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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1898.

THE GRAND PRIORY OF THE ORDER OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

*Chancery of the Order, St. John's Gate,
Clerkenwell, London, E.C.,
September 14, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to sanction the following appointments to the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England:—

Knight of Justice.

Captain Sir Alfred Jephson, R.N. (promoted from Knight of Grace).

Knight of Grace.

Colonel John Alexander Mun, C.M.G.

Lady of Grace.

Elizabeth Lady Loch.

Esquires.

Captain Gerald Thomas Rawnsley, R.A.M.C.
Archibald Alexander Gordon, Esq.

Foreign Office, July 25, 1898.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Michael Henry Herbert, C.B., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris.

Foreign Office, August 4, 1898.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Michael Henry Herbert, C.B., to be a Minister Plenipotentiary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, August 4, 1898.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Charles Fox Frederick Adam, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Madrid; and
Godfrey Davison Bland, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Washington.

Foreign Office, August 4, 1898.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Austin Lee, Esq., C.B., to be a Secretary of Embassy in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Whitehall, September 15, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Snow Fordham, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be one of the Magistrates of the Police Courts of the Metropolis, in the room of James Lennox Hannay, Esq., resigned.

Admiralty, 13th September, 1898.

Staff Commander Bertram Edmund William Gwynne has been promoted to the rank of Staff Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th September, 1898.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Geoffrey Hopwood.

Dated 15th March, 1897.

Norman Hunter Carter.

Dated 15th May, 1897.

Leslie Jennings Lucas Hammond.

Dated 15th September, 1897.

George Piercy Leith.

Guy Plantagenet Bigg-Wither.

Dated 15th November, 1897.

Walter Geoffrey Rigg.

Charles Montagu Dammers.

Augustine Ethelbert Ruxton.

Frederick Charles Fisher.

Henry Berridge Cox.

Dated 15th December, 1897.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant - Colonel Edward Selby Innes is placed on the Retired List on account of age, under the provisions of Order in Council of 29th November, 1881. Dated 8th September, 1898.

Admiralty, 15th September, 1898.

THE undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Laurence Richard Oliphant.

John Moore Casement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

Richard Hill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1898.