

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, The undermentioned Officers are granted the honorary rank of Colonel:—

Supernumerary Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant J. A. Read. Dated 21st February, 1903.

Lieutenant - Colonel Commandant G. J. French. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Lieutenant F. K. Selby to be Captain. Dated 21st February, 1903.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Douglas Watson. Dated 21st February, 1903.

Richard Thomas Humphrey Watson. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*1st Herefordshire*, Lieutenant A. G. Sprague to be Captain. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*17th (North) Middlesex*, Second Lieutenant J. Atkinson to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*1st Cadet Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps*, Lieutenant-Colonel W. Watts, C.B., 3rd Battalion the Welsh Regiment, relinquishes the appointment of Acting Adjutant, and is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 10th February, 1903.

St. John Frank Blake-Campbell, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*2nd (South) Middlesex*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Philip Wheen Dimond. Dated 10th February, 1903.

Addison Weir. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*Cadet Corps (St. Paul's School, West Kensington) attached to 2nd (South) Middlesex*, Martin Schlesinger Kisch, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*4th Middlesex (West London)*, Lieutenant A. Lesser to be Captain. Dated 10th February, 1903.

Second Lieutenant H. R. Robson to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*5th (West) Middlesex*, Major A. H. Bindloss resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1903.

*1st Wiltshire*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel R. G. W. Chaloner resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Corps on retirement. Dated 21st February, 1903.

The undermentioned Captains resign their Commissions:—

F. R. Ravenhill. Dated 21st February, 1903.

J. Callaway. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment*, Richard Bottomley Nowell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*Cadet Corps (Denstone College) attached to the 2nd Volunteer Battalion, Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the London Gazette of the 25th February, 1902, under the heading 2nd Volunteer Battalion the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), viz.:—

John Edwardes, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th February, 1902.

Second Lieutenant J. Edwardes resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, Lieutenant A. N. Clark resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, Lieutenant J. Lilburn, jun., resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, Captain L. W. Miller, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to be Adjutant, vice Major E. G. Lywood, who has vacated the appointment. Dated 3rd February, 1903.

*1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders*, Captain and Honorary Major W. C. MacBean resigns his Commission, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Battalion on retirement. Dated 21st February, 1903.

*7th (Clackmannan and Kinross) Volunteer Battalion, the Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Captain M. McNeill, D.S.O., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, to be Adjutant, vice Major M. S. Riach, Cameron Highlanders, whose tenure has expired. Dated 4th February, 1903.

*7th Middlesex (London Scottish)*, Major G. Gordon resigns his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps on retirement. Dated 14th February, 1903.

Captain and Honorary Major J. W. Greig to be Major. Dated 10th February, 1903.

Lieutenant J. H. Torrance to be Captain. Dated 10th February, 1903.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. McDonald. Dated 10th February, 1903.

F. H. Lindsay. Dated 10th February, 1903.

Captain G. S. Buchanan resigns his Commission. Dated 30th January, 1903.

*14th Middlesex (Inns of Court)*, Arthur Anderson Bethune, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

*19th Middlesex (Bloomsbury)*, The undermentioned Lieutenants resign their Commissions:—

B. P. Stedall. Dated 2nd February, 1903.

F. M. May. Dated 2nd February, 1903.

*1st Tower Hamlets*, Harold James Teape Duncan-Teape, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1903.

#### VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADE BEARER COMPANY.

*2nd London*, The transfer of the undermentioned Officers from the 5th (West) Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps, announced in the London Gazette of the 6th January, 1903, bears date 16th April, 1902, and not as therein stated, viz.:—

Captain J. N. Brown, M.D.

Lieutenant E. C. Montgomery-Smith.

#### Civil Service Commission, February 20, 1903.

The following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

February 16, 1903.

#### AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerk*, Walter Campbell Sherry.

*Customs: Second Class Clerk, Lower Section, for Port Service*, Charles Leslie Quick.

*Assistant of Customs*, Jeremiah Joseph Daniel Herlihy.

*Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise*, Harold Mumford Davis, James Smith Mackie.