

Admiralty, 24th October, 1931.

R.N.

Cd. Engr. E. H. O'Brien, M.B.E., to be Lieut. (E). 24th Oct. 1931.
Lieut. (E) A. W. Purcell placed on Retd. List. 24th Oct. 1931.

R.N.R.

Comdr. W. Gregory, R.D., placed on Retd. List with rank of Capt. 24th Oct. 1931.

Admiralty, 26th October, 1931.

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Lieut. (ret'd.) J. Rea to be Lieut.-Comdr. (ret'd.). 25th Oct. 1931.

Admiralty, 27th October, 1931.

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Frederick Mitchell Duhie, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., to be Surg. Lieut. 27th Oct. 1931.

War Office.

27th October, 1931:

REGULAR ARMY.

Col. R. M. Powell, D.S.O., on ceasing to be empld. is placed on h.p. 16th Oct. 1931.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Col. (temp. Brig.) B. N. Sergison-Brooke, C.M.G., D.S.O., relinquishes the appt. of Comdr., 1st Inf. Bde. (G'ds.) 19th Oct. 1931, and the temp rank of Brigadier.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Col. R. V. Pollok, C.B.E., D.S.O., from Offr. Comdg., I. G'ds. Regt. and Regtl. Dist., to be Comdr., 1st Inf. Bde. (G'ds.), 19th Oct. 1931, and is granted the temp. rank of Brigadier.

Col. W. A. Blake, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., A.D.C. to The King, h.p., to be Cfr. i/c. of Inf. Record and Pay Office, Preston. 20th Oct. 1931.

Lt. N. C. Phillips, R.A., to be A.D.C. to the G.O.C., Malaya. 1st Aug. 1931.

CAVALRY.

4th H.—Lt. J. P. Robinson retires, receiving a gratuity. 26th Oct. 1931.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned are sec'd. for serv. on the Staff:—

Maj. E. Price-Williams, D.S.O., M.C. 1st Oct. 1931.

Lt. J. C. D'A. Dalton. 30th Sept. 1931.

The undermentioned Lts. (D.Os.) to be Capts. (D.Os.). 27th Oct. 1931.

T. W. M. Hayercraft.

E. W. Chapman and remains sec'd.

Lt. E. H. Marriott, from h.p. list, to be Lt., 25th Oct. 1931, with precedence next below Lt. G. H. T. Billson.

FOOT GUARDS.

Gren. G'ds.—Lt. R. A. A. Smith is placed on the h.p. list on account of ill-health. 17th Oct. 1931.

I. G'ds.—Col. L. M. Gregson, O.B.E., from Comdt. and Insp. of Army Bands, R. Mil. Sch. of Music, to be Offr. Comdg. the Regt. and Regtl. Dist. 19th Oct. 1931.

INFANTRY.

Lincoln R.—Capt. T. G. Newbury, M.C., is sec'd. for serv. as an Adj., O.T.C. 6th Sept. 1931. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 25th Sept. 1931.)

Cameronians—Lt. C. L. E. Drake-Brockman is restd. to the estab. 3rd Oct. 1931.

D.C.L.I.—Lt. T. H. Salt is sec'd. whilst holding the appt. of A.D.C. to The Govr. and C-in-C., Malta. 4th Oct. 1931.

P.W. Vols.—Capt. W. G. Clark is restd. to the estab. 19th June 1931.

Capt. W. Bratherton, M.C., from h.p. list, to be Capt., 28th Oct. 1931, with precedence next below Capt. F. J. Lockington, M.C.

Essex R.—Capt. A. H. Blest is sec'd. for serv. as an Adj., T.A. 27th Oct. 1931.

Capt. N. R. Upton, M.B.E., is restd. to the estab. 27th Oct. 1931.

Midd's R.—2nd Lt. R. H. Batten is sec'd. whilst a student at a Univ. 6th Oct. 1931.

R.U. Rif.—2nd Lt. James Graham Chabot Low, from Supp. Res. of Off., R. Tank Corps, to be 2nd Lt. 27th Oct. 1931.

ROYAL TANK CORPS.

Lt. F. Cronin is sec'd. for serv. under the Colonial Office. 13th Aug. 1931.

ROYAL MALTA ARTILLERY.

Maj. J. M. O. De Domenico having attained the age fixed for compulsory retirement is placed on ret. pay. 26th Oct. 1931.

Capt. A. J. Gatt, O.B.E., M.C., to be Maj. 26th Oct. 1931.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lt.-Col. G. C. G. Blunt, D.S.O., O.B.E., on completion of four years' serv. as a Regtl. Lt.-Col., is placed on the h.p. list. 25th Oct. 1931.

Maj. E. H. Fitzherbert, D.S.O., M.C., to be Lt.-Col. 25th Oct. 1931.

2nd Lt. N. Baillie-Stewart, Seaforth, to be 2nd Lt. (on prob.). 1st Oct. 1931.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Lt.-Col. H. C. Hildreth, D.S.O., O.B.E., F.R.C.S. Edin., having attained the age for compulsory retirement, is placed on ret. pay. 25th Oct. 1931.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE.

Staff Nurse Miss E. A. Stone resigns her appt. 26th Oct. 1931.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Col. H. S. Jervis, M.C., from Comdr., 125th (Lan. Fus.), Inf. Bde., T.A., to be Comdt. and Insp. of Army Bands. (Cl. Y), R. Mil. Sch. of Music. 19th Oct. 1931.