

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

The Tay Division (Submarine Miners); The undermentioned officers resign their commissions, with permission to retain their ranks, and to wear the prescribed uniforms:—

Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Stephen. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Surgeon-Major G. O. C. Mackness, M.D. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain J. H. Luis. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

The undermentioned officers resign their commissions:—

Major J. H. White. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Captain J. A. Murdoch. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Captain W. M. G. Thomson. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Captain L. J. Garriock. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Second Lieutenant H. Richardson. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Surgeon-Lieutenant J. Y. Mackay, M.D. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

Acting Chaplain the Reverend H. M. Davidson resigns his appointment. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

RIFLE.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Dorsetshire Regiment; Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel R. Williams resigns his commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 2nd November, 1907.

1st Volunteer Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment); Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel F. G. Collinson resigns his commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 31st October, 1907.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Sir Henry Ralph Vane, Bart., to be Vice-Lieutenant during the Lord Lieutenant's absence from the county, sickness, or other inability. Dated 28th October, 1907.

Civil Service Commission,

November 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Assistant Paymaster-General for Supreme Court Business, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Thomas James Nell, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to a Clerkship of the Higher Division in the Supreme Court Pay Office, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission,

November 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Army Council, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. George Ritchie Rice and Mr. Sidney Noel Rice, having served as Clerks of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, have been promoted to Second Class Assistant Accountantships in the Army Accounts Department, with special certificates granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission,

November 1, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant Clerks (Abstractors) in Departments of the Civil Service will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, commencing on the 28th January, 1908, under the Regulations dated the 2nd September, 1904, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than 100 Candidates will be declared successful on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found qualified.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 9th January, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission,

November 1, 1907.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination of Candidates for registration as Temporary Boy Clerks will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Bedford, Bristol, Liverpool, Southampton, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Belfast, and Cork, commencing on the 7th January, 1908, under the Regulations dated the 1st February, 1907, and published in the London Gazette of the same date (as amended by a notice published in the London Gazette of the 26th April, 1907).

The number to be registered will depend partly on the requirements of the service, and partly on the number of Candidates who may show sufficient proficiency; but it is not likely to be less than 265, if so many shall be found competent: that is to say, 250 for service in London, Edinburgh, and provincial towns in England, Scotland, and Wales, and 15 for service in Dublin and provincial towns of Ireland exclusively.

No Candidate will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 12th December, an application, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.