

*Admiralty, 16th October, 1906.*

Engineer Lieutenant Sydney Rider has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 13th October, 1906.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, viz. :—

Philip Arthur Graham Kell. Dated 12th October, 1906.

Bertram Gregory Drake. Dated 15th October, 1906.

*Admiralty, 17th October, 1906.*

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

Admiral Charles Lister Oxley has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Consequent thereon, the following promotions have been made from the same date :—

Vice-Admiral Sir Lewis Anthony Beaumont, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., now holding the temporary rank of Acting Admiral, to be Admiral.

Rear-Admiral Sir Charles Campbell, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., to be Vice-Admiral.

Captain Robert Swinburne Lowry, Ad.C., to be Rear-Admiral.

Captain Henry Charles Bertram Hulbert to be Rear-Admiral on the Retired List of His Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Cecil Burney has been appointed a Naval Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty The King, in place of Captain Robert S. Lowry, promoted to Flag rank. Dated 17th October, 1906.

*Admiralty, 18th October, 1906.*

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lionel Meyrick Coxon has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th October, 1905.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*October 19th, 1906.*

*2nd Life Guards*, Major Sydney T. Hankey retires on retired pay. Dated 20th October, 1906.

Captain John C. Brinton, M.V.O., D.S.O., to be Major, vice S. T. Hankey. Dated 20th October, 1906.

*6th (Inniskilling) Dragoons*, Second Lieutenant E. C. Bowen to be Lieutenant to complete establishment. Dated 16th August, 1906.

## LINE BATTALIONS.

*The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Captain Maurice L. Pears resigns his Commission. Dated 20th October, 1906.

Supernumerary Captain Arthur H. Wood to be Captain, vice M. L. Pears. Dated 20th October, 1906.

*The East Lancashire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant J. M. Bathe, from The Worcestershire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 20th October, 1906.

*The East Surrey Regiment*, Captain Victor J. Birkbeck is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 6th October, 1906.

Supernumerary Captain Arthur H. S. Hart-Synnot, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice V. J. Birkbeck. Dated 6th October, 1906.

Captain Cyril E. A. S. Currie is seconded for service with the Indian Supply and Transport Corps. Dated 18th October, 1906.

*The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Second Lieutenant T. R. Colville to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 18th October, 1906.

*The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant E. N. F. Hitchins to be Lieutenant, vice C. O. Jubb, promoted. Dated 25th September, 1906.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Charles Hyde is placed on retired pay. Dated 18th October, 1906.

Quartermaster-Sergeant William Hinder Yeoman to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain C. Hyde. Dated 20th October, 1906.

*The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

P. G. M. Skene, vice R. E. Forrester, seconded. Dated 1st June, 1906.

W. D. Allan, vice P. A. Duff, placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 15th July, 1906.

*The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant K. W. Izod to be Lieutenant, vice H. P. Magill, seconded. Dated 13th July, 1906.

*The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry)*, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant A. P. Bowen is antedated to 8th August, 1906, vice H. W. Kettlewell, promoted.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

H. C. F. Bell, vice R. L. Surtees, resigned. Dated 29th August, 1906.

P. Prince, vice P. F. FitzGerald, promoted. Dated 15th September, 1906.

C. F. B. Winterscale, vice E. A. Underwood, resigned. Dated 22nd September, 1906.

*The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, Quartermaster and Honorary Major James A. Walter retires on retired pay. Dated 20th October, 1906.

*The Manchester Regiment*, Captain Francis H. Dorling is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 17th September, 1906.

*The Connaught Rangers*, Captain George C. Digan to be Major, vice H. G. K. Matchett, removed from the regiment under the provisions of Article 92a, Royal Warrant, 1906. Dated 9th October, 1906.

*The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, Lieutenant William H. Lee, from Royal Garrison Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. N. Bredin, placed temporarily on Half-Pay List. Dated 20th October, 1906.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas F. Bushe, C.M.G., Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant Director at Head-Quarters, vice Major H. H. Rich, Royal Artillery, whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 16th October, 1906.