

Second Lieutenant Trench Frank Butler-Kearney (University Candidate), from 4th Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. E. C. Keating, seconded. Dated 24th May, 1899.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant Roger H. Monck-Mason is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 6th May, 1899.

Lieutenant Edmund P. Thomson to be Adjutant, vice Captain A. H. Browne, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 18th May, 1899.

Army Service Corps, The undermentioned 1st Class Staff Sergeant-Majors to be Quartermasters, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 17th May, 1899:—
Henry Palmer.
John McCarthy.
William James Kelly.

Staff Sergeant-Major John Ridler to be Riding-Master, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 17th May, 1899.

Staff, Colonel Sir W. P. Symons, K.C.B., from the command of a 2nd Class District in India, to be a Brigadier-General on the Staff to command the Troops in Natal, and to have the temporary rank of Major-General whilst so employed, vice Major-General G. Cox who has resigned that appointment. Dated 15th May, 1899.

Captain W. R. Robertson, D.S.O., 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be a Staff Captain at Headquarters, vice Captain and Brevet Major D. Henderson, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), appointed a Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General at Headquarters. Dated 1st April, 1899.

Captain J. W. J. Hardman, 1st Dragoons, to be a Recruiting Staff Officer (Class II), vice Major J. C. A. Walker, 2nd Dragoon Guards, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 12th May, 1899.

Captain E. B. Wilson, 5th Lancers, to be a Superintendent of Gymnasia, vice Captain H. B. S. Critchley-Salmonson, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), retired. Dated 4th May, 1899.

Lieutenant A. B. Gosset, the Cheshire Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General M. W. E. Gosset, C.B., commanding the Troops in the Dublin District. Dated 16th February, 1899.

Indian Staff Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel Albert de C. Rennick is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd May, 1899.

Indian Army, Colonel Percy Wyndham Percy-Smith, Bengal Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 20th April, 1899.

Army Ordnance Department, Lieutenant-Colonel E. Houghton, Ordnance Officer, Second Class, is placed on retired pay. Dated 21st May, 1899.

Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Captain C. F. Hunter retires on retired pay. Dated 24th May, 1899.

Lieutenant A. J. Last, Inspector of Ordnance Machinery, from District Officer, Royal Artillery, to be Inspector of Ordnance Machinery, Second Class, with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 6th May, 1899.

Army Pay Department, Captain C. I. Scott, from 3rd Dragoon Guards, is permanently appointed to the Army Pay Department, retaining his substantive rank. Dated 30th October, 1897.

Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Captain Frederick W. Forsdyke to be Veterinary-Major. Dated 24th May, 1899.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

Henry C. Lamb, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th May, 1899.

John Deering, half-pay. Dated 14th May, 1899.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers to be Major-Generals:—

Colonel J. R. Slade, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, from Colonel on the Staff commanding Royal Artillery, North Eastern District, vice J. B. Richardson, Royal Artillery, retired. Dated 26th April, 1899.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) H. J. T. Hildyard, C.B., commanding 3rd Infantry Brigade, Aldershot, vice Sir W. Galbraith, K.C.B., retired. Dated 14th May, 1899.

Lieutenant P. A. Charrier, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst employed with the British Central Africa Rifles. Dated 26th April, 1899.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Patten, having resigned his appointment in the Volunteers, ceases to belong to the Army Medical Reserve of Officers. Dated 24th May, 1899.

War Office, 23rd May, 1899.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's) (Southern Division), Lieutenant L. F. Allan is appointed Instructor of Artillery. Dated 11th May, 1899.

The Durham Artillery (Western Division), Lieutenant F. E. Belcombe is appointed Instructor of Artillery. Dated 24th May, 1899.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Own, Edinburgh Artillery (Southern Division), Arthur George Thomas, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1899.

The Duke of Connaught's Own Hampshire and Isle of Wight Artillery (Southern Division), Lieutenant C. L. Hall resigns his Commission. Dated 24th May, 1899.

The Pembroke Artillery (Western Division), Captain L. Peskett is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 24th May, 1899.

The South-East of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), Captain J. H. Younger is appointed Instructor of Artillery. Dated 24th May, 1899.

The Wicklow Artillery (Southern Division), Captain W. T. Black is seconded for service in the West African Frontier Force. Dated 24th May, 1899.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Anglesey, Major Charles George Matthews-Donaldson, retired pay, Reserve of Officers, late the Border Regiment, to be Major. Dated 12th May, 1899.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Nesham Ernest Lloyd, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1899.