

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, George Sholto Douglas, Esq., late Captain the Cameronian (Scottish Rifles), to be Captain. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Arthur Holford. Dated 14th February, 1893.

Egerton Griffin Carrol. Dated 15th February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Charles Patrick Holroyd, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Charles William Henry Crichton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Edward Matthews, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Charles Parry, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Bertram Gerald Robert Oldfield, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

8th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Mervyn Pratt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment, Myles Aspinall Whittaker, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1893.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry, Andrew Gillon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

3rd Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

John Lawrence Lawlor. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

Charles Frederick Drielsma. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

5th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Joseph O'Beirne. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

Edward Strathearn Gordon Mather. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Derrick Alfred Carden, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

5th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Captain Geoffrey John Denis Browne, the Leinster Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. C. Fenton, whose term of service as Adjutant has expired. Dated 2nd January, 1893.

5th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Robert Alexander, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Frederick D'Arcy Champney resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

6th (Fifeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Geddes Walker, retired, late 1st Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 22nd February, 1893.

MEMORANDUM.

MILITIA AND VOLUNTEERS.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the disbandment of the Falmouth Volunteer Division of Submarine Miners, Royal Engineers, and of the undermentioned Officers, at present serving in the Division, being allowed to resign their Commissions with effect from the 12th January, 1893, viz.:—

Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Arthur Tremayne.

Major John Mead.

Captain William John Terrill.

Second Lieutenant James Powell.

Second Lieutenant Joseph William Buckley.

Second Lieutenant Frederick William Mitchell.

Surgeon-Captain Edward Head Moore.

Her Majesty has also been graciously pleased to approve of the formation of a new Militia Corps for the defence of Falmouth, to be designated "The Falmouth Militia Division of Submarine Miners, Royal Engineers," and of the following appointments being made to the Division with effect from the 12th January, 1893, viz.:—

Arthur Tremayne, Esq., late Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, Falmouth Volunteer Division, Royal Engineers, to be appointed to the Honorary Lieutenant-Colonelcy of the Division.

John Mead, Esq., late Major, Falmouth Volunteer Division, Royal Engineers, to be Major.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

Harry Leslie Blundell McCalmont, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Albert Julian Pell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Sir Thomas Storey, Knt., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Joseph William Baxendale, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Henry William Ramsay-Fairfax-Lucy, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

WHEREAS by section 3 of the "Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880," the killing and taking of wild birds were prohibited for the time between the 1st day of March and the 1st day of August in each year, and by the eighth section power was given to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State as to Great Britain, upon the application of the Justices in Quarter Sessions assembled of any county, to extend or vary the time during which the killing and taking of wild birds, or any of them, was prohibited by the said Act, such extension or variation to be made by Order of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State: