

C. S. Sharpe, vice T. A. N. Bolton, resigned. Dated 18th June, 1904.

J. V. M. Biscoe, vice C. S. Sharpe, seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 18th June, 1904.

The Gordon Highlanders, The restoration to the Establishment of Supernumerary Captain Matthew F. M. Meiklejohn, V.C., is antedated to 1st January, 1904, vice J. M. McLaren, seconded.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant Lachlan Gordon-Duff is antedated to 6th February, 1904, in succession to Major A. L. H. Buchanan, an Adjutant of Militia.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant W. Neish is antedated to 6th February, 1904, vice L. Gordon-Duff.

The Royal Irish Rifles, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Benjamin R. Hawes, C.B., on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, retires on retired pay. Dated 21st July, 1904.

Major Frederick J. Tobin, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel B. R. Hawes, C.B. Dated 21st July, 1904.

Captain Theodore S. Fox-Strangways to be Major, vice F. J. Tobin, D.S.O. Dated 21st July, 1904.

Lieutenant Ernest G. Dunn to be Captain, vice C. R. Spedding, D.S.O., seconded. Dated 4th July, 1904.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Adrian F. T. Hughes to be Lieutenant, vice E. G. Dunn. Dated 4th July, 1904.

The West India Regiment, Second Lieutenant A. N. S. Roberts is seconded for service with the Indian Army. Dated 8th July, 1904.

CAVALRY SCHOOL.

Riding-Master and Honorary Major H. Dibble, 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, to be an Instructor. Dated 6th July, 1904.

ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Inspector of Ordnance Machinery Second Class and Honorary Captain D. Paul is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 17th June, 1904.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenants-Colonels to be Colonels:—

George H. Robinson, 2nd Battalion, 1st Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment). Dated 6th February, 1904.

Alfred H. B. Clough, C.B., M.V.O., The Royal Munster Fusiliers. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

Captain R. I. McClintock, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, to be Major, in accordance with the announcement made in the London Gazette of 9th January, 1900 (page 145). Dated 2nd April, 1904.

Captain C. B. Thomson, Royal Engineers, to be Major, in accordance with the announcement made in the London Gazette of 27th September, 1901 (page 6310). Dated 2nd April, 1904.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Second Class District Commanders, Indian Army, are granted the rank of Major-General in the Army:—

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) John Eccles Nixon, C.B. Dated 12th January, 1904.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Alfred Robert Martin, C.B. Dated 22nd January, 1904.

Second Lieutenant Cyril C. Wigram, The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), is granted the local rank of Lieutenant whilst

employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 2nd July, 1904.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant J. T. K. Thomsou to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 13th July, 1904.

War Office,
22nd July, 1904.

MILITIA.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY (MILITIA).

The Devon, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel W. G. Lowther retires under the conditions of paragraph 53, Militia Regulations, with permission to retain his rank and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 4th May, 1904.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel O. W. White to be Lieutenant-Colonel and to command, under paragraph 30, Militia Regulations. Dated 4th May, 1904.

The Limerick City, Second Lieutenant D. M. Barry to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1904.

Robert Sexton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1904.

The Pembroke, Captain and Honorary Major L. Peskett to be Major. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Anglesey, Captain J. C. de K. Bruce-Kingsmill is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment, Captain P. R. Fuller is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

Lieutenant A. E. Beattie, from 5th Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), to be Captain. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Second Lieutenant J. Hawkes-Cornock to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th July, 1904.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant C. J. Bayly to be Captain. Dated 16th July, 1904.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel the Right Honourable W. W., Earl of Selborne, retired, lately commanding, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

3rd Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Lieutenant H. Nevanas resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Captain A. F. Persse resigns his Commission. Dated 16th July, 1904.

IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

Berks, Lieutenant G. Ayres to be Captain. Dated 23rd July, 1904.

North of Ireland, The Reverend W. A. Stack, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain, under the provisions of paragraph 28, Regulations for the Imperial Yeomanry. Dated 16th July, 1904.

Lancashire Hussars, Major J. H. Stock is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd July, 1904.