The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant - Colonel and Colonel FitzRoy Stephen, having completed six years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, has been

placed on half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1888. Captain F. Spencer Thornton has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 21st February,

Lieutenant the Honourable Charles Cavendish Winn to be Captain, vice F. S. Thornton, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 21st

February, 1888. Gentleman Cadet Somerset Francis Saunderson, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable C. C. Winn. Dated 2nd May, 1888.

Staff, Lieutenant-General Sir J. Ross, K.C.B., to be a Lieutenant-General on the Staff, to command the Troops in the Dominion of Canada, vice General Lord Alexander G. Russell, C.B., whose period of service in that appointment is about to expire. Dated 24th May, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel W. R. Craster, Royal Artillery, to be a Colonel on the Staff, for Royal Artillery, in succession to Honorary Major-General M. Le F. Taylor, who has

retired. Dated 6th March, 1888. Colonel J. C. Ardagh, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General at Head Quarters, to be Extra Aidede-Camp to Field Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, K.G., &c., Commander-in-Chief. Dated 20th April, 1888.

Ordnance Committee, The undermentioned Officers to be Members:

Colonel V. G. Clayton, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, Royal Engineers, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army on appointment. Dated 23rd April, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. F. Ellis, from half-pay, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1888.

Major E. Bainbridge, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1888.

Major D. D. T. O'Callaghan, Royal Artillery, to be Secretary. Dated 1st April, 1888.

Ordnance Factories, Lieutenant-Colonel J. B. Ormsby to be First Assistant to the Director-General. Dated 1st February, 1888. Captain F. L. Nathan, Royal Artillery, to be

Second Assistant to the Director-General.

Dated 1st February, 1888.

Major M. T. Sale, C.M.G., Royal Engineers, to be Superintendent of Building Works. Dated

1st April, 1888. Major D. O'Brien, Royal Engineers, to be First Assistant, Building Works. Dated 1st April,

Captain H. H. Muirhead, Royal Engineers, to be Second Assistant, Building Works. Dated 1st April, 1888.

The undermentioned Officers, Royal Artillery, have been appointed Officers in charge of Danger Buildings. Dated 1st April, 1888:-

Captain G. T. Kelaart. Lieutenant C. E. English.

Commissariat and Transport Staff, Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, William Collett, retires on retired pay. Dated 2nd May, 1888.

Medical Staff, Surgeon-General John Irvine, M.D., Honorary Physician to the Queen, has been granted retired pay. Dated 13th April, 1888.

Deputy Surgeon-General John Tulloch, M.D., is granted retired pay. Dated 2nd May, 1888. Brigade Surgeon William James Wilson, M.D., is granted retired pay. Dated 2nd May, 1888. Brigade Surgeon Thomas Rudd, M.D., to be

Deputy Surgeon-General (ranking as Colonel), vice R. W. Clifton, retired. Dated 11th April,

Surgeon-Major George William McNalty, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., to be Brigade Surgeon (ranking as Lieutenant-Colonel), vice T. Rudd, promoted. Dated 11th April, 1888.

Surgeon-Major Samuel Gamble White, M.D., retires on retired pay, and having applied to retire prior to January, 1888, is granted the honorary rank of Brigade Surgeon. Dated 2nd May, 1888.

Ordnance Store Department, Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, J. Morton has been granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 27th March, 1888

Army Pay Department, Staff Paymaster and Lieutenant - Colonel Frederick Francis Fereday to be placed on retired pay. Dated 4th May, 1888.

Captain J. S. Gaussen, Royal Irish Rifles, has been permitted to resign his combatant Commission, on appointment to the Army Pay Department.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Surgeon, First Class, Francis Plomley, retires on retired pay. Dated 2nd May, 1888.

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Colonel Harry McLeod Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Major-General, vice Major-General, W. D'O. Kerrich, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, placed upon the Unemployed Super-numerary List. Dated 7th April, 1888.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:-Major and Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William Webb Follett, Coldstream Guards. Dated 26th March, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel William White, 15th Hussars.

Dated 29th April, 1888. Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Turner, the Cameronians, Scottish Rifles. Dated 3rd May, 1888.

The undermentioned Officers, half-pay, have been placed on retired pay :-

neutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas Tyacke. Dated 1st May, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Cecil McPherson. Dated 25th April, 1888.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Henry Hungerford St. Leger, D.S.O. Dated 26th April, 1888.

Major Henry Leslie Ellis, late 6th Dragoons, has been permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 9th April, 1888.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted the honorary rank of Captain in the Army :-

Quartermaster J. S. Cooper, 3rd Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment. Dated 1st April,

Riding-Master and Honorary Lieutenant R., Gifford, 5th Dragoon Guards. Dated 3rd April, 1888.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant William Lynch, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment). Dated 1st May, 1888.