

BREVET.

Captain Ernest Frederic David, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to be Major, in recognition of his services during the recent campaigns in the Soudan. Dated 1st June, 1890.

MEMORANDA.

Major-General Thomas Porter Berthon, Royal (late Bombay) Artillery, has retired upon a pension, with extra annuity. Dated 5th June, 1890.

Colonel C. R. H. Nicholl, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, to be Major-General, vice Sir J. C. McNeill, V.C., K.C.B., K.C.M.G., retired. Dated 7th June, 1890.

Colonel Sir F. W. de Winton, K.C.M.G., C.B., retired pay, Royal Artillery, is granted the honorary rank of Major-General in the Army. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

Lieutenant-Colonel David Bond, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 29th June, 1890.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Stuart, from half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels have been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

Henry St. Maur St. Maur-Wynch, Madras. Dated 12th June, 1890.

Patrick Wilson Bannerman, Bombay. Dated 13th June, 1890.

Richard Griffith, Madras. Dated 13th June, 1890.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant C. G. Mackenzie, 3rd Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's) resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

War Office, 1st July, 1890.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery (Southern Division), Arthur Almeric Power Butler, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

The Carmarthen Artillery (Western Division), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

E. E. Richardson. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

F. C. Keane. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain A. G. Paske resigns his Commission. Dated 20th June, 1890.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain M. A. Faulkner resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Captain H. D. Fryer is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Worcestershire Regiment, Lieutenant H. S. Head to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1890.

3rd Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), George Thomson Neilson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1890.

4th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain C. W. Soden is seconded whilst employed as Inspector in the Sierra Leone Frontier Police. Dated 28th June, 1890.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Staffordshire (Queen's Own Royal Regiment), Philip Starveley Foster, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

RIFLE.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. A. Silver resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel T. D. Sewell, from the 2nd Tower Hamlets (East London) Engineer Volunteer Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Silver, resigned. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

MEMORANDUM.

INFANTRY VOLUNTEER BRIGADE.

Tyne and Tees Brigade, Surgeon and Surgeon Major J. Mitchell, 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, to be Brigade Surgeon, ranking as Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd July, 1890.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order: Allowance of Tobacco and Snuff to certain Paupers in the Workhouse:—
Stockton Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Stockton Union, in the County of Durham;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the 24th day of July, 1847, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Stockton Union (among others), the Poor Law Commissioners made certain Rules and Regulations with regard to the government of the Workhouse or Workhouses of the said Union;

And whereas it is expedient that further provision should be made as hereinafter mentioned:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order that, from and after the date hereof, the following regulations shall be in force in the said Stockton Union, namely,—

ARTICLE I.—Tobacco or snuff may be allowed to such of the inmates of any Workhouse of the Union who are not able-bodied, or are employed upon work of a specially disagreeable character, as the Guardians may consider should be supplied with the same, the quantity to be allowed in each case, or in any class of cases, to be such as the Guardians may by resolution prescribe.

ARTICLE II.—So much of Article 121 of the said General Order as provides that no pauper shall smoke in any room in the Workhouse without the special direction of the Medical Officer shall be rescinded, so far as regards the said Union; but the Guardians may from time to time, by resolution, determine in what rooms and at what times smoking shall be allowed, and no pauper shall smoke in the Workhouse in any other room or at any other time than is so allowed.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

L. S.

Chas. T. Ritchie, President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.