by Government Notice No. 207 of the 13th July, 1911, and amended by Government Notices No. 224 of the 29th July, 1911, No. 252 of the 22nd August, 1911, No. 294 of the 28th September, 1911, No. 316 of the 13th October, 1911, No. 74 of the 22nd March, 1912, and No. 226 of the 18th October, 1912.

By command,

J. E. CLAUSON,

Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Secretary to Government.

Lieut.-Governor's Office, The Palace, Valletta,

November 30, 1912.

Admiralty, 3rd December, 1912.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

John Hely Owen.

Austen Gerald Lilley.

Douglas Macdonald Hervey-MacLeay.

Douglas Macdonald Hervey-Macl Dated 15th October, 1912.

Engineer Sub-Lieutenant Cecil Roderick Hoare has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st November, 1912.

Admiralty, 5th December, 1912.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—

Fleet Surgeon Frederick Davidson Lumley has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 16th July, 1895—

Lieutenant Charles Worthington Craven has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 1st December, 1912.

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

Lieutenant Richard Charles Lee has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 6th December, 1912.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Barrackmaster and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Schofield Patten Peile, C.B. (Half Pay), is granted the honorary rank of Colonel, under the provisions of Order in Council of 3rd August, 1886. Dated 6th December, 1912.

War Office, 6th December, 1912.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of His Highness Asaf Jah Muzaffarul-Mamalik Nizam-ul-Mulk Nizam-ud-Daula Nawab Mir Sir Usman Ali Khan Bahadur Fath Jang, G.C.S.I., of Hyderabad, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel in the Army.

War Office, 6th December, 1912.

## REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major William C. Christie, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be an Adjutant (attached to the General Staff), Officers Training Corps, vice Major W. L. Loring, same regiment. Dated 23rd November, 1912.

Major Fernand G. E. Cannot, The Army Service Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport, vice Major G. E. Pigott, D.S.O. Dated 2nd December, 1912.

Captain Harry O. Mance, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, to be a Staff Captain at the War Office, in succession to Major G. Lubbock, Royal Engineers. Dated 2nd December, 1912.

Lieutenant William E. Hope, Irish Guards Special Reserve, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable Earl of Aberdeen, K.T., G.E.M.G., G.C.V.O., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland. Dated 1st December, 1912.

CAVALRY.

2nd Dragoon Guards (Queen's Bays), Captain Adrian K. H. O'Brien retires on retired pay to serve in the Special Reserve under the provisions of Article 510 Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1909. Dated 7th December, 1912.

Lieutenant Edward Stone to be Captain. Dated 27th November, 1912.

4th (Royal Irish) Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Kenneth P. Wallis resigns his commission. Dated 7th December, 1912.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTICLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Major George Calvert retires on retired pay. Dated 7th December, 1912.