

Admiralty, 5th October, 1886.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Captain William Henry Sharp has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Captain. Dated 25th September, 1886.

Admiralty, 6th October, 1886.

Engineer Charles Dawe has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 22nd September, 1886.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Howard Stanley Thompson has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 30th September, 1886.

Admiralty, 7th October, 1886.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Stafford Fitzherbert has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 24th September, 1886.

The undermentioned Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 30th September, 1886 :—

Arthur Willoughby Russell.

William Edwards Breton.

War Office, 8th October, 1886.

MILITIA.

INFANTRY.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel George Francis Carlyon is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Tom Maxwell Drew, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th October, 1886.

5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Arthur Patrick Hamilton Reid, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

Walter Arthur Bromley-Davenport. Dated 9th October, 1886.

Philip H. B. Egerton. Dated 9th October, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Captain Aymer P. Lane resigns his Commission. Dated 9th October, 1886.

The promotion of Captain H. V. Bathurst to that rank is antedated to the 12th May, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Gerard Irvine retires under the provisions of paragraph 98, Militia Regulations, 1886; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Captain the Honourable Charles Alexander is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th October, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants :—

William Robert Codrington. Dated 27th September, 1886.

Armine John Marriott Savill. Dated 9th October, 1886.

5th Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), James Reynolds Maxwell Marsh, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Francis Ambrose D'Oyly Goddard, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th October, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant Edward S. V. Grimshawe to be Captain. Dated 9th October, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Captain and Honorary Major James Browne to be Major. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Battalion, the Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Captain and Honorary Major James Kerr retires under the provisions of paragraph 101, Militia Regulations, 1886; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 9th October, 1886.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Pembroke, Captain Charles Mathias is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th October, 1886.

West Somerset, Captain Philip Francis Durham, 10th Hussars, to be Adjutant, in succession to Major C. W. H. Helyar, 3rd Hussars, whose period of service as Adjutant has expired. Dated 20th September, 1886.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st Aberdeenshire, Captain D. A. Urquhart is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th October, 1886.

1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire, Arthur John Jefferson, Gent., M.B., to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 9th October, 1886.

1st Forfarshire, Major George C. Keiller is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th October, 1886.

2nd Kent, Captain J. T. Allen resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th October, 1886.

2nd Northumberland (the Percy), Lieutenant-Colonel H. G., Earl Percy is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 9th October, 1886.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant R. B. Horne, jun., to be Captain. Dated 9th October, 1886.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant G. A. Webster to be Captain. Dated 9th October, 1886.

1st (Brecknockshire) Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant Arthur Linnell resigns his Commission. Dated 9th October, 1886.

1st Dorsetshire, Gerald Denis Bond, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th October, 1886.

1st (City of Bristol) Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Captain J. H. Woodward is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th October, 1886.