

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. W. C. Steele, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Carshields, in the county of Northumberland, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Holmes Joy, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Tamworth, in the county of Stafford, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. D. McLeod, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Hawick, in the county of Roxburgh, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. G. Barnes, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Axminster, in the county of Devon, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. Andrew Sprott, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Patterdale District, in the counties of Cumberland and Westmorland, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 26, 1903.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. F. Haswell, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Penrith, in the county of Cumberland, is vacant.

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 27, 1903.  
H. 1841.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 24, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—  
"Maritime Sanitary Ordinance No. 2 of to-day subjects arrivals from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, to provisions of Sanitary Ordinance No. 5 of 1902 against plague."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 27, 1903.  
H. 1842.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated January 19, from His Majesty's Representative at Trieste, intimating that the Imperial and Royal Marine Board at Trieste have withdrawn the sanitary precautions at that place against the importation of goods from Constantinople and Odessa.

*Admiralty, 22nd January, 1903.*

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

The undermentioned Gentleman to be Second Lieutenant:—

Mr. George Harold Kendle.

Dated 1st January, 1903.

*Admiralty, 23rd January, 1903.*

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

Sub-Lieutenant Frederick William Hood to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th January, 1903.

*Admiralty, 24th January, 1903.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—

Fleet Engineer William Henry Michell has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 22nd January, 1903.

*Admiralty, 26th January, 1903.*

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

Lieutenant Reginald Henry Curteis has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 25th January, 1903.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Vivian Ronald Brandon.

Dated 15th July, 1901.

Charles Harold Evelyn Head.

Dated 15th October, 1901.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
27th January, 1903.*

*1st Dragoon Guards*, Second Lieutenant Reginald Stretton Spurrier, from 3rd Battalion the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice the Honourable N. R. P. J. Stourton, resigned. Dated 28th January, 1903.

*2nd Dragoon Guards*, Second Lieutenant Charles E. Wilkin resigns his Commission. Dated 28th January, 1903.

Second Lieutenant John Dunville Lees, from 3rd Battalion the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 28th January, 1903.

Second Lieutenant John Tom North, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Sussex Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 28th January, 1903.

*4th Hussars*, Lieutenant Wilfred A. S. de Gale, from 3rd Battalion the Northamptonshire Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice R. R. H. Saunders, resigned. Dated 28th January, 1903.

*6th Dragoons*, The appointment of Captain William H. King is confirmed, his period of probation having expired.

*8th Hussars*, Second Lieutenant William Percy Armitage, from 5th Battalion the Lancashire Fusiliers, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable M. F. S. Howard. Dated 28th January, 1903.

*16th Lancers*, Lieutenant Richard Godolphin Hume Chaloner, from 3rd Battalion the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. C. Upton, resigned. Dated 28th January, 1903.