

The undermentioned Majors, Royal Garrison Artillery, Ordnance Officers, 3rd Class, are retained for permanent service and removed from their regiment, retaining the substantive rank of Major, under the provisions of Articles 396 (A) and (B) of the Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1906. Dated 1st April, 1907:—

Anthony H. Woodfield.

Arthur S. Baker.

James A. Stewart

The undermentioned Ordnance Officers, 4th Class, to be Ordnance Officers, 3rd Class, to fill existing vacancies. Dated 1st April, 1907:—

Captain Norman B. Bainbridge, D.S.O., The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment).
Captain John G. Austin, Royal Garrison Artillery.

Captain Charles T. Fisher, Royal Marine Artillery, to be an Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, vice Captain H. W. Paxton, Royal Artillery, whose period of appointment has expired. Dated 15th March, 1907.

Deputy-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Captain John D. Turner retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

The undermentioned Assistant Commissaries of Ordnance to be Deputy-Commissaries of Ordnance with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 3rd April, 1907:—

Honorary Lieutenant William E. Netherton, vice Honorary Captain J. D. Turner, retired.

Honorary Lieutenant William J. Westlake, vice Honorary Captain W. E. Netherton, seconded.

ARMY SCHOOLS.

Inspector of Army Schools and Honorary Lieutenant Henry C. Elliott is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st April, 1907.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel Henry M. Owen, C.B., M.V.O., retires on retired pay, on resigning the appointment of Assistant Director of Remounts, South Africa. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

The undermentioned Colonels, on completion of their periods of service on the Staff, are placed on half-pay:—

Charles C. Monro, C.B. Dated 28th March, 1907.

Frederick F. Johnson, C.B. Dated 1st April, 1907.

James L. C. St. Clair, C.B., C.M.G. Dated 1st April, 1907.

Lieutenant-Colonel Godfrey Williams, from Royal Engineers, Deputy Director-General of Military Works in India, to be substantive Colonel. Dated 14th March, 1907.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James O. Hodgson, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

Major Almeric E. F. Rich, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 30th March, 1907.

Lieutenant Frederick E. Howard-Rowlinson, half-pay, Royal Malta Artillery, resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

The undermentioned Officers having been admitted to the Indian Army, and to rank from the dates specified against their names, are granted the rank of Lieutenant from those dates, but without pay or allowances, viz.:—

Lieutenant Gerald C. Willis (late Royal Field Artillery). Dated 4th August, 1903.

Lieutenant Ralph C. Beck (late Irish Guards). Dated 22nd January, 1905.

Lieutenant William B. Benton (late Royal Garrison Artillery). Dated 24th March, 1905.

Second Lieutenant Llewelyn Griffith (late The Welsh Regiment). Dated 22nd July, 1905.

Second Lieutenant Cyril N. Steel (late The Northamptonshire Regiment). Dated 10th January, 1906.

Second Lieutenant Harold Bennett (late The Essex Regiment). Dated 4th September, 1906.

Riding Master and Honorary Major R. Donnelly, retired pay, to be Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th October, 1902.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Francis Pidgeon, The East Yorkshire Regiment, is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 30th March, 1907.

Sergeant-Major James Betts, Gymnastic Staff, to be a Quartermaster in the Army with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain (Honorary Major in the Army) (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel of Militia) John W. H. Marshall-West to be Major. Dated 18th October, 1902.

Lieutenant (Honorary Captain in the Army) The Honourable George H. W. Walsh, M.V.O., to be Captain. Dated 18th October, 1902.

Lord Herbert Andrew Montagu-Douglas-Scott, D.S.O., late Captain, Irish Guards, to be Captain. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

Honorary Captain in the Army Frank Lewis Lloyd, late Captain, 3rd Battalion The Cheshire Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 3rd April, 1907.

THE ARMY MOTOR RESERVE.

The undermentioned gentlemen to be Lieutenants. Dated 3rd April, 1907:—

Frank Maddock Skinner.

Joseph Alfred Hatton-Ellis.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Colonel Michael Alexander Wilsone Swinfen-Brown to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1907.

Civil Service Commission,

April 2, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination, commencing on the 4th June, 1907, will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, under the Regulations dated the 10th July, 1906, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, respecting Open Competitive Examinations for Junior Appointments in the Supply and Accounting Departments of the Admiralty, Junior Appointments in the Royal Ordnance Factories of the War Office, Appointments as Second-Class Assistant Accountant in the Army Accounts Department, and Appointments as Examiner in the Exchequer and Audit Department.

Not fewer than three situations will be filled on the result of this Examination, if so many candidates should be found qualified, viz.:—not fewer than two situations in the Army Accounts Department and one situation in the Exchequer and Audit Department.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 15th May, an application, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.