

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant C. Dick is antedated to 12th August, 1895, vice W. B. Silver, promoted.

The Connaught Rangers, Sergeant Ernest Yeldham, from 18th Hussars, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. Fulcher, resigned. Dated 21st December, 1895.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own) Lieutenant-Colonel Cecil H. St Paul, on completion of four years' service in command of a Battalion, is placed on retired pay. Dated 16th December, 1895.

Major C. Hawtrey B. Norcott to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. H. St. Paul. Dated 16th December, 1895.

The West India Regiment, Second Lieutenant J. C. Robertson, from Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. A. Liston, promoted. Dated 21st December, 1895.

The Army Service Corps, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Richard H. Robinson retires on retired pay. Dated 21st December, 1895.

First Class Staff Sergeant-Major William Cosgrave to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain R. H. Robinson. Dated 21st December, 1895.

The Hong Kong Regiment, Major H. T. Faithfull, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, to be Commandant, with the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in China and Hong Kong whilst so employed, vice Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel E. G. Barrow, Indian Staff Corps, appointed to the Staff. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Major J. M. A. Retallick, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Commander, to be Second in Command. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Lieutenant W. C. M. Woodcock, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, to be Wing Commander, vice Major H. T. Faithfull. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Lieutenant M. R. E. Ray, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, to be Adjutant, vice W. C. M. Woodcock. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Lieutenant E. L. C. Berger, Indian Staff Corps, Wing Officer, to be Quartermaster, vice M. R. E. Ray. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel C. G., Earl of Erroll, from half-pay, to be Aide-de-Camp to Field-Marshal the Right Honourable G. J., Viscount Wolseley, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Commander-in-Chief. Dated 1st November, 1895.

Captain A. L. Morant, 3rd Battalion the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), to be Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency Colonel F. Cardew, C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Sierra Leone. Dated 30th November, 1895.

Lieutenant A. B. Ritchie, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General H. Le G. Geary, C.B., Royal Artillery, commanding the Troops in the Belfast District. Dated 10th September, 1895.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable G. O. Cadogan, 3rd Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable G. H., Earl Cadogan, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland. Dated 28th November, 1895.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Major Arthur M. Kavanagh is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 13th December, 1895.

Ordnance Store Department, Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance and Honorary Major C. W. H. Tate is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th December, 1895.

Conductor F. E. Kirby, Ordnance Store Corps, to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 21st December, 1895.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

R. W. F. Phillips, the East Surrey Regiment. Dated 14th December, 1895.

Henry T. Hughes-Hallett, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Dated 17th December, 1895.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel Frederick B. P. White, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 21st December, 1895.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel the Honourable Heneage Legge, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 15th December, 1895.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Charles Lightening, Bengal Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 13th August, 1895.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Samuel Craig, Bengal Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 13th August, 1895.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Charles Peter Newport is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 5th December, 1895.

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

Sir James de Hoghton, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th December, 1895.

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

Edward Shudley Warner, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 17TH DECEMBER 1895.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The parts of the parishes described in the Schedule to this Order,—being portions of an Area declared by Order of the Board dated the seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four to be an Area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1894, No. 3,—are hereby declared to be free from swine-fever; and shall as from the commencement of this Order cease to be in an Area infected with swine-fever.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the