

Acting Assistant Paymaster Harold James Shaw has been confirmed in the rank of Assistant Paymaster. Dated 9th January, 1911.

The undermentioned Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander:—

Francis Henry Cooke.

Dated 4th December, 1914.

Thomas Maitland Winslow.

William Charles Tarrant.

Dated 11th December, 1914.

Royal Marines.

Rear-Admiral Reginald Hugh Spencer Bacon, C.V.O., D.S.O., Retired, is granted a temporary Commission in the Royal Marines as Colonel Second Commandant. Dated 16th January, 1915.

Admiralty, 19th January, 1915.

Chief Artificer Engineer David John Leary has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th January, 1915.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Fleet Paymaster John Ellis Dathan has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 6th January, 1915.

Admiralty, 20th January, 1915.

Assistant Paymaster Herbert Martyn Boxer has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th January, 1915.

Assistant Paymaster Norman Cunningham has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th January, 1915.

Staff Paymaster Arthur Manley Wells has been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 20th January, 1915.

Gunner William Elliott has been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 10th October, 1914.

Boatswain James Arnold has been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 28th December, 1914.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenant is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant:—

Albert Rendell. Dated 17th January, 1915.

Admiralty, 21st January, 1915.

The undermentioned Gentlemen have been granted temporary Commissions as Surgeons in His Majesty's Fleet:—

John Grandisson Watkins.

David Sutherland, M.B.

War Office, Whitehall,

22nd January, 1915.

ARMY ACT.

It is proposed to amend the "Rules of Procedure" under Section 70 of the Army Act.

Copies of the amendments may be seen at the War Office, Whitehall.

War Office,

22nd January, 1915.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointment is made:—

Assistant to a Major-General in Charge of Administration—

(Graded for purposes of pay as an Assistant Quartermaster-General.)

Colonel Frederick F. Johnson, C.B., retired pay, from an Assistant Quartermaster-General. Dated 8th January, 1915.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Military Wing, The undermentioned appointment is made:—

Flying Officer—

Second Lieutenant Clifford A. Hooper, Special Reserve. Dated 18th December, 1914.

CAVALRY.

Reserve Regiments.

The christian names of temporary Lieutenant Ronald Walford Turner are as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 16th January, 1915.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.

Captain Evelyn G. L. Cullum, from Royal Field Artillery, Special Reserve, to be Captain. Dated 19th November, 1914.

The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants:—

Dated 23rd January, 1915.

Second Lieutenant J. E. Whitehead.