

ORDER OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL IN ENGLAND.

(Dated 13th December, 1907.)

Whereas by the twenty-first section of the Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874, it is enacted that the Registrar-General, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, may from time to time alter Registration Sub-Districts:—

1. And whereas it is expedient, in the interest of public convenience, that the following alterations should be made in the constitution of Sub-Districts of Kings Norton Registration District, viz.:—(a) that the Civil Parish of Balsall Heath (Balsall Heath Ward of the City of Birmingham) should be detached from Kings Norton Sub-District, and be created a separate Sub-District, to be called and known as Balsall Heath Sub-District; (b) that the Civil Parish of Harborne (the part of Edgbaston and Harborne Ward of the City of Birmingham included in Kings Norton Registration District) should be transferred from Harborne Sub-District to Edgbaston Sub-District; and (c) that the reduced Sub-District of Harborne, which would consist of Smethwick Civil Parish and County Borough, should be renamed Smethwick Sub-District.

2. Now, therefore, I, Sir William Cospatrick Dunbar, Bart., C.B., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, in exercise of the powers given me by the above mentioned Act, and with the sanction of the Local Government Board, do hereby order and declare that the foregoing alteration shall take effect accordingly.

3. This Order shall come into operation on first day of January, nineteen hundred and eight.

Witness my hand this thirteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and seven.

Wm. C. Dunbar, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

Admiralty, 18th December, 1907.

Clerk Ernest Joseph Edward Webster has been promoted to the rank of Assistant Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th October, 1907.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Samuel Bolton to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th December, 1907.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Reginald George Pardoe has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1907.

Admiralty, 14th December, 1907.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Francis Uniacke Penrose FitzGerald has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th February, 1907.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Commander George William Banks has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 13th December, 1907.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, viz.:—

Harry Charles Birnie. Dated 12th December, 1907.

William Pearson Townshend.

Ernest Woodhead.

Dated 13th December, 1907.

War Office, Whitehall,
17th December, 1907.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain and Brevet Major John A. C. Quilter, Grenadier Guards, to be Assistant Military Secretary to Lieutenant-General Sir L. J. Oliphant, K.C.V.O., C.B., Commanding-in-Chief, Northern Command. Dated 10th November, 1907.

Captain Harry A. L. H. Wade, Royal Artillery, to be a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade, at Head-Quarters, vice Brevet Major G. T. M. Bridges, D.S.O., Royal Artillery. Dated 1st December, 1907.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

School of Musketry, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Joseph Oborn to be Quartermaster and Acting Adjutant, vice Honorary Major F. Bourne. Dated 18th December, 1907.

CAVALRY OF THE LINE.

6th Dragoon Guards (Carabiniers), Lieutenant Frederic C. Rasch is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 16th November, 1907.

1st (Royal) Dragoons, Second Lieutenant Robert Houstoun to be Lieutenant, vice H. McL. Lambert, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1907.

14th (King's) Hussars, Lieutenant Victor H. Secker to be Captain, vice A. L. Palmer, retired. Dated 14th December, 1907.

Gentleman Cadet John Alfred Tennant Miller, from The Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant V. H. Secker, promoted. Dated 18th December, 1907.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Captain John Byron is seconded for service as Secretary to the Royal Artillery Committee. Dated 4th December, 1907.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
William Frederic Parsons, vice L. L. Parker, promoted. Dated 15th October, 1907.

Harry M. Ballingall, vice H. M. Drake, promoted. Dated 21st October, 1907.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Lieutenant Kenneth G. MacEwen to be Captain, vice H. W. Gayler, retired. Dated 14th December, 1907.

Second Lieutenant Stanley D. Douglas-Jones to be Lieutenant, under the provisions of Article 27 of the Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 17th December, 1907.

FOOT GUARDS.

Grenadier Guards, Captain and Brevet Major John A. C. Quilter is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 10th November, 1907.

Lieutenant Valentine Vivian, M.V.O., to be Captain, vice Brevet Major C. E. Corkran, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1907.

Second Lieutenant Claud A. V. Sykes to be Lieutenant, vice V. Vivian, M.V.O., promoted. Dated 14th September, 1907.

Coldstream Guards, Second Lieutenant Arthur G. Soames to be Lieutenant, vice R. A. Arkwright, placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 21st September, 1907.

TERRITORIAL REGIMENTS.

The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Captain Francis S. B. Johnson to be Major, vice G. A. Carleton, D.S.O., placed on retired pay. Dated 23rd November, 1907.