Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. 26th February, 1898 :-

E. C. Alexander, vice R. F. W. F. Leslie, promoted.

C. Saunders, vice H. D. Lowry, promoted.

C. F. Woodward, vice H. G. T. Costley, seconded.

The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Captain James A. Reeks, on completion of his period of service as Adjutant, has vacated that appointment. Dated 12th April, 1898.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. P. Macafee to be Lieutenant, vice L. S. Roome, seconded. Dated 16th February, 1898.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Captain Alexander V. Payne to be Major, vice H. M. Carter, promoted. Dated 19th March,

The Manchester Regiment, Second Lieutenant C. G. Danks to be Lieutenant, vice R. J. Bridgford, promoted. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Second Lieutenant C. I. Stockwell to be Lieutenant, vice A. McClintock, seconded. Dated 16th February, 1898.

The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, Lieutenant Ernest Craig-Brown, from the West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice T. H. Healey, seconded from 6th April, 1898, for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Supernumerary Lieutenant James D. McLachlan to be Lieutenant, vice J. Campbell, appointed Adjutant. Dated 12th April, 1898.

The Royal Irish Rifles, Lieutenant Louis H. Noblett to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. H. Festing, seconded for special extra-regimental employment. Dated 15th January,

Lieutenant Wilfred P. Dimsdale is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 15th May, 1897.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant H. Wilding is antedated to 28th October 1897, vice G. M. Molloy, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps.

Second Lieutenant H. R. Charley to be Lieutenant, vice W. P. Dimsdale. Dated 13th November, 1897.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland High-landers), Captain William Thorburn retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 13th April, 1898.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Second Lieutenant C. R. Macdonald to be Lieutenant, vice R. F. Legg, seconded. Dated 26th February, 1898.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant H. A. F. Watson to be Lieutenant, vice R. M. P. Swift, promoted. Dated 23rd March, 1898.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Captain Samuel C. Long to be Adjutant, vice Captain R. Alexander, who resigns that appointment. Dated 13th April, 1898.

The West India Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel Arden L. Bayley to command a Battalion. Dated 28th March, 1898.

Major Henry B. Bourke, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. Bos-worth, deceased. Dated 28th March, 1898.

Lieutenant John C. Robertson is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th February, 1898.

The Dorsetshire Regiment, The undermentioned | Army Service Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel James R. Edwards retires on retired pay. 13th April, 1898.

> Lieutenant Francis J. L. Howard to be Captain, vice R. E. Hill, promoted. Dated 2nd February, 1898.

Provisional Battalion, Staff Sergeant-Major G. T. Drage, from Army Service Corps, to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Staff, Captain H. W. G. Graham, D.S.O., 5th Lancers, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjulant-General, vice Major C. N. Watts, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 11th March, 1898.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend Edward Paske Smith, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Fourth Class, resigns his Commission. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Army Medical Staff, Brigade · Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew A. Macrobio, M.B., retires on retired pay. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Army Ordnance Department, Lieutenant-Colonel C. G. Jeans, Ordnance Officer, Second Class. is seconded for service in the Department of the Inspector-General of Ordnance. Dated 1st April, 1898.

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 21st January,

1898 :-

The undermentioned Inspectors of Ordnance Machinery, from Lieutenants, District Officers, Royal Artillery, to be Inspectors of Ordnance Machinery, Second Class, with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 11th November, 1897:

G. Milnes.

O. Brown.

W. L. Imrie.

Captain H. A. Pratt, Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant-Inspector, vice Captain R. J. Macdonald, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st April, 1898.

Army Pay Department, Staff Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel M. C. Gahan retires on retired pay. Dated 13th April, 1898.

Staff Paymaster and Honorary Major J. Reid is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th April, 1898.

Army Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Major Benjamin A. W. Powell retires on retired pay. Dated 13th April, 1898.

## BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels:-Lieutenant-Colonel W. B. Williams, half-pay.

Dated 19th March, 1898.
Lieutenant Colonel George P. F. Byng, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry). Dated 26th March, 1898.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas C. O. Powlett, the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 1st April,

Lieutenant-Colonel George A. Cockburn, Royal Engineers. Dated 4th April, 1898.

Captain H. V. Ravenscroft, the Manchester Regiment, to be Major, in recognition of his services during the recent operations in the Soudan, resulting in the capture of Abu Hamed and the subsequent occupation of Berber. Dated 10th February, 1898.