

of the Album both among Young men,
who have duly papered their Examinations, and
whom I therefore beg to recommend as
fit persons for your favorable

consideration when you determine on
filling permanently the aforesaid Vacancy.

The Captain of the *Onidra*
also having applied to me for a Person for that
Post in consequence of the death of
her former one, I have appointed for
to that situation

Messrs. W. John Beattie a most
deserving Young man, who has served
a considerable time with Sir Thomas
Hardy and myself, and has duly
papered the requisite Examinations for

authorizing him to hold the Appointment.

I enclose a Letter I have
received from the Director of the Arsenal
which I propose to comply with until
your further pleasure thereon is known.

I also transmit an Abstract of the