

The undermentioned Engineer Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet, viz. :—

Edgar Harold Ellis.
Charles Cape Sheen.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd May, 1904.*

2nd Life Guards, Surgeon-Lieutenant R. M. Cowie to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 11th April, 1904.

Royal Horse Guards, Captain St. J. B. Killery, from the Royal Army Medical Corps, to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 4th May, 1904.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Supernumerary Captain George H. W. Bayley to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. E. Edwards, seconded. Dated 8th March, 1904.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Captain Cecil De Saumarez, D.S.O., is seconded for service with the Native Mountain Artillery, India. Dated 26th March, 1904.

The promotion of Lieutenant H. W. Lockhart to the rank of Captain is altered to 4th March, 1904, vice G. Badham-Thornhill, seconded.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

Archibald D. Murray, vice R. B. Fife, seconded. Dated 3rd March, 1904.

John E. H. Cockburn, vice F. M. Thrupp, appointed Instructor in Gunnery. Dated 5th March, 1904.

William L. Campbell, vice I. S. Cobbe, appointed to the Ceylon-Mauritius Battalion. Dated 5th March, 1904.

Bertram A. M. Hall, vice C. J. K. Pollard, seconded. Dated 9th March, 1904.

Francis W. Loveday, vice W. M. Ogg, seconded. Dated 9th March, 1904.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are seconded :— Ernest D. F. Gee, for service with the Native Artillery, India. Dated 12th February, 1904.

Walter M. FitzH. Turner, for service with the Native Mountain Artillery, India. Dated 1st March, 1904.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Robert S. Machray to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. G. Money, seconded. Dated 25th March, 1904.

The promotions of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants to the rank of Lieutenant are antedated as follows :—

H. B. L. G. Gunn to 31st January, 1904, vice H. Wadlow, appointed Adjutant.

J. C. E. D'Esterre to 1st February, 1904, vice C. J. K. Pollard, promoted.

I. A. E. Edwards to 10th February, 1904, vice A. V. Langton, promoted.

L. G. Matterson to 12th February, 1904, vice E. D. F. Gee, seconded.

J. V. C. Campbell to 15th February, 1904, vice F. E. Andrewes, promoted.

W. C. Robertson to 22nd February, 1904, vice C. R. Wills, placed on half-pay.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

Arthur F. Cole, vice B. B. Colbeck, promoted. Dated 25th February, 1904.

Leslie N. Stephens, vice W. M. FitzH. Turner, seconded. Dated 1st March, 1904.

Cecil McG. Yates, vice H. W. Lockhart, promoted. Dated 4th March, 1904.

Edward F. Hare, vice W. A. Moore, appointed to the Hong Kong-Singapore Battalion. Dated 5th March, 1904.

Henry H. Webber, vice J. N. Biggs, appointed to the Hong Kong-Singapore Battalion. Dated 5th March, 1904.

Captain Richard L. Barton to be Adjutant, vice Captain W. Arthy, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st April, 1904.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels :—

Theodore J. W. Prendergast, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel T. Digby, placed on half-pay. Dated 8th March, 1904.

Godfrey Williams, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel M. C. Barton, D.S.O., placed on half-pay. Dated 14th March, 1904.

William Huskisson, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel H. D. Love, placed on half-pay. Dated 4th April, 1904.

Thomas A. Cregan, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel J. W. Sill, placed on half-pay. Dated 5th April, 1904.

Lieutenant-Colonel John G. Lutyens retires upon retired pay. Dated 4th May, 1904.

COLDSTREAM GUARDS.

Lieutenant William M. Beckwith resigns the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 30th April, 1904.

Lieutenant John E. Gibbs to be Adjutant, vice W. M. Beckwith. Dated 30th April, 1904.

SCOTS GUARDS.

Captain and Brevet Major the Honourable Charles S. Heathcote-Drummond-Willoughby to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. Cuthbert, promoted. Dated 10th April, 1904.

IRISH GUARDS.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Richard J. Cooper, M.V.O., on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Major Douglas J. Hamilton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel R. J. Cooper M.V.O. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Captain and Brevet Major Charles FitzClarence, V.C., to be Major, vice D. J. Hamilton. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICTS.

Colonel George P. F. Byng, 51st and 65th Regimental Districts (The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry) and The York and Lancaster Regiment), is placed on retired pay. Dated 1st May, 1904.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant C. E. C. Thurlow resigns his Commission on account of ill-health. Dated 4th May, 1904.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, The promotion to the rank of Major of Captain Walter L. Loring is antedated to 3rd February, 1904, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel K. E. Lean, promoted.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain Mortimer P. Hancock resigns the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 4th May, 1904.