

mitted to resign from the Reserve of Officers, Royal Marines, at his own request. Dated 18th July, 1913.

Admiralty, 26th July, 1913.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—

Fleet-Surgeon Octavius William Andrews, M.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Deputy Surgeon-General.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The undermentioned Gentleman to be Surgeon:—

Charles Sutherland McKay Murison, M.B. Dated 25th July, 1913.

Admiralty, 27th July, 1913.

Royal Marine Forces.

The undermentioned retired officer is removed from the Reserve of Officers, Royal Marines, on account of age:—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Ashton Hope Hire, Royal Marine Artillery. Dated 27th July, 1913.

Admiralty, 28th July, 1913.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Commander Frederick Kenrick Colquhoun Gibbons has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903—

Chaplain the Reverend Bernard Bloomer Ford has this day been allowed to withdraw from the Royal Navy with a gratuity.

*War Office,
29th July, 1913.*

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Northumbrian (North Riding) Royal Garrison Artillery.

Lieutenant Alfred David Greig, Royal Garrison Artillery, to be Adjutant. Dated 10th July, 1913.

Lieutenant Alfred D. Greig, Royal Garrison Artillery, is granted the temporary rank

of Captain in the Territorial Force, whilst holding the appointment of Adjutant. Dated 10th July, 1913.

Forth Royal Garrison Artillery; Captain Robert J. A. Macmillan is seconded, under the conditions of paragraph 112 of the Territorial Force Regulations, for employment under the Colonial Office. Dated 12th June, 1913.

Kent Royal Garrison Artillery; Second Lieutenant Ernest S. Randall resigns his commission. Dated 30th July, 1913.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Works Companies, Devonshire (Fortress) Engineers, Royal Engineers; Lieutenant John W. Norman resigns his commission. Dated 30th July, 1913.

INFANTRY.

5th Battalion, The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); Alfred Shrigley Seward (late Cadet, Elstow School Contingent, Junior Division, Officers Training Corps) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 12th June, 1913.

8th Battalion, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment; Captain Gerald Carew Sladen, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), to be Adjutant. Dated 22nd July, 1913.

7th Battalion, The King's (Liverpool Regiment); Lewis Wingfield Roper (late Cadet, Haileybury College Contingent, Junior Division, Officers Training Corps) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1913.

7th and 8th Battalions (Leeds Rifles), The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment); Richard Stanley Briggs (late Cadet Corporal, Charterhouse School Contingent, Junior Division, Officers Training Corps) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1913.

7th and 8th Battalions, The Lancashire Fusiliers; the undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 23rd May, 1913:—

Eric S. Humphrey.
Malcolm G. Bird.

5th (Flintshire) Battalion, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers; Aynslie Nark Astbury (late Cadet Lance-Corporal, Hereford Cathedral School Contingent, Junior Division, Officers Training Corps) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1913:

Francis James King (late 1st Class Staff-Serjeant-Major, Army Service Corps) to be Second Lieutenant, with precedence next above Second Lieutenant Geoffrey A. Alexander. Dated 29th May, 1913.

7th (Merioneth and Montgomery) Battalion, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers; Gabriel Kineton Parkes to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd July, 1913.

Brecknockshire Battalion, The South Wales Borderers; the undermentioned Captains resign their commissions. Dated 30th July, 1913:—

Charles Hore Ruthven.
William B. Dixon.