

Basra for Mohammerah, which it intended to have applied at the Islet of Shemsumize, in the Shat-el-Arab. Departures from Basra, however, will be put in quarantine at a station called Mehemet Ali, north of Basra. Ships destined to Persian and other foreign ports will not be subjected to any restrictions at Basra.

*Admiralty, 31st October, 1899.*

The Reverend Frederick Seymour Horan, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st November, 1899.

*Admiralty, 1st November, 1899.*

The Reverend Henry Dixon Wright, B.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 10th November, 1899.

The following Boatswains have been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz. :—

Benjamin Hoskin.  
Timothy McCarthy.  
Edward Coveney.  
John Anderson.  
George Benjamin Brennan.  
Dated 1st November, 1899.

*Admiralty, 2nd November, 1899.*

THE undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Norton Allen Sullivan.  
Dated 15th July, 1898.  
Henry Vincent Theodore Procter.  
Honourable Arthur Stopford.  
Dated 15th October, 1898.  
Frank Forester Rose.  
Albert Réginald Wheler Sartorius.  
Arthur Neville Gouldsmith.  
Edward Coverley Kennedy.  
Dated 15th December, 1898.  
Arthur Leyborne Popham.  
Thomas Norman James.  
Henry Coulson Bridges.  
Geoffrey Mackworth.  
Dated 15th January, 1899.

Sub-Lieutenant Norton Arthur Sullivan has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th July, 1899.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
3rd November, 1899.*

*Royal Horse Guards*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George, Lord Binning, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel J. F. Brocklehurst, M.V.O., removed on appointment to the Staff. Dated 7th October, 1899.

The undermentioned temporary appointment is made :—

Lieutenant the Honourable Arthur V. Meade to be Adjutant during the absence in South Africa of Lieutenant H. W., Viscount Crichton. Dated 9th October, 1899.

*4th Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Clement Parker Toulson to be Captain, vice the Honourable W. Wrottesley, deceased. Dated 8th October, 1899.

*5th Dragoon Guards*, Major St. John C. Gore to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel R. S. S. Baden-Powell, removed on appointment to the Staff. Dated 8th July, 1899.

*6th Dragoon Guards*, Captain Edward L. Reiss is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Yeomanry Cavalry. Dated 2nd October, 1899.

Supernumerary Captain H. Peregrine Leader to be Captain, vice E. L. Reiss. Dated 4th November, 1899.

*6th Dragoons*, Captain Camborne H. Paynter to be Major, vice H. C. Page-Henderson, promoted. Dated 17th September, 1899.

*7th Hussars*, Second Lieutenant L. Rawstorne to be Lieutenant, vice C. H. Rankin, seconded. Dated 9th October, 1899.

*9th Lancers*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur Seymour Trower, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 4th November, 1899.

*14th Hussars*, John Gilbert Browne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. F. H. Hardy, resigned. Dated 4th November, 1899.

*16th Lancers*, Lieutenant Robert L. Macalpine-Leny to be Captain, vice G. P. Wyndham, seconded. Dated 9th October, 1899.

*21st Lancers*, Lieutenant Arthur M. Pirie, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice P. A. Kenna, V.C., seconded. Dated 9th October, 1899.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery*, The undermentioned Captains are seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 9th October, 1899 :—

George W. Biddulph.  
Algernon D'A. King.  
Ewan C. Cameron.  
Edward J. Duffus.  
Arthur D. Kirby.  
Francis Lyon.  
Edmund S. E. W. Russell.

Captain Herbert G. Smith to be Adjutant. Dated 9th October, 1899.

The undermentioned Captains to be Divisional Adjutants. Dated 9th October, 1899 :—

Francis B. Johnstone.  
Hugh D. White-Thomson.  
Stewart W. W. Blacker.  
Richard W. Boger.

*Royal Garrison Artillery*, The undermentioned Captains are seconded for service on the Staff :—

John G. Baldwin. Dated 21st October, 1899.  
Robert H. Hare. Dated 9th October, 1899.

Supernumerary Captain Claude H. Chepmell to be Captain, vice E. G. Waymouth. Dated 1st July, 1899.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are seconded for special service in South Africa. Dated 9th October, 1899 :—

Hugh W. M. Harington.  
Archibald N. Campbell.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Robert B. Crofton to be Lieutenant, vice R. S. de Winton, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1899.

Lieutenant Henry M. Vandeleur to be Instructor in Range-Finding. Dated 20th September, 1899.