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*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,  
St. James's Palace, November 21, 1899.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint His Imperial Majesty William II, German Emperor and King of Prussia, to be an Honorary Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
November 27, 1899.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain Wyndham Frederick Tufnell, 3rd Battalion, the Buffs, to be one of Her Majesty's Gentlemen Ushers Quarterly Waiters.

*Foreign Office, October 1, 1899.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Captain Percy Zachariah Cox to be Her Majesty's Consul at Muscat.

*Foreign Office, October 12, 1899.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Joseph John Nunan, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in the British Central Africa Protectorate.

*Foreign Office, November 1, 1899.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alfred St. John, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Callao.

*Foreign Office, November 22, 1899.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. J. C. T. Reelfs as Consul-General of the Netherlands at Singapore, for the Straits Settlements; Mr. Daniel Dauielsson as Consul-General of Sweden and Norway at London, for England and Ireland; and Mr. Alfredo Merian as Consul of Portugal at Mahé (Seychelles).

*Whitehall, November 27, 1899.*

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto His Highness Aga Sultan Muhammad Shah, Aga Khan, K.C.I.E., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the First Class of the Order of the Brilliant Star of Zanzibar, conferred upon him by His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar, in recognition of the loyal support which His Highness has always received from the Khoja community (established at Zanzibar), who are followers of Aga Khan.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall, November 21, 1899.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, dated the 21st instant, to appoint the Right Honourable John Blair Balfour, Q.C., formerly Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, to be Lord Justice-General and President of the Court of Session in Scotland, in the room of the Right Honourable James Patrick Bannerman Robertson, appointed to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary.

*Admiralty, 23rd November, 1899.*

THE undermentioned Staff Paymasters have been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Henry John Ollard. Dated 1st October, 1899.  
Reginald Baker Rigbye. Dated 2nd November, 1899.  
James Bramble. Dated 4th November, 1899.

The undermentioned Paymasters have been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Charles Edward Hughes Meredyth. Dated 23rd October, 1899.  
Charles Beresford Dawes. Dated 4th November, 1899.  
James Louis Hill German. Dated 5th November, 1899.  
William Vancouver Theodore Leonard. Dated 16th November, 1899.

*Admiralty, 24th November, 1899.*

THE following promotions have been made:—

Rear-Admiral Hilary Gustavus Andoe, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th November, 1899.  
Captain William Hannam Henderson to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th November, 1899.

The undermentioned Gunners have been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Michael John Ahern.  
Thomas Owens.  
Richard Walsh.  
Frederick Bryant.

Dated 1st November, 1899.