

The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Lieutenant the Honourable Robert White has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 10th May, 1886.

The King's Own Borderers, Major Edgar William W. Dering has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 15th September, 1886.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant Herbert H. Butterworth, from the Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice J. F. Stewart, seconded. Dated 25th September, 1886.

The East Lancashire Regiment, Lieutenant James Petit Barnes has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 31st May, 1886.

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Lieutenant G. G. Cunningham has been seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 30th July, 1886.

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Lieutenant Alexander L. Lindesay has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th May, 1886.

Sergeant Robert Marshall, from the Highland Light Infantry, to be Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 25th September, 1886.

The Welsh Regiment, Captain James Sillem has been seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 17th August, 1886.

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Captain and Brevet Major Lord Alexander Kennedy has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 20th September, 1886.

Captain Thomas F. A. Kennedy, from the King's Own Light Infantry (South Yorkshire Regiment), to be Captain, vice G. F. De B. Davidson, promoted. Dated 25th September, 1886.

The Essex Regiment, Lieutenant Launcelot R. Carleton to be Adjutant, vice Captain E. L. Guilding, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 15th September, 1886.

The King's Own Light Infantry (South Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Frederick C. L. Waller, from the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), to be Lieutenant, vice P. B. Warren, seconded. Dated 25th September, 1886.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Captain Grenville H. Wells has been seconded for service with the Egyptian Police Reserve. Dated 10th June, 1886.

The Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant Robert Bruce Berkeley has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th May, 1886.

The Highland Light Infantry, Captain Ernest Digby Mansel has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 20th September, 1886.

The seconding of Lieutenant Arthur M. McMurdo for service with the Egyptian Army is post-dated to 24th August, 1886.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Quartermaster and Honorary Major John Walsh, retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th September, 1886.

The Gordon Highlanders, Major Orfeur James Cavenagh has been seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 1st September, 1886.

Army Pay Department, Staff Paymaster and Honorary Major Charles Edward Lennox, from half-pay, to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 17th September, 1886.

Half-Pay, The promotion of Major Frederick de L. Morison, from the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, dated 1st July, 1886, which was notified in the Gazette of 14th September, 1886, is cancelled. Major Henry Masterman Thompson, half-pay, from Secretary and Adjutant of the Royal Military Asylum at Chelsea, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th September, 1886.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

Theophilus Higginson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th June, 1886.

Frank John Todd, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers). Dated 21st September, 1886. Captain and Brevet Major R. J. Spofforth, half-pay, Staff Officer of Pensioners, has been placed on retired pay. Dated 20th September, 1886.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain Rowland J. Beech, Warwickshire Yeomanry Cavalry, to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th September, 1886.

Lieutenant George P. Hinds, 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), resigns his Commission. Dated 25th September, 1886.

War Office, 24th September, 1886.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

3rd Brigade, Cinque Ports Division, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Barton L. J. Scobell retires under the provisions of paragraph 100, Militia Regulations, 1886; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 25th September, 1886.

2nd Brigade, Scottish Division, Major Thomas Alford Houstoun-Boswall has been permitted to assume the surname of *Preston*, in addition to and after his present surname of Houstoun-Boswall.

9th Brigade, North Irish Division, Marcus John Barrè Beresford, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th September, 1886.

ENGINEER.

Royal Monmouthshire, Captain Thomas M. Reid retires under the provisions of paragraph 101, Militia Regulations, 1886; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 25th September, 1886.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Thomas Tait Pitman, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th September, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Cameron Dinsdale Deane Shute, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th September, 1886.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major Sir Herbert Charles Perrott, Bart., to be Major. Dated 20th August, 1886.

3rd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Gardner Sebastian Bazley, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th September, 1886.