

## STAFF.

Major-General Sir F. Howard, K.C.B., C.M.G., from Inspector-General of Recruiting, to be a Major-General on the Staff to command the Troops in the North-Western District. Dated 29th April, 1904.

Lieutenant C. K. Hutchison, Coldstream Guards, to be a Superintendent of Gymnasia, vice Captain and Brevet Major the Honourable J. F. Gathorne-Hardy, Grenadier Guards, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 8th March, 1904.

The undermentioned appointments are made to the Staff of the Somaliland Field Force:—

Captain and Brevet Major H. G. Joly de Lotbinière, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, to be a Special Service Officer, graded for pay Rate XIII, Scale B, Article 115, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900, whilst so employed. Dated 30th October, 1903.

Captain P. W. N. Fraser, D.S.O., The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, to be a Special Service Officer, graded for pay Rate XIII, Scale B, Article 115, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900, whilst so employed. Dated 15th March, 1904.

Lieutenant W. H. Evans, Royal Engineers, to be a Special Service Officer. Dated 9th March, 1904.

## ORDNANCE COLLEGE.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel A. P. Penton, from half-pay, to be Commandant, and is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel C. F. Hadden, C.B., appointed Director of Artillery. Dated 28th April, 1904.

## SCHOOL OF MILITARY ENGINEERING.

Lieutenant F. V. Thompson, Royal Engineers, to be an Assistant Instructor, vice Captain B. A. G. Shelley, Royal Engineers, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 17th April, 1904.

## QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Lady to be Staff Nurse:—  
Miss Mary Elizabeth Richardson (provisionally).  
Dated 14th April, 1904.

## ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT.

Major G. D. Collings, D.S.O., Staff Paymaster, is granted the substantive rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 23rd April, 1904.

## MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel H. S. Fitzgerald, C.B., from The Durham Light Infantry, is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army. Dated 29th February, 1904.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund G. Nicolls, from Royal Garrison Artillery, is continued in his appointment as Chief Instructor Royal Military Academy, on promotion. Dated 11th April, 1904.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William W. C. Verner, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 7th May, 1904.

Lieutenant-Colonel Berkeley C. Quill, C.B., half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 7th May, 1904.

Second Lieutenant W. H. C. Hindley, Half-pay List, resigns his Commission on account of ill-health. Dated 7th May, 1904.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant James H. Wright, Royal Engineers, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 5th May, 1904.

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 3rd May, 1904:—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Mullaly, from Royal Engineers, is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army. Dated 29th November, 1903.

## RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions. Dated 7th May, 1904:—

Major G. W. Redway.

Lieutenant R. R. Raymer.

## ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Captain H. D. Brook to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 23rd April, 1904.

*Civil Service Commission,*

*May 6, 1904.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination of Candidates for registration as Temporary Boy Clerks will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Bedford, Bristol, Liverpool, Southampton, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Belfast, and Cork, on the 16th August, 1904, under the Regulations dated the 20th November, 1903, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number to be registered will depend partly on the requirements of the service, and partly on the number of Candidates who may show sufficient proficiency; but it is not likely to be less than 300, if so many shall be found competent.

No Candidate will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 28th July, an application, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Civil Service Commission,*

*May 6, 1904.*

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

*May 2, 1904.*

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Admiralty: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), Emrys Lloyd Rowlands, Lewis Henry Stroud.*

*Customs: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Richard Ladd Canney.*

*War Office: Assistant Clerks (Abstractors), James Beamish, Thomas Geany.*

## AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Board of Trade: Clerk or Deputy Superintendent in a Mercantile Marine Office, William John Norton.*

*Post Office: Male Learner, London, William Frederick Hele.*

## WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*War Office: Established Civilian Employé in the Royal Small Arms Factory, Enfield, William Jeremiah Robinson.*