

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain W. M. Walmisley resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st East Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Lieutenant-Colonel W. F. Sutton is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

2nd Gloucestershire (the Bristol), Captain C. H. Versturme, Royal Engineers, to be Adjutant, vice Major F. H. Horniblow, whose period of service has expired. Dated 5th November, 1898.

1st Sussex, Lieutenant H. F. Stephens to be Captain. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Submarine Miners.

The Mersey Division, Second Lieutenant A. H. Jones to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

RIFLE.

The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. R. Macrae to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, under the provisions of paragraphs 55A and 114 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1897. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Captain R. Clark is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Surgeon-Captain R. Kirk, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), The Right Honourable Charles Thompson Ritchie is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel H. F. Hurst resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Captain J. C. Adam resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant G. Upton resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Robert Jefferys Adam, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant M. C. V. Hertz, from the 4th Volunteer Battalion the Manchester Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st (Exeter and South Devon) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Arthur Cecil Thomas, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel A. K. Dibb resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant the Reverend J. L. Dove, M.A., resigns his Commission,

vacating at the same time the appointment of Honorary Captain to the Haileybury College Cadet Corps, attached. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel A. Rumball, retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1897, with permission to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel E. R. Green is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Captain J. H. Tibbs resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant E. S. Taylor to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel R. S. Porter resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Major R. Cobbett reverts to the rank of Captain, at his own request.

Captain R. Cobbett is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Captain and Honorary Major H. A. Remer to be Major. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Harvey William Cobbett, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

1st Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border), Major H. S. Murray is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Captain T. D. C. Smith is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, Honorary Assistant Surgeon W. Kay resigns his Commission; and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

3rd Lanarkshire, Captain and Honorary Major W. L. Rome resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Andrew Stewart Tindal, M.D., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

R. A. L. Munn. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

O. B. Hargreaves. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

G. N. Slinger. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Major L. G. Mortimer is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

Lieutenant C. P. Lovelock to be Captain. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Thomas Bruckbank Simpson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd December, 1898.