

War Office, Whitehall,
22nd December, 1908.

4TH (ROYAL IRISH) DRAGOON GUARDS.

Major-General Edward Cecil Bethune, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir H. C. Wilkinson, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 24th November, 1908.

THE RIFLE BRIGADE (THE PRINCE CONSORT'S OWN).

Major-General Leopold Victor Swaine, C.B., C.M.G., to be Colonel Commandant, vice General Sir Godfrey Clerk, K.C.V.O., C.B., Eq., deceased. Dated 19th November, 1908.

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ESTABLISHMENTS.

School of Instruction for Mounted Infantry, Captain Henry C. Jackson, The Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Adjutant and Quartermaster, vice Brevet Major A. J. McNeill. Dated 16th December, 1908.

CAVALRY.

7th (Princess Royal's) Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant David Finlay to be Lieutenant, vice H. G. Shrubbs, resigned. Dated 16th December, 1908.

1st (Royal) Dragoons, Lieutenant Henry A. Tomkinson to be Adjutant, vice W. T. Hodgson. Dated 22nd December, 1908.

11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars, Major Godfrey T. Williams retires on retired pay. Dated 23rd December, 1908.

Captain Percy D. FitzGerald, D.S.O., to be Major, vice G. T. Williams. Dated 23rd December, 1908.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Lieutenant Vivian M. Ferguson to be Captain, vice R. H. Griffith, seconded. Dated 29th October, 1908.

Lieutenant Robert Benson is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Artillery. Dated 1st October, 1908.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under the provisions of Article 27 of the Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 20th December, 1908 :—

Beauchamp H. H. Barrett.
Alfred Dawson.
Maurice A. Phillips.
Sydney P. Bell.
Edward B. Maxwell.
Richard G. Proby.
Walter A. T. Barstow.
Robert H. Allen.
Cyril Holland.
Thomas F. Sandeman.
David J. Greenshields.
Arbuthnott J. Dunbar.

Captain Osmond C. Du Port to be Adjutant, vice T. Bruce, promoted. Dated 10th December, 1908.

Second Lieutenant Douglas Scott, from Royal Garrison Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, with precedence next below J. Penrose. Dated 12th December, 1908.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Major Frank Aikenhead retires on retired pay. Dated 23rd December, 1908.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors :—

Ernest L. Tomkins, vice W. W. T. Duhan, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1908.
Robert E. Home, D.S.O., vice E. L. Tomkins, seconded. Dated 15th December, 1908.
Francis F. Lambard, vice R. E. Home, D.S.O., seconded. Dated 15th December, 1908.
Arthur M. Cayley, vice F. Aikenhead. Dated 23rd December, 1908.

The undermentioned supernumerary Captains to be Captains :—

Arthur F. U. Green, vice W. J. Fowler. Dated 3rd December, 1908.
Arthur S. P. McGhee, vice A. M. Cayley. Dated 23rd December, 1908.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under the provisions of Article 27 of the Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 20th December, 1908 :—

George P. Richardson.
Charles L. Day.
Ralph A. Clayton.
Bernard H. Elliott.
Paye M. Pearce.
George B. Hynes.
Cecil Colson.
Ralph H. Wetherall.

Captain Willoughby J. Fowler to be Adjutant, vice A. F. U. Green. Dated 3rd December, 1908.

The following notifications are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazettes of 10th November, 1908, and 8th December, 1908 :—

Major Claude J. Perceval, D.S.O., is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 14th November, 1908.
Captain William E. Wailes to be Major, vice C. J. Perceval, D.S.O. Dated 14th November, 1908.
Supernumerary Captain Francis F. Rynd, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice W. E. Wailes. Dated 14th November, 1908.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Brevet Colonel William Yolland, on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, retires on retired pay. Dated 21st December, 1908.

FOOT GUARDS.

Coldstream Guards, Supernumerary Captain Francis D. Farquhar, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice F. Jenkins, seconded. Dated 22nd December 1908.

INFANTRY.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Corporal Alexander Elder Beattie, from Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), to be Second Lieutenant, vice B. G. M. F. Nixon, admitted to the Indian Army. Dated 23rd December, 1908.