

Supernumerary Lieutenant Charles Lestock Boileau, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice J. E. Watson. Dated 10th August, 1887.

The York and Lancaster Regiment, Captain Charles William Randle Ford to be Major, vice A. Theobald, retired. Dated 24th August, 1887.

Lieutenant Randall C. A. Howe to be Captain, vice C. W. R. Ford. Dated 24th August, 1887.

The Royal Irish Rifles, Lieutenant Octavius C. J. Hallum to be Captain, vice M. E. Mulchinock, resigned. Dated 17th August, 1887.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant Henry F. Williams to be Captain, vice A. H. B. Clough, seconded. Dated 12th August, 1887.

Chaplains' Department, The Reverend Arthur Augustus Lynn Gedge, B.A., to be Chaplain to the Forces, Fourth Class. Dated 1st May, 1885, such antedate not to reckon towards promotion, precedence, or increase of pay prior to 24th August, 1886, and not to carry any back allowances.

Commissariat and Transport Staff, Assistant Commissary-General, with the honorary rank of Major, Robert Arthur Nugent, C.B., having completed five years' service in his rank, to be granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st September, 1887.

Medical Staff, Surgeon Richard Charles Kirby Laffan has been seconded for service under the Egyptian Government. Dated 2nd August, 1887.

Half-Pay, Major Edward C. Milner, from the Royal Irish Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd September, 1887.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Joseph West Ridgway, K.C.S.I., Bengal Infantry, to be Colonel, in recognition of distinguished service rendered by him whilst head of the Afghan Boundary Commission, and subsequently as Her Majesty's Commissioner at St. Petersburg. Dated 2nd March, 1885.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Milner, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 10th September, 1887.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant C. J. L. Courtenay resigns his Commission. Dated 10th September, 1887.

War Office, 9th September, 1887.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

3rd Brigade, Western Division, John Ernest Robertson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Brigade, Scottish Division, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Colquhoun to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th August, 1887.

2nd Brigade, Welsh Division, Edward Lyndon Colquhoun, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Walter Raleigh Chichester, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Richard Charles Humphrey Vipan, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Captain James Edward Hubert, Viscount Cranbourne, from the Herts Yeomanry Cavalry, to be Major. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant T. W. Jones to be Captain. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Henry William George Crofton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Frederick Edward William Hervey - Bathurst. Dated 10th September, 1887.

Ralph Houssemayne Du Boulay. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Lieutenant E. K. Heath to be Captain. Dated 10th September, 1887.

4th Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), William Godson Drew, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Philip Pedley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Captain J. G. Smirthwaite is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Charles John Steavenson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

4th Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Colonel F. R. Aikman, V.C. (retired), to be appointed Honorary Colonel of the Battalion. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry, Honorary Major James Otway Graham-Toler (late Captain, 2nd Battalion) to be Captain. Dated 10th September, 1887.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Captain R. H. Girdwood resigns his Commission. Dated 10th September, 1887.

Lieutenant W. R. McD. Parr to be Captain. Dated 10th September, 1887.

MILITIA MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major J. R. A. Douglas, 5th Battalion the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 10th September, 1887.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Royal North Devon, Ronald Frederick Godolphin Johnson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.

Leicestershire, Bernard Charles March Phillipps de Lisle, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1887.