

*Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's)*, Captain Clifton C. O. Gascoigne retires on retired pay to serve in the Militia under the provisions of Article 509, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900. Dated 22nd April, 1905.

*The Royal Garrison Regiment*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles O. Hore, C.M.G., on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 10th April, 1905.

Lieutenant Oscar Peppercorn resigns his Commission. Dated 22nd April, 1905.

#### STAFF.

Colonel James C. Dalton, from half-pay, is appointed a Major-General on the Staff to command the Royal Artillery at Gibraltar, and promoted to the rank of Major-General, vice Major-General J. F. Bally, C.V.O., whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 14th April, 1905.

Major and Brevet Colonel Sir James R. L. Macdonald, K.C.I.E., C.B., from Royal Engineers, to be a Brigade Commander in India, and is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, vice Colonel H. P. Leach, C.B., D.S.O., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 7th January, 1905.

Captain and Brevet Major Colin R. Ballard, The Norfolk Regiment, to be a Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, vice Brevet Major H. R. Cumming, The Durham Light Infantry. Dated 15th March, 1905.

Captain Edwin H. E. Collen, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain at Headquarters, vice Brevet Colonel E. J. Granet, whose tenure of the appointment of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General has expired. Dated 2nd April, 1905.

Lieutenant Henry E. O'B. Traill, Royal Artillery, to be a Remount Officer, graded for pay Rate XIV, Scale B, Article 115, Royal Warrant 26th October, 1900, vice Captain E. M. Birch, D.S.O., Royal Artillery, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 22nd November, 1904.

#### QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Lady to be Staff Nurse (provisionally):—

Miss Ethel Mary Goard. Dated 24th March, 1905.

#### ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Singer, Staff Paymaster, is placed on retired pay. Dated 13th April, 1905.

Captain G. W. B. Brett, Paymaster, to be Staff Paymaster, and is granted the substantive rank of Major in the Army, vice Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Singer. Dated 13th April, 1905.

#### BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh M. Jackson, Royal Engineers, to be Colonel. Dated 14th April, 1905.

#### MEMORANDA.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Percy H. N. Lake, C.B., is promoted to the rank of Major-General. Dated 23rd March, 1905.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel the Honourable Milo G. Talbot, half-pay, Royal Engineers, retires on retired pay. Dated 22nd April, 1905.

#### RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant (Honorary Colonel of Volunteers) J. F. Mackay is removed under the provisions of Article 663, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900. Dated 22nd April, 1905.

### ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 19TH APRIL 1905.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The application of the provisions of the Sheep-Scab (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1905 to the area described in the Schedule to this Order is suspended from the date hereof until after the thirty-first day of May, nineteen hundred and five.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this nineteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and five.



T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

*Area to which this Order applies.*

An Area comprising the counties of Aberdeen, Argyll, Banff, Caithness, Clackmannan, Dunbarton (except its detached part), Elgin, Fife, Forfar, Inverness, Kincardine, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Sutherland, and Zetland, and that part of the county of Stirling which lies to the north of a line from the mouth of the Carron River on the Forth at Grangemouth and following the Caledonian and North British Railway line from Grangemouth via Falkirk, Larbert Junction, and Kilsyth to the point where it crosses the county boundary of Dunbarton between Belmore and Summerston stations; the cities of Aberdeen, Dundee, and Perth; and the burghs of Campbeltown, Peterhead, Dunbarton, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, and Stirling, and that part of the burgh of Falkirk which lies to the north of the railway line aforesaid.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.