

*Admiralty, 23rd October, 1923.*

*R.N.*

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Capt. (Commodore, 2nd Class) Cyril S. Townsend, C.B., and Capt. Cecil M. Staveley, C.M.G., have been appointed Naval Aides-de-Camp to the King in the vacancies caused by the promotion to Flag rank of Capt. Richard G. A. W. Stapleton-Cotton, C.B.E., M.V.O., A.-d.-C., and Percival H. Hall Thompson, C.M.G., A.-d.-C. 8th Oct. 1923.

William Forbes Beattie, M.B., re-instated on Active List as Surg. Lieut.-Cmdr., 16th Oct. 1923, with original seniority of 3rd April 1920.

*R.M.*

Lts. John M. Fuller and Chas. R. L. Scott, on return to Corps Duty are absd. in the establishment. 2nd Oct. 1923.

*Admiralty, 24th October, 1923.*

*R.N.*

Comdr. John E. L. Bashford placed on Retired List. 13th Oct. 1923.

*War Office,  
26th October, 1923.*

#### REGULAR FORCES.

##### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

*A.A.G.*—Col. the Hon. M. C. A. Drummond, C.M.G., D.S.O., relinquishes his appt. at the War Office. 8th Oct. 1923.

The undermentioned appts. are made at the War Office:—

*Dir. of Art.*—Col. J. T. Dreyer, C.B., D.S.O., from an Asst. Dir., and to be temp. Col. on the Staff whilst so empld. 10th Oct. 1923.

*Asst. Dir. of Art.*—Bt. Lt.-Col. S. C. Peck, D.S.O., R.A. 10th Oct. 1923.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made at the War Office:—

*G.S.O., 2nd Grade.*—Bt. Lt.-Col. C. A. L. Graham, D.S.O., R.A., from D.A.A. & Q.M.G., vice Bt. Lt.-Col. R. H. Willan, D.S.O., M.C., R.C. of Sigs. 1st Oct. 1923.

*A.A.G.*—Col. H. F. Fraser, C.M.G., D.S.O., relinquishes his appt. 27th Oct. 1923.

The undermentioned appt. is made:—

*Mil. Attaché (G.S.O., 2nd Grade).*—Lt.-Col. S. S. Butler, C.M.G., D.S.O., from the h.p. list. 29th Sept. 1923.

The undermentioned relinquish their temp. appts.:—

*Spec. Appts., Cl. FF.*—Maj. M. R. W. Duberly, O.B.E., 3rd S. Prs., Ind. Army. 19th Sept. 1923.

5th Oct. 1923.

Capt. M. K. Watson, Wilts. R.

Lt. R. D. E. S. Warren, S. Wales Bord.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made:—

*D.A.A. & Q.M.G.*—Capt. H. F. Dawes, D.S.O., M.C., R. Fus. 1st Oct. 1923.

##### CAVALRY.

*3rd H.*—Capt. R. A. Bagnell retires on ret. pay. 8th Oct. 1923.

*11th H.*—Lt. M. W. Yates resigns his commn. 27th Oct. 1923, and retains the rank of Lt.

##### ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

*R.H. & R.F.A.*—Supern. Maj. C. O'D. Preston, D.S.O., is restd. to the estabt. 1st Oct. 1923.

The undermentioned are secd.:—

Capt. V. R. Krohn, M.C., for service on the Staff. 1st Oct. 1923.

Lt. K. F. McK. Lewis, M.C., for service under the Colonial Office. 21st Aug. 1923.

Supern. Lt. W. Sworder, M.C., is restd. to the estabt. 27th Oct. 1923.

*R.G.A.*—Maj. S. R. G. Bake retires on ret. pay. 27th Oct. 1923.

Capt. S. Choat retires, receiving a gratuity. 28th Aug. 1922. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 29th Aug. 1922.)

Supern. Lt. C. R. Hodgkinson is restd. to the estabt. 1st Oct. 1923.

##### ROYAL MALTA ARTILLERY.

Lt. A. Micallef-Eynaud to be Adj. 1st Oct. 1923.

##### CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Temp. Lt. H. M. McGillivray relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health contracted on active service 1st Sept. 1923, and retains the rank of Lt. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 4th Sept. 1923.)

##### INFANTRY.

*R. Warwick. R.*—Lt. E. J. C. Cubberley ceases to be empld. with the Tank Corps. 17th Sept. 1923.

*Lincoln. R.*—The promotion to the rank of Maj. of Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. M. G. H. Barker is antedated to 6th Dec. 1917.

Lt. R. L. de Brisay to be Capt. 14th Sept. 1923.

*Devon. R.*—Capt. S. C. Nation, from the h.p. list, to be Capt. 1st Oct. 1923, with precedence next below K. W. Wilkins.

*W. York. R.*—Capt. C. G. Phillips, D.S.O., M.C., is restd. to the estabt. 9th Oct. 1923.

*Cameronians.*—Maj. E. B. Ferrers, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. 5th Sept. 1923.

*P.W. Vols.*—Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. B. H. W. Taylor, C.B.E., from S. Stafford. R., to be Lt.-Col. 7th Oct. 1923.

*Black Watch.*—Lt. P. N. Hart is placed on the h.p. list on account of ill-health. 8th Aug. 1923.