Admiralty, 13th January, 1899.

The Reverend George Brooke Robinson, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 12th January, 1899.

Admiralty, 14th January, 1899.

Clerk Lionel George Warleigh has been promoted to the rank of Assistant-Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 12th November, 1898.

Royal Naval Reserve. Sub-Lieutenant Herbert William Mead has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1899.

Admiralty, 16th January, 1899.

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

Admiral of the Fleet Sir John Edmund Commerell, V.C., G.C.B., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 13th January, 1899.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure the following promotion takes place:—
Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, V.C., G.C.B., to be

Admiral of the Fleet. Dated 13th January,

Consequent thereon the following promotions take place from the same date:

Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Frederick Hotham, K.C.B., to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet. Rear-Admiral Charles Searle Cardale to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Ernest Neville Rolfe, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 26th June, 1886, and 22nd February, 1870-

Rear-Admiral Arthur Hildebrand Alington has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 13th January, 1899.

Consequent thereon the following promotion has been made from the same date:

Captain Arthur William Moore, C.B., C.M.G., A.D.C., to be Rear-Admiral.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure Admiral Sir Michael Culme Seymour, Bart., G.C.B., has been appointed First and Principal Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, in place of Admiral Sir Nowell Salmon, V.C., G.C.B., promoted to the rank of Admiral of the Fleet. Dated 13th January, 1899.

Captain Wilmot Hawksworth Fawkes has been appointed Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, in place of Commodore Swinton Colthurst Holland, promoted to Flag Rank. Dated 1st

January, 1899. Captain George Lambart Atkinson has been appointed Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, in place of Captain Ernest Neville Rolfe, C.B., promoted to Flag Rank. Dated 13th January,

Captain John Pakenham Pipon, C.B., C.M.G., has been appointed Naval Aide-de-Camp to Her Majesty, in place of Captain Arthur William Moore, C.B., C.M.G., promoted to Flag Rank. Dated 13th January, 1899.

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

Captain John George Jones has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 13th January, 1899.

The undermentioned Sub - Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:

Thomas Fison Brayshay. Arthur Corry Gotto. Arthur John Davies. Douglas Walter Hamilton-Gordon. John Ambrose Slee. Herbert Arthur Buchanan Wollaston. Dated 15th January, 1899.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 17th January, 1899.

2nd Life Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Douglas M. B. H., Earl of Dundonald, C.B., M.V.O., on completion of his period of service in command of the Regiment, is placed on halfpay. Dated 12th January, 1899.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Audley D. Neeld to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel D. M. B. H., Earl of Dundonald, C.B., M.V.O.

Dated 12th January, 1899.

6th Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant H. C. Bickford to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable Lonsdale R. D. Gray, appointed Adjutant. Dated 4th January, 1899.

7th Dragoon Guards, Captain G. Langworthy is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 13th October, 1898.

Lieutenant John E. F. Dyer to be Captain, vice G. Langworthy. Dated 13th October, 1898.

Second Lieutenant W. R. H. Jenkins to be Lieutenant, vice J. E. F. Dyer. Dated 7th Dated 7th December, 1898.

6th Dragoons, The appointment to a Second Lieutenancy of Lieutenant L. E. H. M. Darell, from 4th Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, which appeared in the Gazette of 3rd January, 1899, is cancelled.

Lieutenant George Hughes Earle, from 3rd Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 18th

January, 1899.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Reginald Edward Cecil (University Candidate), from 3rd Battalion the Northumberland Fusiliers, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. S. V. Dyas, resigned. Dated 18th January, 1899.

Royal Engineers, Brevet Colonel Francis J. Day, on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-

pay. Dated 12th January, 1899.
Supernumerary Lieutenant-Colonel Richard M.
Ruck to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel H. Clarke, placed on half-pay.

1st January, 1899.

Major Charles C. Ellis to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel F. J. Day. Dated 12th January, 1899.

Captain Osbert M. R. Thackwell to be Major, vice C. C. Ellis. Dated 12th January, 1899.

undermentioned Lieutenants Captains:

William C. Smyth, vice C. C. D. Morice, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 1st January,

Robert N. Harvey, vice O. M. R. Thackwell. Dated 12th January, 1899.

Second Lieutenant Rupert Ommanney to be Lieutenant Dated 14th January, 1899.