Admiralty, 27th December, 1907.

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

Lieutenant Joseph White has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 24th December, 1907.

Boatswain Frederick Maidment has been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 24th December, 1907.

Admiralty, 28th December, 1907.

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

Lieutenant William Ferbrache has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Royal Naval Reserve.

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

John Harold Drake.

Philip Courtenay Headlam. Dated 27th December, 1907.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant John Stewart has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 5th April, 1907.

Admiralty, 30th December, 1907.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet :-

- Stafford Harry Dillon. Dated 15th January, 1907.
- Francis Heathcote Gordon Walker. Dated 30th January, 1907.
- Dated 15th March, Sydney Erle Nicolle. 1907.

Lionel Stanley Ormsby-Johnson.

Evelyn Hayley Sparling.

William Pennefather.

David Bruce Nicol.

Harold Richard Ware Turnor.

Douglas Burn Buchan Brown.

Victor James Bowden-Smith.

Gordon Evelyn Elliott Gray.

Edward George Godolphin Hastings.

George Nicholson Bradford.

Richard Ussher.

Bryan Fullerton Adams.

Edward Maurice Gibbings.

Francis Thomas Hewson.

Martin Arthur Frankland Hood. Dated 30th April, 1907. Francis Lemprière Davy. William Ralph Leycester. Olive Clive Warner.

Marcus Victor Cumberlege.

George Edwin Matthews. Hugh Vaughan Lavington.

Trevor Gwyn Evans.

Dated 15th May, 1907.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881-

- Fleet Surgeon William Gordon Stott, M.B., M.A., has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 29th December, 1907.
- Staff Paymaster Albert Greenwood has this day been advanced to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve-

Lieutenant Alexander Elvin Sherwin Hambelton has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 12th December, 1907.

Admiralty, 31st December, 1907.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881-

Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets John Cassilis Birkmyre Maclean, M.B., M.A., has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

The following promotions have this day been made:

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets William Edward Breton, M.D., to be Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in His Majesty's Fleet; and

Fleet Surgeon Frederick John Lilly to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in His Majesty's Fleet.

War Office,

31st December, 1907.

AUXILIARY FORCES.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Monmouthshire; Alexander Gordon Cowie to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th December, 1907.

INFANTRY (MILITIA).

- 3rd Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment); Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel (Honorary Major in the Army) R. W. Hine-Haycock, on completion of his period of service in command, is retired, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 12th December, 1907.
- The Leicestershire Regiment; 3rd Battalion, The undermentioned second lieutenants to be Lieutenants :
 - K. E. B. Mackenzie-Kennedy. Dated 1st January, 1908. F. C. Hickie. Da
 - Dated 1st January, 1908.
 - F. W. Beall. Dated 1st January, 1908.
 - R. S. H. Townshend. Dated 1st January, 1908.
 - H. C. Tanqueray-Willaume. Dated 1st January, 1908.
- 4th Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles); Captain (Honorary Captain in the Army) C. J. Lynch to be Major. Dated 5th November, 1907.

3rd Battalion, The Gloucestershire Regiment; Second Lieutenant J. F. Villar to be Captain. Dated 13th December, 1907.

- Srd Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); Captain Charles Vandeleur Molony, retired pay (late The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be Captain. Dated 29th October, 1907.
- Lieutenant C. D. Young resigns his commission. Dated 8th December, 1907.
- 3rd Battalion, The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry); Lieutenant-Colonel L. A., The Earl Sondes resigns his commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 7th November, 1907.
- Major (Honorary Captain in the Army) John Reginald Shaw, from the 4th Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command under the conditions of paragraph 30, Militia Regulations. Dated 7th November, 1907.
- Captain H. C. B. Wilson to be Major. Dated
- 1st January, 1908. Lieutenant R. J. Brook to be Captain. Dated 1st January, 1908.

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