In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve, the undermentioned Senior Engineers have been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Chief Engineer:—

Hedley Thomas Richardson, R.D. Dated 23rd November, 1913.

Arthur Llewellyn Morris, R.D. Dated 7th December, 1913.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1913.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure-

Captain Douglas Romilly Lothian Nicholson, appointed Commodore 2nd Class in command of His Majesty's Yachts, to be an Honorary Aide de Camp to the King during such time as he remains in command of His Majesty's Yachts. Dated 16th December, 1913.

War Office, 23rd December, 1913.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Colonel Arthur Long, D.S.O., an Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport (temporarily), is confirmed in his appointment.

Major Percy M. Davies, The Army Service Corps, to be a Deputy-Assistant Director of Supplies and Transport. Dated 15th December, 1913.

Major G. S. Richardson, New Zealand Staff Corps, is attached to the General Staff, and is granted the local rank of Major whilst so employed, with seniority as from the 1st April, 1912. Dated 22nd December, 1913.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Inspection Department, Major John D. B. Fulton, Royal Artillery, from an Instructor at the Central Flying School, to be Chief Inspector. Dated 17th December, 1913.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Supernumerary Major Cosmo G. Stewart, D.S.O., is restored to the establishment. Dated 22nd December, 1913.

Royal Garrison Artillery, Supernumerary Captain Richard Hoskyn is restored to the establishment. Dated 24th December, 1913.

Lieutenant Bernard H. Elliott is seconded for service as Assistant Instructor in Gunnery at Aden. Dated 6th December, 1913.

The undermentioned supernumerary Lieutenants are restored to the establishment:—

Marcus D. Lecky. Dated 6th December, 1913

Henry H. Webber. Dated 11th December, 1913.

John W. Pepper. Dated 23rd December, 1913.

Frank R. Woollcombe. Dated 23rd December, 1913.

Royal Malta Artillery, Serjeant-Major Carmelo Caruana to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1913.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) Charles F. Close, C.M.G., on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is removed from the corps, retaining his staff appointment. Dated 21st December, 1913.

FOOT GUARDS.

Coldstream Guards, Supernumerary Captain Reginald B. J. Crawfurd is restored to the establishment. Dated 28th October, 1913.

Lieutenant William St. A. Warde-Aldam to be Captain. Dated 15th October, 1913.

The promotion of Lieutenant John F. Younger is antedated to the 15th October, 1913.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable Archer Windsor Clive to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1913.

Infantry.

The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), The appointment to a Second Lieutenancy of Second Lieutenant William Mandeville Peareth, from Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders) Special Reserve, which appeared in the Gazette of 9th December, 1913, is cancelled.

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant George Drennan Cron Wright, from Cape-Town Highlanders (Colonial Candidate), to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1913.

The Royal Irish Regiment, Supernumerary Captain James L. FitzGerald is restored to the establishment. Dated 22nd December, 1913.

Second Lieutenant David P. Laing to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th November, 1913.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Supernumerary Lieutenant Frederick F. Corbett-Winder is restored to the establishment. Dated 26th November, 1913.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Taylor is placed on retired pay. Dated 21st December, 1913.

Serjeant-Major John Thomas Haddon, from Staff College, to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 24th December, 1913.

The Gloucestershire Regiment, Supernumerary Captain Guy M. Shipway is restored to the