

Admiralty, 24th February, 1914.

Engineer Lieutenant William Henry Ham has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 7th January, 1914.

Admiralty, 25th February, 1914.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Probationary Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenants:—

Harry Welch. Dated 1st July, 1913.

Horace Leslie Vicary. Dated 1st October, 1913.

William Fletcher Malden. Dated 1st January, 1914.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Smale Edwards to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January, 1914.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants to be Sub-Lieutenants:—

Robert Wright. Dated 1st February, 1914.

Arthur Messenger. Dated 5th February, 1914.

Admiralty, 26th February, 1914.

With reference to the notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 2nd December, 1913, the date of promotion of Paymaster James Henry Batchelor has been antedated to the 19th November, 1913.

The undermentioned Engineer Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Arthur Sydney Wilkinson Durston. Dated 12th February, 1914.

Philip Alban Sanderson. Dated 23rd February, 1914.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Lieutenant Robert Herbert Wilfrid Hughes, R.D., to be Commander. Dated 24th February, 1914.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

William Haskins Condell to be Surgeon. Dated 24th February, 1914.

*War Office,
27th February, 1914.*

THE PRINCE OF WALES'S OWN (WEST YORKSHIRE REGIMENT).

Major-General William Fry, C.V.O., C.B., General Officer Commanding 1st London Division, Territorial Force, to be Colonel, vice Major-General W. H. Hawley, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1914.

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*War Office,
27th February, 1914.*

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve the formation of a Cyclist battalion by the Territorial Force Association for the County of Huntingdon, to be designated "The Huntingdonshire Cyclist Battalion."

*War Office,
27th February, 1914.*

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

4th Battalion, The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; Captain Compton Cardew Norman, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, to be Adjutant. Dated 17th February, 1914.

4th Battalion, The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry); Captain John Charles Hooper, The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be Adjutant. Dated 20th February, 1914.

5th (City of Glasgow) Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry; Captain James Robert Simson, The Highland Light Infantry, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th February, 1914.

*India Office,
February 26, 1914.*

The Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed the officers named below to superintend the transfer of lascars or other persons at the under-mentioned ports, and to grant the certificate required under section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic., cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

Mr. G. W. Swain, Southampton.

Mr. H. Mustard, Southampton.

Mr. A. N. Wards, Glasgow.

*Civil Service Commission,
February 27, 1914.*

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Postmaster-General, and with the assent of the Treasury, Messrs. Alfred Hartwell and George Kay, having served as Clerks of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, have been promoted to Examinerships in the Accountant-General's Department of the General Post Office, with special certificates granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.