

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
London, January 7, 1909.*

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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 6th, from His Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—Medical inspection imposed on arrivals from Jeddah where fresh case of plague has occurred.

*Admiralty, 4th January, 1909.*

Chief Carpenter John Francis Jeffery has been promoted to the rank of Carpenter Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 21st December, 1908.

*Admiralty, 5th January, 1909.*

Acting Engineer Lieutenant Cyril Bedford Evington has been confirmed in the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st August, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1895—Lieutenant Henry Goschen Philpott has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Commander.

Clerk Oswald Johnson Wainwright has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th December, 1908.

*Admiralty, 6th January, 1909.*

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

George Samuel Brown. Dated 15th May, 1908.

John Noel Pelly.

Kenneth Park Dalgligh.

Dated 30th May, 1908.

Basil Owen Bell-Salter.

Arthur Edwin Durham.

Dated 15th June, 1908.

*War Office, Whitehall,  
8th January, 1909.*

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Colonel Granville R. F. Smith, from half-pay, to be an Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, vice Colonel H. G. D. Shute, D.S.O. Dated 1st January, 1909.

Major Hugh A. D. Simpson-Baikie, Royal Artillery, from an Assistant Military Secretary to be a General Staff Officer at Head-Quarters, vice Lieutenant-Colonel H. S. Jeurwine. Dated 1st January, 1909.

Major George H. St. Hill, Royal North Devon (Hussars) Yeomanry, to be Aide-de-Camp to Sir G. T. Carter, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados and its Dependencies. Dated 28th October, 1908.

#### ESTABLISHMENTS.

*School of Gunnery, Brevet Colonel Sydenham C.-U. Smith, Royal Artillery, to be a Chief Instructor, vice Major C. E. D. Budworth, M.V.O., Royal Artillery. Dated 1st January, 1909.*

*Inspection and Experimental Staff, Captain Alexander E. King, Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant Inspector, vice Lieutenant L. C. Adams, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st January, 1909.*

#### CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Captain Maurice E. Sowerby is placed on the Half-pay List under the provisions of Article 267-7, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 15th December, 1908.

#### INFANTRY.

*The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Second Lieutenant Frank N. Lane to be Lieutenant, vice E. V. Harrison, resigned. Dated 12th December, 1908.*

*The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant Ferdinand E. McClellan is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry. Dated 21st December, 1908.*

*The Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant Francis M. Bassett to be Captain, vice H. C. Jackson, seconded. Dated 16th December, 1908.*

*The Leicestershire Regiment, Captain Alec W. S. Brock to be Adjutant, vice C. T. M. Hare. Dated 13th November, 1908.*

*The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Captain and Brevet Major Charles P. A. Hull to be Major, vice W. Hayes-Sadler, placed on the Half-pay List. Dated 22nd December, 1908.*

*The Gloucestershire Regiment, Captain Edward D'A. Le Mottée, D.S.O., is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 23rd October, 1908.*

*The Worcestershire Regiment, Second Lieutenant John G. Collins is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 19th December, 1908.*

*The Royal Sussex Regiment, Captain Alfred C. Parker is placed on the Half-pay List under the provisions of Article 267-7, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 7th January, 1909.*

Captain Roland H. Waithman is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry. Dated 16th December, 1908.

*The South Staffordshire Regiment, Major James W. Sears to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel H. W. Steward, whose tenure of command has expired. Dated 1st January, 1909.*

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant William Birch is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 9th January, 1909.

Supernumerary Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Francis D. Astley-Russell, from The Cheshire Regiment, to be Quartermaster, vice Honorary Lieutenant W. Birch. Dated 9th January, 1909.

*The Dorsetshire Regiment, Supernumerary Captain Frederick W. Radcliffe to be Captain, vice J. Dauncey, deceased. Dated 20th December, 1908.*