

The undermentioned Assistant-Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenants to be Deputy-Commissaries of Ordnance with the honorary rank of Captain :—

D. Coar. Dated 26th November, 1898.

R. H. Booth. Dated 1st December, 1898.

The undermentioned Conductors, Army Ordnance Corps, to be Assistant-Commissaries of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 4th February, 1899 :—

Albert Edward Thompson.

Kenneth Polson Macleay.

*Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Major* Robert F. Frost is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*Half-Pay*, The undermentioned Officers, from the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be Lieutenant-Colonels :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles à Court. Dated 8th January, 1899.

Major John Sherston, D.S.O. Dated 4th February, 1899.

#### BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels :—

Somerset H. P. Graves, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd September, 1898.

Robert Purdy, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st February, 1899.

Major Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., Coldstream Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in recognition of his services during the recent operations in the Soudan. Dated 26th January, 1899.

#### MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Malcolm W. Rogers, half-pay Royal Engineers, is placed on the retired list with an Indian pension. Dated 3rd February, 1899.

Captain (local Major) G. P. Hatch, C.M.G., late the West India Regiment, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst Commandant of the East Africa Rifles. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Captain the Honourable Robert White, half-pay, retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 4th February, 1899.

The undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted the honorary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 4th February, 1899 :—

Bandmaster Joseph Sommer, Royal Engineers.

#### ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Alec Phillips, the Manchester Companies, Volunteer Medical Staff Corps, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*War Office, 3rd February, 1899.*

#### MILITIA.

##### ROYAL ARTILLERY.

*The Fifth Artillery (Southern Division)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

W. V. B. Webb. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. A. Cholmley. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. L. Murrow. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*The Northumberland Artillery (Western Division)*, Lieutenant H. M. Barnes, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Major D'A. B. Preston, who has vacated the appointment on promotion to Field Rank. Dated 1st February, 1899.

Lieutenant H. M. Barnes, Royal Artillery, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 1st February, 1899.

*The South-East of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division)*, Captain and Instructor of Artillery W. J. Oliver resigns the appointment of Instructor of Artillery. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*The Sussex Artillery (Eastern Division)*, Charles Henry Hannington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

#### INFANTRY.

*3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Captain P. N. Salmond is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants :—

Edgar George Dion Lardner. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Richard Robert Forbes. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Major T. F. Brinckman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command, under the provisions of paragraph 44 of the Militia Regulations, 1898. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers*, James Arthur Joicey, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1899.

*7th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

F. W. E. Johnson. Dated 4th February, 1899.

A. W. Newton. Dated 4th February, 1899.

H. W. D. Hill. Dated 4th February, 1899.

F. L. Hingston. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant R. H. Marsh to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. G. C. Elers resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Lieutenant, N. E. L., *Earl of Rothes*, resigns his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry)*, Captain and Honorary Major H. A. Kinglake resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 4th February, 1899.

Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. B. Upperton to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant K. J. Roy to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)*, Captain Robert Lowndes Aspinall, retired pay, late 15th Hussars, to be Captain. Dated 25th January, 1899.

*5th and 6th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers*, Second Lieutenant D. G. M. Dundas to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.

*3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers*, Seymour Frederick Auckland Albert Hurt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1899.