

Acting Lieutenant Frederick Edward Raw has been confirmed in the rank of Lieutenant on the Supplementary List of His Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 1st February, 1915.

*Admiralty, 23rd February, 1915.*

Lieutenant-Commander Reginald Gay Copleston has this day been promoted to the rank of Commander in His Majesty's Fleet.

*War Office,  
23rd February, 1915.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve the formation of a Regiment of Foot Guards to be designated "Welsh Guards."

*War Office, Whitehall,  
23rd February, 1915.*

#### ARMY ACT.

It is proposed to amend the "Rules for Military Prisons and Detention Barracks," under section 133 (6) of the Army Act.

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

*War Office,  
23rd February, 1915.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants:—

Dated 9th January, 1915.

#### CAVALRY.

21st (*Empress of India's*) *Lancers*, Serjeant-Major Henry Baddeley.

#### INFANTRY.

*Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry)*, Serjeant Albert Parrott, from The King's (Liverpool Regiment).

*The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Serjeant-Major Daniel Looney.

*The Royal Sussex Regiment*, Serjeant-Major Charles Walter Harrison, from The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Colour-Serjeant Frederick Day, from The Dorsetshire Regiment.

*The Dorsetshire Regiment*, Quartermaster-Serjeant Charles Percival Crawley, from The King's (Liverpool Regiment).

*The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Colour-Serjeant Ernest Albert Squirrell, from The Dorsetshire Regiment.

*War Office,  
23rd February, 1915.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—

*Personal Staff.*

*Aide-de-Camp—*

Lieutenant I. M. Viscount Windsor,

Worcestershire (The Queen's Own Worcestershire Hussars) Yeomanry, Territorial Force. Dated 6th February, 1915.

#### *General Staff Officers.*

2nd Grade—

Major Charles O. Place, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, from a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade. Dated 15th February, 1915.

3rd Grade—

Captain Sir Walter B. Barttelot, Bt., 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Coldstream Guards, vice Captain A. Erskine-Murray, Royal Artillery. Dated 11th February, 1915.

Captain Arthur G. Macdonald, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), and to be seconded. Dated 11th February, 1915.

Major D. Forster, Royal Engineers, from a Staff Captain. Dated 13th February, 1915.

Special Appointment—

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Captain.)

Captain H. Hodgson, Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st December, 1914.

Chief Engineer—

Colonel H. C. Carey, Reserve of Officers. Dated 20th January, 1915.

Brigade Commanders—

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Julian D. T. Tyndale-Biscoe, from a Commandant, Remount Depot, and to retain his temporary rank. Dated 19th January, 1915.

Colonel H. E. Napier, from Commanding a District, and to be temporary Brigadier-General. Dated 27th January, 1915.

Colonel Horatio J. Evans, and to be temporary Brigadier-General, vice temporary Major-General Ivor Philipps, D.S.O. Dated 13th February, 1915.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Assistant Adjutant-Generals.)

Brevet Colonel Charles E. Curll, retired pay. Dated 6th January, 1915.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) R. B. Colvin, C.B., from Essex Yeomanry, Territorial Force, and to be temporary Colonel. Dated 8th January, 1915.

Colonel Willoughby E. G. Forbes, C.B., retired pay. Dated 12th February, 1915.

Brigade Majors—

Captain Sidney B. Orton, 39th Garhwal Rifles, Indian Army. Dated 11th February, 1915.

Captain Bernard L. Montgomery, D.S.O., The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, and to be seconded. Dated 12th February, 1915.

Dated 15th February, 1915.

Major Herbert F. Churchill, Reserve of Officers.

Major A. E. Collins, Yorkshire Hussars Yeomanry, Territorial Force.

Commandant at Headquarters—

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General.)

Major Carleton Salkeld, Westmorland and Cumberland Yeomanry, Territorial Force, vice Captain G. H. N. Jackson, D.S.O., The Border Regiment. Dated 27th January, 1915.

*Remount Depot.*

Assistant Commandant—

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur L. Tisdall,