

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Edgar Guy Hudson Gamble has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request, with permission to assume the rank of Captain.

In accordance with the provisions of Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 28th November, 1887—

Lieutenant Cecil Ryther Acklom has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 18th October, 1909—

Lieutenant Herbert Lawrence Lucas has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

The undermentioned Engineer Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Arthur Ernest Cossey.
Walter Rudolph Parnall.
Arthur Ernest Ewart.

Admiralty, 3rd June, 1912.

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

Lieutenant Harry Ebenezer Kent has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 2nd June, 1912.

Chief Gunner James Henry Kent has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 2nd June, 1912.

Admiralty, 3rd June, 1912.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Richard Stuart Chantler to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th February, 1912.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Sub-Lieutenant Richard Stuart Chantler has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 14th March, 1912.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

The undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed Surgeons:—

Thomas Benjamin Dixon.
Hubert Chitty, F.R.C.S.
Dated 1st June, 1912.

Admiralty, 4th June, 1912.

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

Lieutenant Montague Hine has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Chief Gunner Edwin Mark Rowe Thomson has this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet.

Gunner William Cooper has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 9th October, 1903:—

Chaplain the Reverend Oswald William Charles Blogg has this day been allowed to withdraw from the Royal Navy with a gratuity.

*War Office,
4th June, 1912.*

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major-General Edward C. Bethune, C.V.O., C.B., from Commanding the West Lancashire Division, to be Director-General of the Territorial Force, vice Major-General J. S. Cowans, C.B., M.V.O. Dated 3rd June, 1912.

Captain Malherb M. H. Neville, 3rd Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), to be a Deputy Assistant Director of Remounts. Dated 17th April, 1912.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Ordnance Board, Lieutenant-Colonel Nesbitt B. Heffernan, Royal Artillery, to be a Member, vice Lieutenant-Colonel C. P. Martel, Royal Artillery. Dated 21st May, 1912.

Royal Flying Corps, Central School, The undermentioned Officers to be Instructors. Dated 20th May, 1912:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry R. Cook, Royal Artillery, and to be seconded.

Captain Philip W. L. Broke-Smith, Royal Engineers.

CAVALRY.

1st Life Guards, Supernumerary Captain Lionel E. H. M. Darell is restored to the establishment. Dated 25th May, 1912.

1st (King's) Dragoon Guards, Captain Francis H. Charlton resigns his commission. Dated 5th June, 1912.

3rd (Prince of Wales's) Dragoon Guards, Henry Alfred Grimshaw, to be Second Lieu-