

account of age, under the provisions of Order in Council of the 29th November, 1881.

Sergeant-Major John Hammond to be Quartermaster with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Simpson, retired.

Dated 26th July, 1914.

War Office,

28th July, 1914.

REGULAR FORCES.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Royal Military College, Lieutenant John H. T. Priestman, The Lincolnshire Regiment, to be an Officer of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets, and to be seconded, vice Major C. C. Onslow, The Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 22nd July, 1914.

Schools of Electric Lighting, Captain Arthur B. Ogle, Royal Engineers, to be an Instructor, vice Captain A. D. St. G. Bremner. Dated 14th July, 1914.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

General Sir Bindon Blood, G.C.B., retired pay, to be a Colonel Commandant, in succession to the late Major-General William James Stuart. Dated 9th July, 1914.

FOOT GUARDS.

Irish Guards, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

The Honourable Hugh W. Gough. Dated 2nd May, 1914, but to rank for seniority without pay or allowances from the 27th January, 1913, with precedence next below W. C. N. Reynolds.

John S. N. FitzGerald. Dated 2nd May, 1914.

INFANTRY.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Archibald H. K. Jackson to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th June, 1914.

The Norfolk Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 20th June, 1914:—

Norman P. Shand, and to remain seconded.

Robin Otter.

Second Lieutenant Maurice D. Jephson to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th June, 1914.

The Cheshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles R. Andrews to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th April, 1914.

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant Alfred E. C. T. Dooner to be Adjutant, vice Captain E. O. Skaife. Dated 26th July, 1914.

The Dorsetshire Regiment, Lieutenant Bernard J. C. Dudley, is seconded for service

under the Colonial Office. Dated 15th July, 1914.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Donald Cushny. Dated 11th July, 1914.

Walter A. Leishman. Dated 15th July, 1914.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant Gordon D. G. Elton is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 15th April, 1914.

THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lieutenant George M. Young to be Captain. Dated 29th July, 1914.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

Royal Army Medical Corps, The undermentioned Majors are placed on retired pay. Dated 28th July, 1914:—

Stephen W. Sweetnam.

Arthur E. Milner.

Captain Philip C. Field is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 1st July, 1914.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 27th July, 1914:—

Benjamin Biggar, M.B.

James D. Kidd, M.B.

Charles M. Finny, M.B.

Gordon Wilson, M.B.

William S. R. Steven, M.B.

Edward G. S. Cane.

William A. Frost, M.B.

William T. Graham, M.B.

Francis A. Robinson, M.B.

Douglas Reynolds, M.B.

John S. Levack, M.B.

Pierce M. J. Brett, M.B.

Patrick Hayes, M.B.

Thomas A. Weston, M.B.

Walter Bisset, M.B.

Tom C. R. Archer.

William L. E. Fretz, M.B.

Charles D. K. Seaver.

ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Inspectors of Ordnance Machinery, Second Class, and Honorary Captains, to be Inspectors of Ordnance Machinery, First Class:—

William A. Quennell. Dated 5th July, 1914.

Frank H. Phillips. Dated 12th July, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant John L. Portal, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, is granted the local rank of Captain whilst employed with the King's African Rifles. Dated 28th July, 1914.