Deputy Surgeon-General in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 27th September, 1913.

Admiralty, 24th December, 1913.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration upon the following Officers:-

Commander Henry Hutchinson. Lieutenant Walter de Mouchet Baynham.

> War Office, 26th December, 1913.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major E. H. Reynolds, Royal Australian Garrison Artillery, to be attached to the General Staff at the War Office, and is granted the local rank of Major whilst so employed, with seniority as from the 1st October, 1913. Dated 8th December, 1913.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

- Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Major Hope Biddulph to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice E. M. Lachlan. Dated 12th December, 1913.
- Royal Garrison Artillery, The undermentioned Captains retire on retired pay. Dated 27th December, 1913:-

George H. Rickard.

Maurice D. Wall.

James Thomson.

Denison Pudsey.

Lieutenant Reginald O. Latham retires Dated 27th December, on retired pay. 1913.

Lieutenant Howard D. Ashby is seconded while studying the Russian language. Dated 12th December, 1913.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels:

Hugh J. Barton, vice H. C. Carey. Dated 5th December, 1913.

Edward C. Ogilvie, vice C. F. Close, C.M.G. Dated 21st December, 1913.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Cadet Staff-Serjeant Thomas Ottiwill Graham, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., from the Dub-lin University Contingent, Officers Training Corps, to be Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 4th December, 1913.

Commission Signed by Lord Lieutenant of Westmorland.

Captain William Dillworth Crewdson, of Helme Lodge, Kendal, Westmorland, to be a Deputy Lieutenant. Dated the 20th day of December, 1913. 033

Commissions Signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Frederick Oliver, T.D., of Hughenden, Knighton Park Road, Leicester;

Lieutenant-Colonel George German, T.D., of Ashby-de-la-Zouch;

Major Abbot Harold Robinson, T.D., of Rothley Grange, Leicester.

To be Deputy Lieutenants. Dated December 16th, 1913. 115

India Office,

December 22, 1913.

The KING has approved of the admission of the undermentioned officer to the India Army :--

To be Captain.

Captain Montague Henry Seymour, by exchange from the Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 19th December, 1913, but to rank: from 25th February, 1912.

The date of Captain Seymour's lieutenancy is post-dated to 25th May, 1905.

The notice regarding Captain Seymour which appeared in the London Gazette of the 19th December, 1913, is cancelled.

India Office,

December 26, 1913.

The following appointments have been made in India:-

ARMY HEADQUARTERS STAFF.

GENERAL STAFF BRANCH.

To be General Staff Officer, 1st Grade.

Colonel J. H. V. Crowe, British Service, vice-Colonel J. A. Tanner, C.B., D.S.O., British: Service. Dated 7th October, 1913.