

Gunner Aaron Harrold has been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 2nd April, 1916.

The undermentioned Carpenters have been promoted to the rank of Chief Carpenter in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Charles James Wellspring Powell.
Frederick Edwin Cook.
William Thomas Evans.

Dated 1st April, 1916.

Royal Naval Reserve.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants—

James Charles Boyce.
John Archibald Mason Newall.
John MacNeill.

Dated 29th March, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenants—

John Clarke. Dated 8th March, 1916.
George Dunbar Falconer. Dated 23rd March, 1916.

Thomas Aloysius Henry.
Robert Cecil Anderson.

Dated 29th March, 1916.

Herbert George Asker.
George McNiven.
William Charles Jarvis.

Dated 31st March, 1916.

George Jarron Newlands. Dated 1st April, 1916.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

To be temporary Lieutenant—

Claude Dukessell Jevé Rafarel. Dated 3rd April, 1916.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant—

Alfred Shepherd. Dated 3rd April, 1916.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Mulville to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 31st March, 1916.

War Office,

4th April, 1916.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the undermentioned rewards for gallantry and distinguished service in the field during the engagement on 26th February, 1916, at Agagir, Egypt:—

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Hugh Maurice Wellesley Souter, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers, Commanding Dorset Yeomanry, Territorial Force.

Awarded the Military Cross.

Second Lieutenant John Hoffham Blaksley, Dorset Yeomanry, Territorial Force.

Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

No. 846 Private William Brown, 1/1st Dorset Yeomanry, Territorial Force.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Military Cross upon the undermentioned Officers in recognition of their distinguished service in the field from April to June, 1915, during the operations against Jebel Miri, Kadugli District, Nuba Mountains Province of the Sudan:—

Captain (now Major) Clement Leslie Smith, V.C., Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, and Commanding the Camel Corps.

El Saghkolaghasi (Adjutant-Major) Mohammed Effendi Fuad El Seyufi, Camel Corps.

War Office,

4th April, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lieutenants, 2nd Class.)

Second Lieutenant (on probation) H. D. Patterson, The Hampshire Regiment, Territorial Force, relinquishes his appointment and temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th January, 1916.

Arthur Joseph Davis, and to be temporary Second Lieutenant. Dated 31st March, 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

Brigade Commanders—

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) The Honourable Charles G. Fortescue, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., from Brigadier-General, General Staff, and to retain his temporary rank whilst so employed, vice Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Ludlow, C.B., Territorial Force Reserve. Dated 23rd February, 1916.

Colonel Philip J. Miles, and to be temporary Brigadier-General whilst so employed, vice Colonel R. L. A. Pennington, retired pay. Dated 18th March, 1916.

Staff Captain—

Captain His Royal Highness Edward A. C. G. A. P. D., Prince of Wales and Duke of Cornwall, K.G., Grenadier Guards. Dated 10th March, 1916.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Military Wing.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—

Flying Officers—

Dated 16th March, 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant D. W. Clappen, General List.

Second Lieutenant J. H. Firstbrook, Special Reserve.