

*Scottish Office,  
Whitehall, S.W.1.*

28th July, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to approve the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Garden Beauchamp Duff, D.S.O., to be Vice-Lieutenant for the County of Aberdeen and a Commission in his favour, bearing date the 26th July, 1934, has been signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

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27th July, 1934.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 25th instant, to appoint Sir John Lamb, K.C.B., LL.D., to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the National Library of Scotland constituted under the National Library of Scotland Act, 1925.

*Admiralty, 20th July, 1934.*

*R.A.N.R.*

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Volunteer Officers' Decoration to Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. Arthur Stanley Cave.

*Admiralty, 27th July, 1934.*

*R.N.*

Lieut. E. J. Sykes (Retd.) to be Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.). 27th July 1934.

*R.N.R.*

Lieut.-Comdr. H. Percival (Retd.) to be Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. of 2nd Aug. 1929.

*Admiralty, 28th July, 1934.*

*R.N.*

Lieut.-Comdr. J. C. Hampson placed on Retd. List at own request. 28th July 1934.

*Admiralty, 30th July, 1934.*

*R.N.*

Lieut.-Comdr. C. F. Walker placed on Retd. List at own request. 30th July 1934.

*Admiralty, 31st July, 1934.*

*R.N.*

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure Admiral Sir John D. Kelly, G.C.V.O., K.C.B., has been appointed First and Principal Aide-de-Camp to The KING in succession to Admiral Sir Reginald Y. Tyrwhitt, Bt., G.C.B., D.S.O., D.C.L., to date 31st July 1934.

*Admiralty, 31st July, 1934.*

*R.N.*

Cd. Shipt. J. R. Hindmarch placed on Retd. List with rank of Shipt. Lieut. 31st July 1934.

*War Office,*

31st July, 1934.

#### REGULAR ARMY.

Maj.-Gen. H. R. W. M. Smith, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., retires on ret. pay. 1st Aug. 1934.

Maj.-Gen. W. N. Herbert, C.M.G., D.S.O., on ceasing to be empld. is placed on h.p. 1st Aug. 1934.

Col. (temp. Brig.) H. W. M. Watson, C.M.G., D.S.O., to be Maj.-Gen. 1st Aug. 1934.

Col. G. P. Sanders, D.S.O., O.B.E., is granted the hon. rank of Brig. on retirement. 5th July 1934.

Col. L. J. Comyn, C.M.G., D.S.O., h.p., retires on ret. pay. 1st Aug. 1934.

Col. O. C. Niven, D.S.O., having reached the age for retirement is placed on ret. pay. 1st Aug. 1934.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appts. :—

Maj.-Gen. W. N. Herbert, C.M.G., D.S.O., as Comdr. 10th Inf. Bde. 1st Aug. 1934.

Col. O. C. Niven, D.S.O., as Comdr. R.A. Malta. 1st Aug. 1934.

#### CAVALRY.

3rd D.G.—Lt. J. H. Coxwell-Rogers to be Adjt., vice Capt. H. S. Notley. 1st Aug. 1934.

14th/20th H.—Capt. A. G. Hiddingh retires, receiving a gratuity. 29th July 1934.

#### ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Capt. C. A. C. Hillyard is secd. for serv. as Adjt., Aux. Forces, India. 30th June 1934.

Lt. E. D. Howard-Vyse is secd. for serv. with the Riding Estabtd., Woolwich. 1st July 1934.

#### FOOT GUARDS.

C. G'ds.—Lt. H. R. Norman to be Adjt., vice Lt. R. B. Pembroke. 1st Aug. 1934.

#### INFANTRY.

Suffolk R.—Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) B. G. F. Drew to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.). 30th July 1934.

Gloster R.—Maj. A. Capel retires on ret. pay. 1st Aug. 1934.

Capt. W. G. Chapman, M.C., to be Maj. 1st Aug. 1934.

D.W.R.—The name of 2nd Lt. Howard Phillips SKINNER, is as now described, and not as in Gazette dated 6th Feb. 1934.

R. Berks. R.—Lt. C. W. Stevens is removed from the Army, His Majesty having no further occasion for his services. 1st Aug. 1934.