

## Councils of Urban Districts.

1st Column.	2nd Column.	3rd Column.
Name of Council.	Day appointed by previous Order.	Appointed Day.
Aston Manor ..	May 16th	July 1st
Barking Town	"	September 30th
Bromley ..	"	July 1st
Chadderton ..	"	August 1st
East Ham ..	"	July 1st
Edmonton ..	"	"
Felling ..	"	"
Gillingham ..	"	"
Gorton ..	"	"
Hendon ..	"	September 30th
Hindley ..	"	August 1st
Ince-in-Makerfield	"	July 1st
Leyton ..	"	September 30th
Llanelly ..	"	July 1st
Penge ..	"	June 1st
Shipley ..	"	July 1st
Tottenham ..	"	"
Watford ..	"	September 30th
Wood Green ..	"	July 1st

## NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL GRATUITY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, May 13, 1903.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines interested therein, that the Distribution of the Gratuity awarded on account of cargo taken from a Junk captured by His Majesty's ship "Plover," on the 27th November, 1900, will commence on Monday, the 18th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Spring Gardens, S.W."

Agents and other Persons holding Powers of Attorney, Prize Orders, Assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not serving afloat, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

The following are the shares due to an Individual in the several classes:—

	£	s.	d.
Commander .. ..	5	2	9
4th Class .. ..	2	12	9
5th " .. ..	1	15	3
6th " .. ..	1	1	2
7th " .. ..	0	17	7
8th " .. ..	0	12	3
9th " .. ..	0	7	0
10th " .. ..	0	3	6

*Admiralty, 9th May, 1903.*

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

Captain John Robert Henry Homfray is seconded for service as Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 9th April, 1903.

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

Captain John Bruce Finlaison, from the Seconded List, is absorbed in the establishment of Captains, vice Brabazon, promoted. Dated 14th April, 1903.

Captains Ernest Sacheverell Coke and Frederick Lewis Harford Strong are seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Both dated 29th April, 1903.

*Admiralty, 13th May, 1903.*

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant:—

Henry Charles Hamand.

William Marshall.

Dated 12th May, 1903.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*15th May, 1903.*

*1st Life Guards*, Surgeon-Major B. W. C. Deeble to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1903.

*2nd Dragoons*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Forrester F. Colvin, from 9th Lancers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel H. J. Scobell, removed from the Regiment on appointment to the Staff. Dated 16th May, 1903.

*7th Hussars*, Captain Sir Keith A. Fraser, Bart., retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 16th May, 1903.

Supernumerary Captain Harold Fielden, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice Sir K. A. Fraser, Bart. Dated 16th May, 1903.

*15th Hussars*, Captain Ernest H. C. Bald resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1903.

*16th Lancers*, Captain Robert L. Macalpine-Leny to be Major, on augmentation. Dated 1st April, 1903.

*17th Lancers*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Harold M. Grenfell, M.V.O., from 1st Life Guards, to be Major, vice H. W. R. Ricardo. Dated 16th May, 1903.

*Cavalry Depot*, Captain and Brevet Major John S. Cayzer, 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Adjutant, vice Captain and Brevet Major H. A. Lempriere, D.S.O., 7th Dragoon Guards, appointed Brigade Major, 3rd Cavalry Brigade. Dated 6th May, 1903.

## THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY (IN SOUTH AFRICA).

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 24th February, 1903:—

Temporary Colonel A. G. Lucas, C.B., M.V.O., Deputy Adjutant-General for Imperial Yeomanry, relinquishes his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Colonel in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps, for special service in connection with the Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 1st February, 1903.

*Unattached*, Lieutenant F. N. Powell relinquishes his Commission, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 1st May, 1903.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery*, Supernumerary Captain Gerald R. V. Kinsman to be Captain, vice C. MacL. Ritchie. Dated 18th April, 1903.