

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Arthur H. Coles, C.M.G., D.S.O., on vacating the appointment of Commandant, 4th (Uganda) Battalion, The King's African Rifles, is placed on half-pay. Dated 13th January, 1906.

Captain Bernard S. Streeten, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd February, 1906.

**RESERVE OF OFFICERS.**

Cecil Harloven Saunders, Gentleman, late Lieutenant, Army Service Corps, to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1906.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel of Militia) F. W. Panzera, is removed under the provisions of Article 663, Royal Warrant, 26th October, 1900, on attaining the limit of age. Dated 3rd February, 1906.

**GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Temporary Order: Relief to able-bodied Men, their Wives, and Families:—**

**PARISH OF SAINT JOHN HAMPSTEAD.**

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Parish of Saint John Hampstead;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas by a General Order, dated the 14th day of December, 1852, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of certain Unions and Parishes, including the Parish of Saint John Hampstead, the Poor Law Board prescribed Regulations with regard to the administration of out-door relief to poor persons in the said Parish;

And whereas it is expedient that further provision should be made temporarily with regard to the administration of relief to certain classes of poor persons in the said Parish;

Now, therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order as follows:—

Article I.—The Guardians of the Poor of the Parish of Saint John Hampstead, may, after not less than seven days' notice of the proposal has been sent by their Clerk to each Guardian, pass a Resolution (hereinafter referred to as "the Resolution") to the effect that the powers conferred by this Order shall be exercised by them, and a copy of the Resolution shall be forwarded to Us by the Clerk within one week after the passing of the Resolution.

Article II.—(1.) The Guardians may, from and after the passing of the Resolution, and during the operation of this Order, relieve out of the Workhouse, the wife and family of any able-bodied male person who is relieved in the Workhouse.

(2.) An able-bodied male person who is relieved in the Workhouse, while his wife and family are relieved by the Guardians out of the Workhouse, shall not be absent from the Workhouse more than once in any one week, nor for a period exceeding twelve hours, nor without the consent of the Guardians.

(3.) Any such able-bodied male person who is absent from the Workhouse without any contravention of subdivision (2) of this Article may be relieved by the Guardians during his absence from the Workhouse, without being set to work

during the time, or any part of the time, of his absence.

Article III.—This Order shall operate and have effect during a period not exceeding six calendar months from the date of the said Order.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.



*John Burns,*  
President.

*H. C. Monro,* Assistant Secretary.

**ORDER of the Local Government Board: District Auditors Act, 1879: Assignment of Duties and District (Supplemental):—**

**METROPOLITAN BOROUGH'S AUDIT DISTRICT.**

To Arthur Carson Roberts, Barrister-at-Law, District Auditor;—

To the Metropolitan Water Board;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas by an Order dated the 23rd day of March, 1901, We, the Local Government Board, certified the appointment of Arthur Carson Roberts as a District Auditor, and assigned to him the duties therein mentioned and the District in which he should act as Auditor, which District in the said Order was termed "The Metropolitan Boroughs Audit District";

And whereas by virtue of Section 19 of the Metropolitan Water Act, 1902, and of the enactments thereby applied, the Accounts of the Metropolitan Water Board and of any Committee appointed by them, and of their Officers, are subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and it is desirable that the duty of auditing the said Accounts for the financial year ending on the 31st day of March, 1906, be assigned to the said Arthur Carson Roberts.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf We hereby Order and Prescribe that it shall be the duty of the said Arthur Carson Roberts to audit, in conformity with the provisions contained in Article II of the above-cited Order, the Accounts of the Metropolitan Water Board and of any Committee appointed by them, and of their Officers, for the financial year ending on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six; and that for the purpose of the Audit of the said Accounts the area within which the powers, authorities, and jurisdiction of the said Board may be exercised shall be deemed to be within the said Metropolitan Boroughs Audit District.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.



*John Burns,*  
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