

To be Lieutenants.

Dated 1st April, 1917.

Clement Ayerst Beyts.
Thomas Sylvanus Pipe.*To be Second Lieutenants.*

Dated 17th November, 1917.

Gilbert Wiles.
Tom Dobson.
Ernest Edwin Coombe.
Edwin Verney Richards.*To be Captain (Supernumerary List).*

Dated 1st April, 1917.

Thomas Rowan.

The KING has approved the transfer of the undermentioned Officers of the Indian Army to the Supernumerary List on completing 10 years in civil employ:—

Major Douglas Roderic Giffard Oliver, Political Employ. Dated 18th July, 1916.
Captain Arthur Stanley Meek, Political Employ. Dated 16th October, 1917.
Major Cyril Charles Johnson Barrett, Political Employ. Dated 29th October, 1917.

The KING has approved the services of the following officer of the Indian Medical Service being dispensed with:—

Temporary Lieutenant Muhan Lal Kedar Nath Dixit. Dated 7th November, 1917.

The KING has approved the resignation of the following officer of the Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—

Captain Edward Charles Edwards, in consequence of ill-health. Dated 6th December, 1917.

The KING has approved the retirement of, and the grant of honorary rank as shown below to, the following officers of the Indian Medical Service and Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—

Indian Medical Service.

Surgeon-General Thomas Grainger, C.B., M.D., in consequence of ill-health. Dated 29th April, 1918.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant James Dykes Aitkenhead, M.C., in consequence of wounds, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1918.

NOTE.—The date of retirement of Lieutenant Cyril Herbert Evans, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, is 1st March, and not 1st January, 1918, as notified in the London Gazette of 26th March, 1918.

ORDER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.

District Auditor: Assignment of Duties and District.

LONDON COUNTY AUDIT DISTRICT.

To Herbert Lyon, District Auditor;—
To the County Council of the Administrative County of London;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas by Section 4 of the District Auditors Act, 1879, it is enacted that the Local

Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties and the Districts in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas Herbert Lyon is a District Auditor duly appointed under the provisions of the Statutes in that behalf:

Now therefore We, the Local Government Board, hereby certify the appointment to the office of District Auditor of the said Herbert Lyon (herein-after referred to as "the District Auditor"), and do Order and Prescribe as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—It shall be the duty of the District Auditor to audit the Accounts of the following Authorities and of their Officers, namely,—

(1) The County Council of the Administrative County of London.

(2) Any Joint Committee consisting of representatives of the said County Council, and of other persons not being representatives of any other County Council.

(3) Such other Joint Committees including representatives of the said County Council and representatives of the County Council or Councils of some other County or Counties as We may hereafter Prescribe.

ARTICLE II.—The District Auditor shall audit the said Accounts according to the provisions of the several Statutes and of the Orders issued by competent authority in force for the time being in that behalf, and shall perform all such duties and exercise all such powers in connection with the audit of such Accounts as are prescribed and conferred by the said Statutes and Orders.

ARTICLE III.—The District in which the District Auditor shall act as Auditor, and which We hereby assign to him for the performance of his duties under this Order, shall be termed "The London County Audit District," and shall, until we otherwise prescribe, comprise the area for the time being subject to the jurisdiction of the County Council of the Administrative County of London and any area within which any such body as is mentioned in paragraph (3) of Article I. of this Order may exercise authority.

ARTICLE IV.—Any Order in force assigning a District to the District Auditor for the discharge of his duties or prescribing his duties shall, on and after the date of the operation of this Order, be rescinded, but nothing in this Order shall affect or interfere with the existing duties and powers of the District Auditor as regards any Audit of which notice has already been given, or any matters or proceedings already commenced.

ARTICLE V.—This Order shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Tenth day of May, in the year One thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. Hayes Fisher,
President.

Walter T. Jerred,
Assistant Secretary.

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