Esq., C.B., Clerk of the Council.

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—
Sir Oscar Moore Passey Clayton, Knt., C.M.G.;
John Henry Daniell, Esq., Agent to the National Debt Commissioners;
Ralph Daniel Makinson Littler, Esq., Q.C.; and
William Smiles, Esq., Chief Inspector of Taxes, Inland Revenue.

Downing Street, January 6, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of William Meigh Goodman, Esq. (Chief Justice of British Honduras), to be Attorney-General for the Colony of Hong Kong.

Whitehall, January 6, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William John Irwin, 20th Hussars, Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Medjidieh of the Third Class, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, has been pleased to confer upon him, in recognition of his services at the Battle of Toski.

Whitehall, January 6, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Lieutenant Francis Jollie, 20th Hussars (Probationer, Indian Staff Corps), and Lieutenant Edgar John Dent, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, Her Royal licence and authority that they may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Medjidieh of the Fourth Class, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt,

authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan has been pleased to confer upon them in recognition of their services at the Battle of Toski.

India Office, January 6, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General Sir George Richards Greaves, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of Bombay.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
January 6, 1890.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the election of two persons by the under-mentioned Parish to serve as Members of the School Board of Herbrandston :—

West Robeston Pembroke

*Education Department, Whitehall,
January 6, 1890.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned United School District :—

Hackford and Whitwell (comprising the parishes of Hackford-next-Reepham and Whitwell) ... Norfolk

(H. 8795.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, December 23, 1889.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copies of two decrees issued by the Portuguese Government relating to Quarantine :—

Translation.

(From the Official Journal of November 22, 1889.)

ROYAL DECREE.

WHEREAS a great many vessels are calling at the port of Cascaes either through stress of weather, or else for the purpose of receiving orders, or to wait for a good opportunity to enter the bar of Lisbon, and very often foreign fleets call there for shelter, and whereas it is to be expected that the movement of ships will increase considering the advantages which will accrue from the working of the railway which connects that town with Lisbon;