

the Gentlemen to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the Presentation Cards delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Levee, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

LATHOM,
Lord Chamberlain.

Foreign Office, April 24, 1890.

IT is hereby notified that, on the 11th instant, Baron de Wedel Jarlsberg presented, through Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Count Piper's Letter of Recall as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

*Office of the Secretary for Scotland,
Whitehall, April 22, 1890.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, nominating, constituting, and appointing the Most Noble William Montagu, Marquess of Tweeddale, to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner to the ensuing Meeting of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

(H. 2901.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 24, 1890.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated April 23, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon:—"Port of Santos declared to be infected with yellow fever from March 1."

(H. 2921.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 24, 1890.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated April 23, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid:—"Vessels arriving from Persian Gulf released from quarantine."

Admiralty, 21st April, 1890.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers,
London Brigade.*

Alfred Gunn and Edward Lawrence Peel Nisbet, Esqrs., to be Assistant-Paymasters. Dated 21st April, 1890.

Admiralty, 22nd April, 1890.

THE undermentioned Acting Engineers have been confirmed in the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Percy Fletcher Faulkner.
Frank Averde Alden.

Dated 1st September, 1889.

Admiralty, 23rd April, 1890.

Engineer Cornelius Henry Steward has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th April, 1890.

Assistant-Paymaster Denham Robert Kelsey has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th April, 1890.

Admiralty, 24th April, 1890.

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

Commander Lawrence Ching has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 21st April, 1890.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
25th April, 1890.*

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, General John Thomas Hill, from the Gordon Highlanders, to be Colonel, vice General Sir William Jones, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 8th April, 1890.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Captain Frederick Stevens Dimond to be Major, vice G. E. McClellan, retired. Dated 8th April, 1890.

Lieutenant Herbert Mercer to be Captain, vice F. S. Dimond. Dated 8th April, 1890.

Second Lieutenant E. M. J. Molyneux to be Lieutenant, vice H. Mercer. Dated 8th April, 1890.

Gentleman Cadet James William Ferguson, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice E. M. J. Molyneux. Dated 26th April, 1890.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant Hugh Vesey Thomson, from the 4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. G. De Pledge, appointed Adjutant. Dated 26th April, 1890.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. G. Cayley to be Lieutenant, vice J. B. Bell, seconded. Dated 15th January, 1890.

The South Wales Borderers, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant William Hogan retires upon retired pay. Dated 26th April, 1890.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant Claude P. G. Porter resigns his Commission. Dated 26th April, 1890.

The Worcestershire Regiment, The promotions of the undermentioned Officers, which were notified in the Gazette of 15th March, 1890, are antedated to 8th February, 1890:—

Lieutenant Edward O. H. Wilkie to the rank of Captain, vice H. L. Begbie, seconded.

Second Lieutenant H. W. Cobham, Probationer Indian Staff Corps, to the rank of Lieutenant, vice E. O. H. Wilkie.

Second Lieutenant C. H. Bennett to the rank of Lieutenant, to complete establishment.

Lieutenant Hugh de Berdt Hovell to be Captain, vice J. R. Rainsford, promoted. Dated 26th March, 1890.

Second Lieutenant J. L. R. Gordon to be Lieutenant, vice H. de B. Hovell. Dated 26th March, 1890.

Gentleman Cadet Herbert Cheselden Wooldridge, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice C. H. Bennett, promoted. Dated 26th April, 1890:

The East Surrey Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment. Dated 26th April, 1890:—

F. H. Moline.

H. M. Rose.

W. N. R. Gilbert-Cooper.