

day been advanced to the rank of Staff-Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet.

Miss Blanche Isabella Ewan has this day been appointed a Sister in Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service (on probation).

War Office,

8th May, 1914.

### REGULAR FORCES.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Spencer Ewart, K.C.B., Aide-de-Camp General to the King, to be General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Scottish Command, vice Lieutenant-General Sir J. W. Murray, K.C.B. Dated 5th May, 1914.

Captain James W. Sandilands, D.S.O., The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, to be a Deputy Assistant-Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, and to be seconded, vice Captain R. F. Meiklejohn, D.S.O., The Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 1st May, 1914.

Captain James T. Weatherby, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry, from a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade, at the War Office, to be a Brigade Major, vice Captain W. Drysdale, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment). Dated 1st May, 1914.

Captain Robert F. S. Grant, M.V.O., D.S.O., The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), to be a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade, at the War Office, and to be seconded, vice Captain J. T. Weatherby, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry. Dated 1st May, 1914.

Captain Richard G. H. Howard-Vyse, Royal Horse Guards, to be a Brigade Major, and to be seconded. Dated 4th May, 1914.

#### ESTABLISHMENTS.

*Research Department*, Captain Nathaniel F. Trotman, Royal Marine Artillery, to be an Assistant Proof and Experimental Officer. Dated 1st April, 1914.

#### CAVALRY.

*Royal Horse Guards*, Second Lieutenant George V. Naylor-Leyland to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1914.

*7th (Princess Royal's) Dragoon Guards*, Second Lieutenant (on probation) Charles B. H. Phipps resigns his commission. Dated 27th January, 1914.

*12th (Prince of Wales's Royal) Lancers*, Supernumerary Lieutenant Harold V. S. Charrington is restored to the establishment. Dated 15th April, 1914.

*17th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Lancers*, Lieutenant Dennis C. Boles to be Captain. Dated 2nd May, 1914.

#### FOOT GUARDS.

*Coldstream Guards*, Captain George Windsor-Clive to be Major. Dated 8th April, 1914.

*Irish Guards*, Alastair George Lionel Joseph Miller to be Second Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 9th May, 1914.

#### INFANTRY.

*The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Supernumerary Captain William Drysdale is restored to the establishment. Dated 1st May, 1914.

*The Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Captain Montgomery S. Williams retires on retired pay. Dated 9th May, 1914.

Lieutenant Horace A. Thewles to be Captain. Dated 9th May, 1914.

*The Royal Warwickshire Regiment*, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 14th April, 1914:—

Francis B. Follett.

Charles E. Davies, and to remain seconded.

*Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry)*, Quartermaster and Honorary Major Charles J. Leyster is placed on retired pay. Dated 7th May, 1914.

Serjeant-Major Alfred Neate to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1914.

*The Cheshire Regiment*, Captain Harry S. Hodgkin is seconded for service as an Adjutant, Territorial Force. Dated 11th April, 1914.

*The Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant Morys L. Lloyd-Mostyn to be Captain. Dated 17th February, 1914.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

David M. Barchard. Dated 17th February, 1914.

John H. Courage. Dated 23rd February, 1914.

Bryan C. H. Poole. Dated 26th February, 1914.

Llewellyn A. A. Alston. Dated 10th March, 1914.

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Lieutenant Francis W. M. Drew to be Captain. Dated 27th March, 1914.

Second Lieutenant Francis E. D. Campbell to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1914.

*The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Lieutenant Axel D. C. Krook to be Captain. Dated 2nd May, 1914.

*The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant Cyril G. Dickson to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th March, 1914.

*The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders*, Second Lieutenant Ronald M. Macdonald to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1914.

*The Royal Munster Fusiliers*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 22nd April, 1914:—

Herbert B. Holt, and to remain seconded. Alexander Shekleton, and to remain seconded.

Charles F. Phayre.

#### ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

Major Harold P. W. Barrow, Royal Army Medical Corps, to be a Deputy Assistant-