

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, October 12, 1908.*

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The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated October 9th, from His Majesty's Representative at Dunkirk, intimating that the Local Sanitary Authorities have prescribed the following measures on arrivals from Archangel:—

Arrivals from Archangel are subjected to medical inspection and disinfection in case of suspicion.

Admiralty, 5th October, 1908.

Sub-Lieutenant Lancelot Ernest Holland has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th November, 1907.

Admiralty, 9th October, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant John Alfred Vernon Grayner has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 2nd October, 1908.

Admiralty, 12th October, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Admiral Sir Robert Hastings Harris, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Consequent thereon, the following promotions take place from the same date, viz.:—

Vice-Admiral Sir Wilmot Hawksworth Fawkes, K.C.B., K.C.V.O., now holding the temporary rank of Acting Admiral, to be Admiral.

Rear-Admiral George Neville, C.V.O., to be Vice-Admiral.

Captain Charles Hope Robertson, C.M.G., M.V.O., to be Rear-Admiral.

Consequent on the above, the following promotions take place on the Retired List; viz.:—

Rear-Admiral John Ferris,
Rear-Admiral William Osborne Moore,
Rear-Admiral George Anson Primrose,
To be Vice-Admirals.

With reference to the notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 24th July, 1908, the date of retirement of Engineer Commander Henry Thomas Liversedge has been altered to 14th August, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1895—

Lieutenant Walter Jonathan Matthews has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 10th October, 1908.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Edward Elwood Wynne to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th October, 1908.

*War Office, Whitehall,
13th October, 1908:*

COMMANDS AND STAFF:

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederic W. Kerr, D.S.O., from a General Staff Officer, 2nd grade; to be a Deputy Assistant Director at Head Quarters, vice Lieutenant-Colonel W. Campbell, D.S.O. Dated 6th October, 1908.

Captain and Brevet Major Alexander W. F. Baird, D.S.O., The Gordon Highlanders, to be a General Staff Officer, 2nd grade, vice Major A. B. N. Churchill, Royal Artillery. Dated 10th October, 1908.

Captain Maldwyn M. Haldane, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), to be a Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, vice Major G. C. Knight, The Royal North Lancashire Regiment. Dated 24th September, 1908.

Captain Nevile H. C. Sherbrooke, Royal Artillery, to be a Staff Captain for Artillery, vice Captain G. R. M. Mathew-Lanowe. Dated 1st October, 1908.

Second Lieutenant Norman J. B. Leslie, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General Sir J. G. Maxwell, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.M.G., D.S.O. Dated 27th September, 1908.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Army Service Corps School of Instruction, Major Alban R. C. Atkins, The Army Service Corps, to be Chief Instructor, vice Major E. E. Carter, C.M.G., M.V.O. Dated 1st October, 1908.

CAVALRY.

1st (King's) Dragoon Guards, Riding Master and Honorary Captain William Plowman retires on retired pay. Dated 14th October, 1908.

6th (Inniskilling) Dragoons, Captain Berkeley Vincent, from Royal Artillery, to be Major, vice F. A. B. Fryer; promoted. Dated 14th October, 1908.

Captain Ralph G. Ritson, from The Dorsetshire Regiment, to be Captain, on augmentation. Dated 14th October, 1908.

16th (The Queen's) Lancers, Second Lieutenant Esmond Copland-Griffiths is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 24th September, 1908.

21st (Empress of India's) Lancers, Lieutenant Harold Boyd-Rochfort is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 21st September, 1908.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Major John S. Liddell retires on retired pay. Dated 14th October, 1908.

FOOT GUARDS.

Grenadier Guards, Second Lieutenant John S. Hughes to be Lieutenant, vice E. G. H. Powell, promoted. Dated 16th September, 1908.

INFANTRY.

The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain Granville G. Loch to be Major, vice H. P. Versturne-Bunbury, promoted. Dated 14th August, 1908.

Supernumerary Captain Frederick O. Tanner to be Captain, vice G. G. Loch. Dated 14th August, 1908.