

To be temp. Lt. and Adjt. :—
William Ormsby Rymer. 23rd Jan. 1917.

To be temp. Hon. Lt. and Qr.-Mr. :—
Frank King (late Capt., 8th Bn., Hants. Regt.). 23rd Jan. 1917.

War Office,
22nd January, 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. D. Clarkson to be Capt. 23rd May 1916.

INFANTRY.

Royal West Surrey Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) R. B. Sparkes to be temp. Capt. 21st Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) H. C. Brown to be temp. Capt. 21st Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. W. E. Willson to be temp. Lt. 21st Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. J. G. E. Chase to be temp. Lt. 21st Dec. 1916.

Northumberland Fus.—The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 18th July 1916:—

2nd Lt. G. L. Bradley to be temp. Lt. 15th May 1916.

Lt. S. Saunders relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health contracted on Active Service, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

Devonshire Regt.—2nd Lt. C. D. Simmons, from Suff. Regt., to be 2nd Lt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

West Yorkshire Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) N. Grice to be acting Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 30th Oct. 1916.

2nd Lt. (acting Capt.) T. E. Armistead relinquishes the acting rank of Capt. on alteration in posting, with precedence as from 10th Sept. 1914. 30th Oct. 1916.

Lancashire Fus.—Capt. A. H. Peacock is seconded for duty as Staff Capt. 28th Nov. 1916.

Royal Scots Fus.—Maj. H. Thompson, D.S.O., Rl. Scots Fus., to be Lt.-Col. (temp.) whilst comdg. a T.F. Bn. 29th July 1916.

Gloucestershire Regt.—2nd Lt. G. A. Edwards is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 29th Dec. 1916.

West Riding Regt.—2nd Lt. M. R. Da Costa is granted the temp. rank of Lt. whilst doing duty with the Army Canteen Committee, but without pay and allowances whilst so empd., and to remain seconded. 4th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. A. Haigh is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 30th Aug. 1916.

Border Regt.—2nd Lt. H. J. Furminger is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. F. A. Rankin is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. M. McBean is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. J. W. Waddington is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 27th Dec. 1916.

Royal Sussex Regt.—2nd Lt. P. W. Batten is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 24th Oct. 1916.

Royal West Kent Regt.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. Smithers is seconded for duty as Deputy Dir. of Railway Transport. 14th June 1916.

Middlesex Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) L. M. Gotch relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt. on alteration in posting, with precedence as from 2nd July 1915. 5th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) L. C. Dyer, 4th Bn., East Kent Regt., relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt. on alteration in posting, with precedence as from 11th Nov. 1915. 5th Dec. 1916.

Manchester Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) M. K. Burrows, M.C., to be Adjt., vice Capt. J. M. B. Sanders, M.C., Leinster Regt. 11th July 1916.

Argyll and Suth'd Highlanders.—2nd Lt. J. W. L. T. McDonald relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health; contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

London Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. N. Hunter is seconded for duty with Stationery Dept. 9th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. N. W. Williams is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. 28th Dec. 1916.

Maj. (acting Lt.-Col.) A. P. Ford-Moore relinquishes the acting rank of Lt.-Col. on alteration in posting, with precedence as from 12th Dec. 1914. 26th Nov. 1916.

Capt. (acting Maj.) F. A. S. Clarke relinquishes the acting rank of Maj. on alteration in posting, with precedence as from 27th Oct. 1913. 26th Nov. 1916.

Cadet Herbert Victor John Hoole to be 2nd Lt. (on prob.). 19th Dec. 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. 11th Dec. 1916:—

A. C. Dilks.

L. J. Ounsted.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. L. Thomas relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. on alteration in posting. 12th Oct. 1916.

ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

Protection Companies.

Lt. T. R. Nicholls to be Capt. 14th Nov. 1916.