

*The Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Second Lieutenant M. H. L. Gale to be Lieutenant, vice C. M. Dobell, appointed Adjutant. Dated 7th November, 1896.

*The South Wales Borderers*, Second Lieutenant F. G. Lawrence to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. FitzG. Walker, promoted. Dated 15th November, 1896.

*The Gloucestershire Regiment*, Captain John D. J. Bishop is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 31st December, 1896.

*The East Surrey Regiment*, Second Lieutenant C. F. Colquhoun to be Lieutenant, vice E. S. T. Goodridge, deceased. Dated 2nd December, 1896.

*The Royal Sussex Regiment*, Second Lieutenant S. de V. A. Julius to be Lieutenant, vice B. R. Daunt, seconded. Dated 14th August, 1896.

*The South Staffordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant Arthur Watson to be Captain, vice E. G. Bedingfeld, resigned. Dated 4th November, 1896.

Second Lieutenant F. H. Parkin to be Lieutenant, vice C. S. Davidson, promoted. Dated 15th October, 1896.

*The Dorsetshire Regiment*, Lieutenant Reginald T. Roper to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. J. Asser, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 11th January, 1897.

*The Welsh Regiment*, Lieutenant Herbert Schofield to be Captain, vice F. R. Parkinson, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1896.

Lieutenant Charles H. Young to be Captain, in succession to Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. Sillem, employed with the Egyptian Army. Dated 23rd December, 1896.

*The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Second Lieutenant W. N. Pike to be Lieutenant, vice J. G. Collins, appointed Adjutant. Dated 7th December, 1896.

*The King's Royal Rifle Corps*, The promotions to the rank of Captain of the undermentioned Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—

J. H. G. Feilden to 9th November, 1896, in succession to Major R. C. A. B. Bewicke-Copley, appointed to the Staff.

His Highness Prince Christian V. A. L. E. A. of Schleswig-Holstein, G.C.B., to 3rd December, 1896, vice C. J. Ryder, placed on temporary half-pay.

Lieutenant the Honourable Frederick H. S. Roberts is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 14th December, 1895.

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—

F. W. B. Cripps to 14th December, 1895, vice the Honourable F. H. S. Roberts.

R. C. Master to 1st January, 1896, vice E. W. Brooke, seconded.

S. F. Mott to 18th March, 1896, vice M. H. K. Pechell, promoted.

R. G. Jelf to 28th March, 1896, vice H. H. F. Farmar, seconded.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Josceline Grant, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable F. H. S. Roberts. Dated 13th January, 1897.

*The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant Bertram F. P. Feilding is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 24th December, 1896.

*The Manchester Regiment*, Major Henry S. Smith retires on retired pay. Dated 13th January, 1897.

Captain John Edward Watson to be Major, vice H. S. Smith. Dated 13th January, 1897.

*The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant Robert S. Hutchison to be Adjutant, vice Captain and Brevet Major H. Marwood, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 9th January, 1897.

*Staff*, Major C. Penrose, Royal Engineers, from Assistant Inspector of Submarine Defences at Head-Quarters, to be Inspector of Submarine Defences at Head-Quarters, vice Major R. M. Ruck, Royal Engineers, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st January, 1897.

Major P. R. Burn-Murdoch, Royal Engineers, from Experimental Officer Submarine Mining Service, to be Assistant Inspector of Submarine Defences at Head-Quarters, vice Major C. Penrose, Royal Engineers. Dated 1st January, 1897.

Captain W. A. Macbean, Royal Artillery, from Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-Quarters. Dated 1st January, 1897.

Major F. E. Cooper, Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain W. A. Macbean, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st January, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Leatham, from half-pay, to be a Recruiting Staff Officer (Class I), vice Colonel M. S. Brownrigg, appointed to command a Regimental District. Dated 16th December, 1896.

Lieutenant J. H. G. M., Lord Athlumney, Coldstream Guards, to be an Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable G. H., Earl Cadogan, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland. Dated 22nd December, 1896.

*Army Chaplains' Department*, The Reverend D. Nickerson, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Second Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces First Class. Dated 10th January, 1897.

The Reverend P. F. Raymond, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Third Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces Second Class. Dated 8th January, 1897.

*Army Medical Staff*, Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Napoleon B. Major to be Surgeon-Colonel, vice H. S. Muir, M.D., promoted. Dated 30th November, 1896.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Gubbins, M.B., to be Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, vice N. B. Major. Dated 30th November, 1896.

Surgeon-Major John G. S. Lewis, from half pay, to be Surgeon-Major, vice A. M. Kavanagh, deceased, with precedence next below Surgeon-Major G. H. Sylvester. Dated 26th December, 1896.

#### BREVET.

The promotion to the rank of Major of Captain His Highness Prince Christian V. A. L. E. A. of Schleswig-Holstein, G.C.B., the King's Royal Rifle Corps, is antedated to 4th December, 1896.

#### MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel G. Hildebrand, from half-pay Royal Engineers, is continued in the appointment of Assistant Inspector-General of Fortifications at Head-Quarters. Dated 31st December, 1896.