

War Office,

21st April, 1931.

Maj.-Gen. H. Boulton, C.B., C.B.E., M.D., I.M.S., V.H.S., is apptd. Hon. Surg. to The King, vice Maj.-Gen. F. H. G. Hutchinson, C.I.E., M.B., I.M.S. (ret.). 28th Oct. 1930.

Col. C. W. F. Melville, M.B., F.R.C.S. Edin., I.M.S., is apptd. Hon. Physician to The King, vice Bt.-Col. S. R. Christophers, C.I.E., O.B.E., M.B., I.M.S. (ret.). 27th Nov. 1930.

REGULAR ARMY.

Col. (temp. Brig.) E. D. Giles, C.M.G., D.S.O., A.D.C. to The King, Ind. Army, retains the temp. rank of Brigadier whilst empld. as Maj.-Gen., Cav., and Comdt., Equitn. Sch., India. 12th Feb. 1931.

The undermentioned are granted the temp. rank of Brigadier:—

Col. C. G. Ling, D.S.O., M.C., whilst empld. as Dir. of Mil. Operations, Army Hd.-Qrs., India. 12th Feb. 1931.

Col. F. M. Murray, Ind. Army, whilst empld. as Dir. of Ord. Servs., Army Hd.-Qrs., India. 7th Mar. 1931.

Col. E. L. Hardcastle, D.S.O., on attaining the age for compulsory retirement, retires on ret. pay. 17th Apr. 1931.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appts.:—

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. G. de C. Glover, D.S.O., M.C., S. Stafford R., D.A.Q.M.G., Aldershot Comd. 14th Apr. 1931.

Maj. G. S. W. Rusbridger, D.W.R., G.S.O., 2nd Grade, Jamaica. 14th Apr. 1931.

Capt. & Bt. Maj. J. F. Ferguson, Durham L.I., Bde. Maj., 14th Inf. Bde. 15th Apr. 1931.

Lt. T. P. Saunders, Camerons, Supervising Offr. for Phys. Trg. (Cl. GG), So. Comd. 11th Apr. 1931.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Col. J. U. Hope, D.S.O., from Sec. (Cl. X), Ord. Committee, to be Asst. Dir. of Arty., War Office. 17th Apr. 1931.

Maj. E. G. Gidley-Kitchin, R.E., from G.S.O., 2nd Grade, War Office, to be D.A.Q.M.G., Aldershot Comd. 14th Apr. 1931.

Maj. L. H. Cox, M.C., Gloster R., from G.S.O., 3rd Grade, Salisbury Plain Area, to be Bde. Maj., 14th Inf. Bde. 15th Apr. 1931.

Lt. H. C. Partridge, Dorset R., to be Supervising Offr. for Phys. Trg. (Cl. GG), So. Comd. 11th Apr. 1931.

CAVALRY.

3rd D.G.—Capt. R. Warburton, M.C., is restd. to the estabt. 1st Apr. 1931.

3rd H.—Lt. E. D. Vaux is restd. to the estabt. 16th Mar. 1931. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 3rd Mar. 1931.)

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned are restd. to the estabt. 1st Apr. 1931:—

Lt.-Col. R. C. F. Maitland, D.S.O.
Maj. A. F. S. Napier.

Maj. A. W. Van Straubenzee, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. 2nd Apr. 1931.

The undermentioned are sec'd.:—

Maj. F. L. McNaughton, D.S.O., whilst holding the appt. of Asst. Supt., Design Dept. 1st Apr. 1931.

Capt. G. M. Churcher, M.C., whilst holding the appt. of Instr., Mil. Coll. of Science. 1st Apr. 1931.

Maj. (D.O.) J. W. Tompkins, M.C., retires on ret. pay on attaining the age limit for retirement. 22nd Apr. 1931.

The undermentioned to be Adjts.:—

Capt. G. Sandeman, vice Capt. M. W. M. MacLeod, D.S.O. 14th Feb. 1931.

Lt. H. J. A. Thicknesse. 1st Feb. 1931.

1st Cl. Mr.-Gunn. William John Allen, D.C.M., to be Lt. (D.O.). 22nd Apr. 1931.

INFANTRY.

R. War. R.—Lt. W. A. King to be Capt. 18th Feb. 1931.

R. Fus.—Lt. J. L. L. Lotinga to be Capt. 26th Feb. 1931.

Bedfs. & Herts. R.—Capt. H. E. Carey is sec'd. for serv. on the Staff. 19th Apr. 1931.

Worc. R.—Lt. F. Rodman to be Adj't., vice Capt. S. W. Jones. 22nd Apr. 1931.

D.C.L.I.—Capt. E. R. Rushton is restd. to the estabt. 1st Feb. 1931.

Durham L.I.—2nd Lt. Herbert Gerald Orr, from Unattd. List for Ind. Army, to be 2nd Lt. 22nd Apr. 1931.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Lt.-Col. M. B. H. Ritchie, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.B., retires on ret. pay. 22nd Apr. 1931.

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) D. F. Mackenzie, D.S.O., M.B., to be Lt.-Col. 22nd Apr. 1931, vice Lt.-Col. M. B. H. Ritchie, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.B., to ret. pay.

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. T. H. Scott, D.S.O., M.C., M.B., to be temp. Lt.-Col. 22nd Apr. 1931.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Capt. J. H. F. Hitchcock, R.A. (Ord Offr., 4th Cl.), is retained for serv. as Ord Offr., 4th Cl., with the rank of Capt., with seniority 14th Mar. 1928, and is removed from his regt. under the provisions of Arts. 86 and 226, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1931. 14th Mar. 1931. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 24th Mar. 1931.)

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Sister Miss H. C. Ker resigns her appt. 22nd Apr. 1931.

MEMORANDUM.

Lt.-Col. R. S. Bunbury, D.S.O., h.p. list, late R.A., retires on ret. pay. 22nd Apr. 1931.