

*Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.*

Sub-Lieutenant John McKellar Robertson to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1913.

*Admiralty, 15th May, 1913.*

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

Admiral Charles Henry Adair has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from the same date—

Vice-Admiral Sir Frederic William Fisher, K.C.V.O., to be Admiral.

Rear-Admiral Frederic Edward Errington Brock, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral.

Captain Robert Stewart Phipps Hornby, C.M.G., to be Rear-Admiral.

Consequent on the above the following promotions on the Retired List take place from the same date—

Vice-Admiral Alexander William Chisholm-Batten, M.V.O., to be Admiral.

Rear-Admiral Thomas Philip Walker to be Vice-Admiral.

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

Edward Arthur Aylmer.

John Rodolf Peronet Thompson.

Charles William Vane Tempest Stewart Lepper.

John Walter Hoskyns.

Michael George Borradaile Cox.

Richard Gerald Gore-Langton.

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

Deputy Surgeon-General William Tait, M.B., has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 6th May, 1913.

Assistant Paymaster Gerald Philip Haddon has been transferred to the Emergency List at his own request. Dated 13th May, 1913.

*Royal Marine Artillery.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Grey Aston, C.B., A.D.C., to be Colonel Second Commandant (Supernumerary), under the provisions of Order in Council of 15th January, 1878, Clause 6, for meritorious services, and particularly for those rendered by him whilst on the Staff of Field-Marshal Lord Methuen, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., C.M.G., General Officer Commanding in Chief, South Africa, and as adviser to the Union Government in connection with the new Defence Organisation of the Dominion and the training of Staff Officers of the South African Military Force. Dated 7th May, 1913.

*War Office,*

16th May, 1913.

## REGULAR FORCES.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF:

Colonel Charles J. Briggs, from a Brigade Commander, Territorial Force, to be a temporary Brigadier-General to command a Brigade, vice Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) C. T. McM. Kavanagh, C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O. Dated 11th May, 1913.

Colonel Edward M. Woodward, from an Assistant Adjutant-General, to be a Director at the War Office, and is granted the temporary rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed. Dated 9th May, 1913.

Colonel Alfred E. J. Cavendish, C.M.G., from the half-pay list, to be an Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) E. M. Woodward. Dated 9th May, 1913.

Captain John S. N. de Joux, The South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Instructor in Gymnastics, and to be seconded, vice Captain E. L. W. Henslow, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment). Dated 15th April, 1913.

## ESTABLISHMENTS.

*School of Army Sanitation.*

Brevet Major Arthur B. Smallman, M.B., Royal Army Medical Corps, to be Assistant Instructor. Dated 3rd March, 1913.

## CAVALRY.

9th (*Queen's Royal*) *Lancers*, Lieutenant Reginald L. Benson is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 30th April, 1913.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

*Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery*, Supernumerary Major Charles W. Scott is restored to the establishment. Dated 5th May, 1913.

Lieutenant Cecil B. Blake is seconded for service as an Adjutant, Territorial Force. Dated 1st May, 1913.

The undermentioned supernumerary Lieutenants are restored to the establishment:—

Herbert H. Baxter. Dated 30th April, 1913.

Francis J. L. Cogan. Dated 2nd May, 1913.

*Royal Garrison Artillery.*

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains, under the provisions of Article 27A, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1909:—

Dated 12th May, 1913.

Edward S. Graham.

Frank R. Phillips, and to remain seconded. Frederick C. Jenkin, and to remain seconded.

Denison Pudsey.

Gerard W. Brierley.

Donald Macleay.