

Father in God Doctor Edward Henry Bickersteth, late Bishop thereof, and declared vacant by Her Majesty's Order in Council; and Her Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend Herbert Edward Ryle, D.D., Honorary Canon of the Cathedral Church of Ripon, President of the Queens' College, Cambridge, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Exeter.

Whitehall, December 14, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Ernest Charles Atherton, M.A., to the Vicarage of St. James, Devonport, in the county of Devon and in the diocese of Exeter, void by the cession of the Reverend Richard James Bond.

Whitehall, December 14, 1900.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Joseph Ames Martin to the Vicarage of Charlesworth, in the county of Derby and diocese of Southwell, void by the death of the Reverend George Collins, M.A.

Crown Office, December 12, 1900.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Derby.—Western Division.

Victor Christian William Cavendish, Esq., Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

(H. 16,848.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 13, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram from the High Commissioner for Cyprus, intimating that the quarantine against Egypt has been reduced to five days.

(H. 16,901.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 14, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg, intimating that the town of Glasgow has been declared officially free from plague.

(H. 16,902.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 14, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg, intimating that King William's Town, in Cape Colony, has been declared infected with plague.

(H. 16,903.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 14, 1900.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Sofia, intimating that the Gulf of Suez, including the Suez Canal, is declared free from plague, and that Bremen is likewise declared free from the same disease.

Admiralty, 10th December, 1900.

THE undermentioned Assistant - Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet:—
Hugh Seymour Hall. Dated 26th October, 1900.
Cuthbert Halliburton Rodham. Dated 29th November, 1900.

Admiralty, 12th December, 1900.

THE undermentioned Assistant-Engineers for temporary service have been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, on the Permanent List, with seniority of 1st November, 1900:—

George Roussel Byles.
Henry Osmond Andrews.
Hugh Lechmere Minshull Ford.

Admiralty, 13th December, 1900.

Chaplain the Reverend William George Litchfield, M.A., has been appointed Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 7th December, 1900.

War Office, Pall Mall,

14th December, 1900.

The South Wales Borderers, Major-General H. J. Degacher, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant - General R. T. Glyn, C.B., C.M.G., deceased. Dated 22nd November, 1900.

1st Life Guards, Captain James A. E., Marquis of Hamilton, is seconded as a Member of the House of Commons. Dated 3rd December, 1900.

Supernumerary Captain Hugh C. Keith Fraser to be Captain, vice J. A. E., Marquis of Hamilton. Dated 3rd December, 1900.

Captain Philip B. Cookson resumes the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 6th December, 1900.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Robert Lambert to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant P. A. T. Jones, killed in action. Dated 14th October, 1900.

11th Hussars, The appointment to a Second Lieutenancy of Captain G. W. J. C., Earl of Cardigan, from Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry Cavalry, which appeared in the Gazette of 28th August, 1900, is cancelled at his own request.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant Robert F. Cox to be Captain, vice A. L. Powell, seconded. Dated 28th August, 1900.

21st Lancers, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, to complete establishment. Dated 15th December, 1900:—

*P. H. A. Anderson.
C. B. Pape.*

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

Corporal Freville Cookson should have been appointed Lieutenant (with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army) in the 5th Battalion and not in the 9th Battalion as stated in the Gazette of 24th August, 1900.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Second Lieutenant Douglas Stewart is seconded for service with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 28th November, 1900.

The appointments of the undermentioned Lieutenants, from the Canadian Local Military Forces, to Second Lieutenancies which were notified in the Gazette of 5th October, 1900, are cancelled:—

*William Parkyn Murray.
Thomas Walter Van 'Tuyt.*

Private Horace Montagu Tyndal Pym, from the Canadian Local Military Forces, and from Lord Strathcona's Corps, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1900, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 15th December, 1900.