

Order, 1904, authorizing the construction of Light Railways in the county of Essex, in the borough of Southend-on-Sea and the urban district of Shoeburyness.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,
8th July, 1904.

Admiralty, 7th July, 1904.

Paymaster Charles Henry Rowe has been advanced to the rank of Staff Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 3rd July, 1904.
Gunner James Edward Rickwood has been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 26th June, 1904.

Admiralty, 8th July, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—Engineer Captain John Young Mayston has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

Sub-Lieutenant Leycester Curzon Maude Roxby has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th March, 1904.

Admiralty, 9th July, 1904.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1900—Engineer Rear-Admiral William George Littlejohns, C.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from this date, viz. :—
Engineer Captain Robert Mayston to be Engineer Rear-Admiral.

Engineer Commander William Henry Bramsdon to be Engineer Captain.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 28th March, 1903—

Lieutenant John Mahoney has this day been placed on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903—

Chaplain the Reverend Herbert Howard Mitchell has been allowed to withdraw from the Royal Navy, with a gratuity. Dated 8th July, 1904.

Miss Eila Mackenzie and Miss Kathleen Murton Strouts have been appointed Nursing Sisters in Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service. Dated 20th July, 1904.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
12th July, 1904.*

3rd (Prince of Wales's) Dragoon Guards, Captain James H. A. Annesley, D.S.O., is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 16th May, 1904.
Lieutenant Edward ff. W. Lascelles to be Adjutant, vice Brevet Major A. Burt, whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 10th July, 1904.

3rd (King's Own) Hussars, Lieutenant Francis J. Du Pre to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. S. Laverton, whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 12th July, 1904.

4th (Queen's Own) Hussars, Lieutenant Egerton O. B. B. Black-Hawkins to be Captain, vice H. R. Moseley, resigned. Dated 11th May, 1904.

12th (Prince of Wales's Royal) Lancers, Second Lieutenant Reginald H. Villiers, D.S.O., resigns his Commission. Dated 13th July, 1904.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander S. Wedderburn retires on retired pay. Dated 13th July, 1904.

Supernumerary Captain Louis M. Phillpotts, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice H. M. Drake. Dated 10th June, 1904.

Lieutenant Joseph C. Dunbar is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 25th June, 1904.

Second Lieutenant John C. Fullerton to be Lieutenant under the provisions of Article 29, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900. Dated 15th June, 1904.

Second Lieutenant Gerald W. B. Gabbitas is removed from the Army for absence without leave. Dated 13th July, 1904.

Captain Henry M. Drake to be Adjutant, vice Captain Louis M. Phillpotts, D.S.O., whose tenure of that appointment has expired. Dated 10th June, 1904.

Captain Edward F. Talbot-Ponsonby to be Adjutant, to complete establishment. Dated 30th June, 1904.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Brevet Colonel Edward J. K. Priestley, on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on retired pay. Dated 13th July, 1904.

Captain Etienne de H. Smith is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 2nd July, 1904.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
John P. Benn, vice Brevet Major S. C. C. Townsend, deceased. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Guy A. Yates, vice J. A. P. Robinson, appointed Adjutant. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Basil H. Brown, vice G. N. Johnston, seconded. Dated 5th May, 1904.

William H. Macalpine-Leny, vice T. R. Phillips, appointed Adjutant. Dated 13th May, 1904.

Ralph H. R. Benson, vice G. McK. Franks, seconded. Dated 17th May, 1904.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Donald Macleay to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. Orton, appointed to the Sierra Leone Company. Dated 17th June, 1904.

The promotion of Second Lieutenant P. S. Wiltshire to the rank of Lieutenant is antedated to 17th April, 1904, vice J. V. C. Campbell, appointed to the Hong Kong—Singapore Battalion.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Percy M. Medill, vice G. S. Bull, appointed to the Indian Army. Dated 21st April, 1904.

William T. Sheppard, on the Seconded List. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

George E. S. Cotter, vice J. P. Benn, promoted. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Alfred A. Huyshe, vice G. A. Yates, promoted. Dated 2nd May, 1904.

Herbert F. Fenn, vice S. Perry, seconded. Dated 4th May, 1904.