

Arthur Meyer Sassoon, in succession to Lieutenant P. D. Knight, resigned.

Sydney Vincent Kennedy, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. Eve, promoted.

14th (*King's*) *Hussars*, Osmund John Francis Fooks, in succession to Lieutenant A. G. L. Astley, promoted.

George Newall Watson, vice V. R. Montgomerie, transferred to 2nd Life Guards.

17th (*Duke of Cambridge's Own*) *Lancers*, Hermann Frederick Eckstein, vice J. O. MacBrayne, resigned.

18th (*Victoria Mary, Princess of Wales's Own*) *Hussars*, Second Lieutenant Percy Lovell Clare Haslam, from Unattached List Territorial Force (University Candidate), in succession to Lieutenant F. W. Sopper, seconded.

19th (*Queen Alexandra's Own Royal*) *Hussars*, Second Lieutenant Alfred Spencer Mason Summers, from Montgomeryshire Yeomanry (University Candidate), in succession to Lieutenant H. O'S. F. Tanner, promoted.

THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Claud Lechmere St. John Tudor.

War Office,

26th January, 1909.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

YEOMANRY.

Royal 1st Devon (Exeter); Edward Hain to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1908.

Arthur Matthew Cecil Scott to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1908.

Royal East Kent (The Duke of Connaught's Own); Henry Thomas Bensted to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1908.

Lothians and Border Horse; Major John Archibald Paton (retired pay, Reserve of Officers) to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Warwickshire; John Gilbert Gillespie (late Lieutenant, The Durham Light Infantry) to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 21st December, 1908.

Henry Dennis Smith-Ryland to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 31st December, 1908.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

1st Highland Brigade; Quartermaster and Honorary Major James Cook (Retired List, Volunteer Force) to be Lieutenant with the honorary rank of Major, relinquishing the rank of Quartermaster and Honorary Major, Retired List. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Banffshire Battery, 1st Highland Brigade; the announcement relating to Lieutenant John Edgar Mercer which appeared in the London Gazette of the 4th December, 1908, is cancelled.

1st City of Aberdeen Battery, 1st Highland Brigade; Second Lieutenant John Edgar Mercer, from the 1st Aberdeenshire Royal Garrison Artillery (Volunteers), to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1908.

3rd West Lancashire Brigade; Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel William W. Gossage resigns his commission, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 5th January, 1909.

Major James P. Reynolds to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th January, 1909.

1st Lowland Ammunition Column, 1st Lowland Brigade; George Balfour-Kinnear to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1908. Hugh Edward Scott Paterson to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1908.

2nd Welsh Brigade; Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Jenkin David, from the 2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Welsh Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel with the honorary rank of Colonel, with precedence as in the Volunteer Force. (To be supernumerary.) Dated 1st April, 1908.

4th Hampshire (Howitzer) Battery, 2nd Wessex (Howitzer) Brigade; John Joseph Malcolmson (late Lieutenant, 36th Battalion, Imperial Yeomanry) to be Captain. Dated 10th October, 1908.

4th Wessex Brigade; Captain and Honorary Major (Captain, retired pay, Reserve of Officers) George Reginald FitzRoy Talbot (late The Devon Royal Garrison Artillery (Militia)) to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st April, 1908.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Ammunition Column, East Lancashire; Reference the London Gazette of the 5th January, 1909, the appointment of Second Lieutenant Robert Nele Loring is cancelled.

London Heavy Brigade; William George Spencer Scott, *The Marquis of Northampton, K.G.*, is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the brigade. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Charles Edward Cassal, from the 1st London Royal Engineers (Volunteers), to be Lieutenant-Colonel with the honorary rank of Colonel, with precedence as in the Volunteer Force. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Cornwall; the undermentioned officers to be Majors. Dated 4th December, 1908:—

Captain John A. Cumberledge.

Captain Charles Everett.

Hampshire; Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Robert W. Lees retires under the conditions of paragraph 59, Territorial Force Regulations, with permission to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 10th January, 1909.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lowland Divisional Engineers; Colonel Alexander Charles, *The Lord Belhaven and Stenton* (retired pay, late Royal Engineers) from the Honorary Colonelcy of the 2nd Lanarkshire Royal Engineers (Volunteers), is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the division, with precedence as in the Volunteer Force. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Welsh Divisional Engineers; Surgeon-Lieutenant Henry George Frederick Dawson, from the 1st Cheshire Royal Engineers (Volunteers) to be Surgeon-Lieutenant, with precedence as in the Volunteer Force. Dated 1st April, 1908.

1st Wessex Field Company, Wessex Divisional Engineers; Captain Horatio P. Lyle to be Major. Dated 11th December, 1908.