The undermentioned Gunners have been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet:-

William Henry Rowe. Dated 16th August,

Henry Barratt. Dated 14th September, 1909.

Miss Margaret Emma Goodall-Copestake has this day been appointed a Nursing Sister in Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service (on probation).

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Sudell to be Lieu-

tenant. Dated 4th September, 1909.
Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Hugh Gordon Bradford Bentley has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1908.

> War Office, Whitehall, 17th September, 1909.

SPECIAL RESERVE.

3rd Battalion, The Lancashire Fusiliers, Field-Marshal Horatio Herbert, Viscount Kitchener of Khartoum, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., Colonel Commandant, Royal Engineers, to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 2nd August, 1908.

War Office, 17th September, 1909.

ROYAL FIELD RESERVE ARTILLERY.

His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the following units of Royal Field Reserve Artillery being disbanded on a date to be notified hereafter:

The South East of Scotland.

The Cornwall and Devon Miners.

The Devon.

The Donegal (The Prince of Wales's).

The Dublin City.

The Durham.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh.

The Fife.

The Forfar and Kincardine.

The Glamorgan.

The Duke of Connaught's Own Hampshire and Isle of Wight.

The Kent.

The 1st Lancashire.

The 2nd Lancashire.

The Limerick City.

The Mid-Ulster.

The Prince of Wales's Own Norfolk.

The Northumberland.

The Carmarthen.

The Suffolk.

The Sussex.

The Tipperary

The Waterford.

The West of Scotland.

The Pembroke.

The Yorkshire (Duke of York's Own).

The Cardigan.

The Wicklow.

The Duke of Connaught's Own Sligo.

The Londonderry,

The Clare.

War Office, Whitehall, 17th September, 1909.

The Army Council, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the undermentioned situations are withdrawn Schedule A. of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870:-

Inspector of Works, Staff for Royal

Engineer Services;

Temporary Architectural Draughtsman in the Department of the Director of Fortifications and Works;

Temporary Mechanical Engineer Draughtsman in the Department of the Director of Fortifications and Works.

> War Office, Whitehall, 17th September, 1909.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Colonel Edward A. Fanshawe, from the Half-pay List, to be a temporary Brigadier-General to command the Artillery of a Division, vice Colonel J. W. Hawkins. Dated 11th September, 1909.

Colonel Spring R. Rice, from the Half-pay List, to be a Chief Engineer, vice Colonel S.A. E. Hickson, D.S.O. Dated 8th September,

1909.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Schools of Electric Lighting; Major Charles G. Burnaby, Royal Engineers, to be a Chief Instructor, vice Major St. G. R. S. Caulfeild, Royal Engineers. Dated 3rd September, 1909.

Royal Military College, Captain Henry G. Lynch-Staunton, The Northumberland Fusiliers, to be an Officer of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets, vice Captain C. L. Porter, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 12th September, 1909.

CAVALRY.

12th (Prince of Wales's Royal) Lancers, The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant Hubert C. Maydon is antedated to the 4th April, 1909, vice C. E. Raynard, placed temporarily on the Half-pay List on account of īll-health.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant Ronald P. J. Mitchell is antedated to the 4th April, 1909, vice H. C.

Maydon, promoted.

Lieutenant William L. C. Kirby, from Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, to be Captain, in succession to Major E. Crawley, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 18th September, 1909.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, The undermentioned supernumerary Captains are restored to the establishment:—

Harold E. Carey, vice E. L. Ellington, seconded. Dated 13th September, 1909.

Cecil E. G. Woollcombe-Adams, vice H. C. mpson, appointed Adjutant. Dated 14th Simpson, appointed Adjutant. September, 1909.

Lieutenant Richard G. Proby resigns his Commission. Dated 18th September, 1909.