PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACT, 1907.

Application for Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given, that Andreas Wilhelm Schwarzlose has made application for the restoration of the Patent granted to him for an invention for "Improvements in and connected with cartridge feeding mechanism for machine guns," numbered 6417 of 1904, and bearing date the 21st day of October, 1903, which expired on the 21st day of October, 1907, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee. Any person may give notice of opposition to the restoration on leaving Patents Form No. 16 at the Patent Office, 25, Southampton-buildings, London, W.C., on or before the 15th September, 1908.

C. N. Dalton, Comptroller-General.

Admiralty, 13th July, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Commander Thomas Charles Smyth has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 7th July, 1908.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Sub-Lieutenant Keyt Ashwin has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 11th July, 1908.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant John Eustace Genge has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 5th March, 1904.

Admiralty, 14th July, 1908.

Commander Philip Streatfeild, M.V.O., has this day been promoted to the rank of Captain in His Majesty's Fleet.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Octavius Siggers. Dated 2nd July, 1908. Henry George Kendall. Dated 13th July, 1908.

Assistant Paymaster John Ritchie to be Paymaster. Dated 13th July, 1908.

Admiralty, 15th July, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 28th March, 1903—Lieutenant Thomas Ready, M.V.O., has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 17th July, 1908.

Carpenter Charles Samuel Prynn has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Carpenter in His Majesty's Fleet.

No. 28159.

War Office, Whitehall, 17th July, 1908.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Inspection and Experimental Staff, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Patrick McElwee, Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant to the Chief Inspector. Dated 13th July, 1908.

CAVALRY.

17th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Lancers, Captain Alan F. Fletcher is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Yeomanry. Dated 6th April, 1908.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Captain Ralph E. Tyler to be Major, vice F. R. Maunsell, C.M.G., promoted. Dated 4th July, 1908.

Sergeant-Major Frederick Keough to be Quartermaster with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice P. McElwee, seconded. Dated 18th July, 1908.

FOOT GUARDS.

Grenadier Guards, Second Lieutenant William A. Cecil to be Lieutenant, vice C. Mitchell, resigned. Dated 11th July, 1908.

Second Lieutenant Gilbert de P. Colvile resigns his Commission. Dated 18th July, 1908.

Coldstream Guards, Second Lieutenant (on probation) John Bullough resigns his Commission. Dated 18th July, 1908.

INFANTRY.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Captain Harry D. Milward to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. D. Holland, promoted. Dated 8th July, 1908.

Supernumerary Captain Charles Richardson to be Captain, in succession to Major G. J. Farmar, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 8th July, 1908.

The East Surrey Regiment, Captain James F. Arcedeckne-Butler retires on retired pay. Dated 18th July, 1908.

The Welsh Regiment, Second Lieutenant Cornelius A. S. Carleton is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th June, 1908.

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Captain William Green is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry. Dated 18th May, 1908.

Supernumerary Captain Oliver H. D'A. Steward to be Captain, vice W. Green. Dated 18th May, 1908.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Lieutenant Charles A. S. Page is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry. Dated 21st May, 1908.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant Ferdinand C. T. Ewald is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th June, 1908.

The Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant George F. Hudson-Kinahan is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 25th June, 1908.

The Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant Barrington H. Baird is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Infantry. Dated 1st July, 1908.