

*The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, Captain R. Woodroffe Graham to be Major, vice R. C. Thornton, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on half-pay. Dated 23rd December, 1891.

Lieutenant James E. D. Ward to be Captain, in succession to Major C. B. D. Michel, Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 17th December, 1891.

Lieutenant E. W. R. Stephenson, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 17th December, 1891.

*The King's Royal Rifle Corps*, Lieutenant George C. Lister to be Captain, vice C. A. T. Boulton, appointed Adjutant 7th Battalion. Dated 20th December, 1891.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant Arthur E. Beadon is seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 21st October, 1891.

*The Queen's Own (Cameron Highlanders)*, Captain Duncan F. Davidson is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 7th December, 1891.

*The Connaught Rangers*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants are seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps:—

Bernhard O. Roe. Dated 20th October, 1891.

William T. C. Poole. Dated 31st October, 1891.

James B. Bedford. Dated 14th September, 1891.

*The West India Regiment*, Captain Edmond P. Apthorp retires on retired pay. Dated 13th January, 1892.

Lieutenant Francis E. Ryde to be Captain, vice J. R. M. Dalrymple-Hay, seconded. Dated 9th November, 1891.

Lieutenant Edward A. Moulton-Barrett to be Captain, vice E. P. Apthorp. Dated 13th January, 1892.

Second Lieutenant J. S. Henderson to be Lieutenant, vice F. E. Ryde. Dated 9th November, 1891.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Albert Thorne, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. S. Henderson. Dated 13th January, 1892.

*Staff*, Major M. S. Brownrigg, from half-pay, to be a Staff Captain for Recruiting. Dated 30th December, 1891.

Captain L. Munro, the Hampshire Regiment, to be a Brigade Major, vice Captain F. S. Inglefield, the East Yorkshire Regiment, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 31st December, 1891.

*Medical Staff*, Surgeon-Major-General Duncan A. C. Fraser, M.D., is placed on retired pay. Dated 27th December, 1891.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Richard M. Craig retires on retired pay. Dated 13th January, 1892.

Surgeon-Major John E. V. Foss, M.D., is placed upon temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 12th January, 1892.

Surgeon-Captain Philip H. Whiston is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 31st December, 1891.

#### MEMORANDA.

Colonel L. V. Swaine, C.B., C.M.G., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, is granted the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, on appointment as Military Attaché. Dated 2nd January, 1892.

Risaldar Major Mirza Attaollah Khan, Sirdar Bahadur, 10th Bengal Lancers, late British Agent at Kabul, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th September, 1891.

Deputy-Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant George Collyer, Bombay Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st October, 1891.

The undermentioned Quartermasters and Honorary Lieutenants are granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 7th January, 1892:—

David Strachan, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).

Thomas Reynolds, the Devonshire Regiment.

William Carter, 13th Hussars.

Thomas Vincent Jones, the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

#### INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned Officers are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—

Lieutenant-General Henry Melvill, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 20th December, 1891.

Major-General Francis S. Tredell, Bombay Infantry. Dated 19th December, 1891.

#### RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions. Dated 13th January, 1892:—

Captain W. Scott, the Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery.

Lieutenant R. F. J. Grenfell.

Whitehall, January 9, 1892.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, for the purposes of the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872-1875, he has transferred the counties of Kent, Middlesex, Surrey, and Sussex, from the Manchester and Ireland (No. 6) Metalliferous Mines Inspection District to the North Wales and Ireland (No. 9) Metalliferous Mines Inspection District; such transfer to take effect from the 1st January instant.

ORDER of the Local Government Board: Assigning District and Duties to District Auditor: Supplemental.

Eastern and Midland Counties Audit District.  
Counties of Kent and Essex.

Kent and Essex Sea Fisheries District.

To Thomas Howel Kyffin Roberts, District Auditor;—

To the Local Fisheries Committee for the Kent and Essex Sea Fisheries District;—

To the County Councils of the Counties of Kent and Essex;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas by an Order dated the 1st day of April, 1890, as altered by a further Order dated the 4th day of May, 1891, We, the Local Government Board, certified the appointment of the said Thomas Howel Kyffin Roberts as a District Auditor, and directed that, unless We should otherwise prescribe, it should be the duty of the said District Auditor to audit the Accounts of the County Councils of the Counties named in paragraph (1) of Article I of the first-mentioned Order, including the said County of Essex, and the other Accounts referred to in paragraphs (2), (3), (4), and (5) of that Article, so far as the