

Colonel (temporary Major-General) Sir W. G. Nicholson, K.C.B., now Adjutant-General in India, to be Military Secretary to Field-Marshal the Right Honourable F. S., Lord Roberts, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., V.C. Dated 23rd December, 1899.

Colonel N. F. F. Chamberlain, Indian Staff Corps, now a Colonel on the Staff in India, to be First Aide-de-Camp and Private Secretary to Field-Marshal the Right Honourable F. S., Lord Roberts, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., V.C. Dated 23rd December, 1899.

To be Aides-de-Camps to Field-Marshal the Right Honourable F. S., Lord Roberts, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., V.C. Dated 23rd December, 1899:—

Colonel H. R., Viscount Downe, C.I.E., now a Colonel on the Staff commanding the Cavalry Brigade, Curragh.

Major H. V. Cowan, Royal Artillery.

Captain A. C. M. Waterfield, Indian Staff Corps.

Major-General G. T. Pretzman, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Commandant at Head-Quarters in South Africa. Dated 23rd December, 1899.

The undermentioned appointments are made to the Staff on mobilization of the 7th Division. Dated 18th December, 1899:—

7TH DIVISION.

Major-General C. Tucker, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General on the Staff, with the local rank of Lieutenant-General whilst so employed.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Belfield, from the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Assistant Adjutant-General, with the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army.

To be Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-Generals:—

Brevet Major H. G. Fitton, D.S.O., Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Lieutenant-Colonel H. G. Rice, Army Service Corps.

Captain and Brevet Major F. Wintour, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be Assistant Provost-Marshal.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Gormley, M.D., Royal Army Medical Corps, to be Principal Medical Officer.

Major F. J. Morgan, Royal Army Medical Corps, to be Medical Officer.

The Reverend E. W. M. Norris, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Fourth Class, to be Chaplain.

Captain J. R. K. Birch, The Cheshire Regiment, to be Divisional Signalling Officer.

14th Brigade.

Major-General Sir Herbert C. Chermiside, G.C.M.G., C.B., to be Major-General on the Staff.

Captain W. M. Marter, 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Brigade-Major.

15th Brigade.

Colonel J. E. H. Prior to be Major-General on the Staff, with the local rank of Major-General whilst so employed.

Captain L. R. Carleton, the Essex Regiment, to be Brigade Major.

The appointment of Major J. E. Edmonds, Royal Engineers, as a temporary Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-Quarters, is dated 17th November, 1899, and not as stated in the Gazette of 12th December, 1899.

Captain F. C. Owen, Royal Field Artillery, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain A. W. Gay, Royal Artillery, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 20th December, 1899.

Captain B. R. James, the East Surrey Regiment, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain and Brevet Major T. Capper, the East Lancashire Regiment, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 13th November, 1899.

Lieutenant H. Ramsden, half-pay Royal Artillery, to be extra Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable Earl Cadogan, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General-Governor of Ireland. Dated 11th December, 1899.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made:—

General A. G. Montgomery Moore to be a Lieutenant-General on the Staff to command the Troops at Aldershot, vice Major-General (local Lieutenant-General) T. Kelly-Kenny, C.B. Dated 15th December, 1899.

Colonel C. Kennedy, now an Assistant Adjutant-General, to be a Deputy Adjutant-General, vice Colonel A. E. W. Goldsmid. Dated 15th December, 1899.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. G. Ross of Bladensburg, C.B., from half-pay, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Major C. C. Mouro, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment). Dated 15th December, 1899.

Captain B. R. James, the East Surrey Regiment, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-Quarters during the absence of Captain G. T. Forestier-Walker, Royal Artillery, in South Africa. Dated 13th November, 1899.

Lieutenant A. M. Seton, Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, in succession to Captain and Brevet Major T. Capper, the East Lancashire Regiment. Dated 25th October, 1899.

Army Pay Department, Captain G. G. Hewlett, from the Army Service Corps, is permanently appointed to the Army Pay Department, retaining his substantive rank. Dated 20th January, 1898.

BREVET.

The promotion to the rank of Major of Captain S. C. C. Townsend, Royal Artillery, which was notified in the Gazette of 14th November, 1899, is antedated to 28th September, 1899.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers to be Honorary Physicians to the Queen. Dated 23rd December, 1899:—

Surgeon-Major-General A. F. Bradshaw, C.B., vice Surgeon-Major-General S. A. Lithgow, C.B., D.S.O., retired pay, deceased.

Surgeon-General A. H. Fraser, vice Surgeon-General Sir C. A. Gordon, K.C.B., half-pay, deceased.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Tomkinson, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 23rd December, 1899.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Robert Wilton Morley, Esq., late Captain 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 23rd December, 1899.

Arthur Campbell Duckworth, Gent., late Lieutenant 2nd Dragoons, to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1899.