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WEDNESDAY, 4 APRIL, 1917.

War Office,
4th April, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

ATTACHED TO HD.QR. UNITS.

Brig. Comdr.—Lt.-Col. S. Geoghegan, C.B., Ind. Army, and to be temp. Brig.-Gen., from 16th Nov. 1914 to 31st Dec. 1915.

Draft Conducting Officers.—(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 2nd Cl.)—Temp. Capt. L. H. G. Lloyd-Goring, R.E. (Capt. ret. Mila.), and to be transfd. to Gen. List. 24th Feb. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. E. E. Williams, Machine Gun Corps, and to be transfd. to Gen. List. 2nd Mar. 1917.

HD.QRS. OF ADMIN. SERVS. AND DEPTS.

Asst. Dir. of Docks.—(Graded for purposes of pay as an A.Q.M.G.)—Temp. Maj. E. E. McClintock, Gen. List, and to be temp. Lt.-Col., from 6th to 28th Feb. 1917.

Rail. Trans. Officer.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—Temp. 2nd

Lt. (on prob.) W. A. Featherstone, R. Ir. Rif., and to be transfd. to Gen. List. 16th Mar. 1917.

HD.QRS. FOR EMBARKATION DUTIES.

Asst. Emb. Staff Officer.—(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.)—Lewis Thomas, and to be temp. Capt. 20th Mar 1917.

The undermentioned temp. appts. are made at the War Office:—

G.S.Os., 1st Grade.—Bt. Lt.-Col. B. C. H. Drew, Ind. Army, from the 2nd Grade, vice Bt. Lt.-Col. L. E. O. Charlton, C.M.G., D.S.O., Lan. Fus. 28th Feb. 1917.

2nd Grade.—Bt. Maj. B. C. Fellows, ret. pay, Ind. Army, from a Dep. Asst. Dir., vice Bt. Lt.-Col. B. C. H. Drew, Ind. Army. 28th Feb. 1917.

Staff Lt.—2nd Lt. H. G. Day, R.F.C., Spec. Res., vice Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. Dugdale, Yeo., T.F. 8th Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. appts. are made:—

Chief Engineer.—Col. B. R. Ward, from Officer in charge R.E. Records. 15th Mar. 1917.

Officer in Charge R.E. Records.—Col. E. A. T. Tudor, from a Chief Engineer. 15th Mar. 1917.

Staff Capt.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) F. T. Nott, Hereford R., T.F., relinquishes his temp. rank, and to remain secd., vice Capt. H. B. Spence, W. York. R., Spec. Res. 16th Mar. 1917.

Staff. Lt., 2nd Cl.—Temp. 2nd Lt. R. L. Aiton, R. Sc. Fus., and to be transfd. to Gen. List. 27th Mar. 1917.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Flight Comdrs.—From Flying Officers, and to be temp. Capts. whilst so empld. 20th Mar. 1917:—

Lt. E. E. Hodgson, Spec. Res., with seniority from 1st Jan. 1916, without the pay prior to 20th Mar. 1917.

Temp. Lt. H. E. Bagot, Gen. List.

Flying Officers. 16th Mar. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. Burbury, M.C., York. R., from a Balloon Officer.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. P. Long, Midd'x R., T.F., and to be secd.

Temp. 2nd Lt. W. A. Wright, Leic. R., and to be transfd. to Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) J. Johnstone, Gen. List.

Balloon Officer.—Temp. Lt. H. Hadley, Gen. List. 10th Jan. 1917.

Equipment Officers, 1st Cl.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) W. M. Cumming, Spec. Res., from the 2nd Cl., and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empld. 8th Mar. 1917.

2nd Cl.—2nd Lt. K. Arnold, Spec. Res., from the 3rd Cl., and to be temp. Lt. whilst so empld. 1st Mar. 1917.

3rd Cl.—6th Mar. 1917:—

2nd Lt. T. D. Bucknill, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. R. R. Byrne, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. G. R. Cobb, Spec. Res.

14th Mar. 1917.

2nd Lt. F. Dugdale, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. H. G. Etheridge, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. W. C. Hacon, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. F. H. Isitt, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. F. B. Nicol, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. A. H. Peake-Jones, Spec. Res.

Capt. O. M. Greg, R. War. R., T.F., and to be secd.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. Franklin, E. Surr. R., and to be transfd. to Gen. List.

2nd Lt. J. J. Lynch, Spec. Res., from a Flying Officer.

Temp. 2nd Lt. C. R. H. Trevor, Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) A. D. Napier, Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) R. F. Malabar, Gen. List.

2nd Lt. W. Thorne, Gen. List.

Temp. Capt. T. Ellis, attd. Arg. and Suth'd Highrs., and to be transfd. to Gen. List.

2nd Lt. L. J. Jones, Lond. R., T.F., and to be secd.

Temp. 2nd Lt. J. R. Paris, M.C., Durh. I.I., and to be transfd. to Gen. List.

2nd Lt. S. Davis, Spec. Res.

2nd Lt. F. J. B. Powell, Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) E. C. Ponking, Gen. List.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

R.H. and R.F.A.—Lt. A. F. M. Riecke to be Capt. 8th Aug. 1916.

Lt. A. O. I. Brownlee, Spec. Res., to be actg. Capt. from 2nd June to 1st July 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 13th Nov. 1916.)

Temp. Lt. H. C. Reid to be actg. Capt. whilst 2nd in Comd. of a Batt. 25th Dec. 1916.

Temp. Lt. C. G. E. Holles relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 5th April 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. C. Reid to be temp. Lt. 25th Feb. 1916.

Temp. Lt. B. S. Egerton, from A.S.C., to be temp. 2nd Lt. 5th April 1917.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Col. S. A. E. Hickson, D.S.O., ret., is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. on ceasing to be empld. 2nd May 1916.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be temp. Capts.:—

W. F. Young. 26th Feb. 1917.

C. V. Woodcock. 6th Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts.:—

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) D. Bowen, W. York. R., T.F. 1st Feb. 1917.

Temp. Lt. A. G. Roberts. 19th Feb. 1917.

Lt. H. J. Higgs, Spec. Res., to be actg. Capt. (without the pay or allowances of that rank). 5th Apr. 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be actg. Capts. (without the pay or allowances of that rank). 5th Apr. 1917:—

D. C. Lovick.

C. J. Hayward.

E. Martin.

J. Redmore.

T. Hogan.

J. Buckle.

H. Taylor.

Temp. Lt. C. Sharp, to be actg. Capt. (without the pay or allowances of that rank). 5th April 1917.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. to be actg. Capts. (without the pay or allowances of that rank). 5th Apr. 1917:—

F. J. Olphert.

E. Lockwood.

Temp. Lt. J. Brierley, from R. Mar., to be temp. Lt. 16th Feb. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.) are confirmed in their rank:—

V. E. D'Abreu.
D. C. Paterson.
T. Marsland.
A. K. Ekins.
F. G. Langdon.
J. J. Lovatt.
C. H. McDowell.
P. St. B. Gordon-Huntley.
C. M. Marshall.
W. M. A. MacGrath.

The undermentioned Cadets to be temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.). 22nd Mar. 1917:—

Robert Paterson Dunlop.
Aylmer Victor Dyson Hort.
Harold Samuel Bryant.
Wilfred James Bennett.
Henry David Hanbury.
Hugh Hastings Thomson.
Robert Stanley Smith.
George Arthur Balfour McIvor.
Frederic Dudley Gerald Taylor.
Harry Douglas Harvey.
Thomas Henry Brook Lane Land.
John Henry Roebuck.
Nolan Bottwood.
Robert Clive Jackman.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. E. Beresford, from Sco. Rif., to be temp. 2nd Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

FOOT GUARDS.

G. Gds.—Temp. 2nd Lt. W. H. Lovell to be temp. Lt. 26th Jan. 1916, with precedence next above L. R. Abel-Smith.

Capt. P. J. S. Pearson-Gregory, Res. of Off., to be Adj., vice Lt. (temp. Capt.) E. H. J. Duberly, M.C., Spec. Res. 25th Jan. 1917.

INFANTRY.

R. Scots.—The promotion to the rank of Lt. of 2nd Lt. G. T. McGill is antedated to 15th July 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

20th July 1916.

G. W. A. L. Angus, and to remain sec'd.
T. K. Clifford.

D. D. A. Berry. 25th Aug. 1916.

8th Jan. 1917.

D. C. Brown, and to remain sec'd.
A. Robertson.

R. W. Surr. R.—Maj. L. M. Crofts, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. 2nd Oct. 1916.

2nd Lt. R. E. C. Harland to be Lt. 4th Nov. 1916.

E. Kent. R.—Capt. J. F. W. Allen, M.C., is sec'd. for service under the Colonial Office. 21st Feb. 1917.

2nd Lt. T. H. Keble to be Lt. 16th Sept. 1916.

R. Lanc. R.—Lt. R. W. H. Coode-Adams, from h.p. List, is rest'd. supern. to estab't., with precedence next below T. R. Blair. 9th Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

14th Sept. 1916.

T. J. Gardner, and to remain sec'd.
C. F. T. Baker.

R. P. F. White. 21st Sept. 1916.
W. J. Gilbert. 24th Nov. 1916.

18th Dec. 1916.

W. H. Green, and to remain sec'd.
W. S. Ellis.

21st Mar. 1917.

J. Lightbody, and to remain sec'd.
G. W. Arney, Adj't.
E. C. Shone.

R. War. R.—The promotion to the rank of Lt. of the undermentioned 2nd Lts. is antedated as follows:—

G. H. Bingham, to 1st Jan. 1916.
W. C. Fowler, to 23rd Jan. 1916.
G. Eveyard, to 17th Mar. 1916.
C. T. Black, to 10th Apr. 1916.
E. J. A. Maunsell, to 10th June, 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

10th June 1916.

F. McB. Paul.
N. C. McAliege, and to remain sec'd.
J. F. Gamble (since killed in action).
G. M. Carter. 25th June 1916.
A. C. Giles. 1st July, 1916.

2nd July 1916.

R. A. T. Miller, and to remain sec'd.
A. H. Bottrell, and to remain sec'd.
G. R. H. Bailey, and to remain sec'd.
J. E. Catherall, and to remain sec'd.
A. J. Purcell (since killed in action).

G. B. Bird (since killed in action). 15th July 1916.

F. H. Cox. 1st Aug. 1916.
W. J. Kenyon. 2nd Sept. 1916.
J. W. V. Haskins. 4th Sept. 1916.
J. I. M. O'Beirne. 25th Oct. 1916.

R. Fus.—The promotion to the rank of Lt. of the undermentioned 2nd Lts. is antedated as follows:—

F. E. B. de Upaugh, to 2nd Dec. 1915.
G. E. Wright, to 5th Dec. 1915.
E. Clarke (since killed in action), to 9th Jan. 1916.

W. Van Gruisen (since died of wounds) to 24th Feb. 1916.

To 1st Mar. 1916:—

A. C. H. Dashwood.
C. A. Ridley.
G. C. Pearson.

W. N. Stone, to 7th Mar. 1916.

To 21st Mar. 1916:—

R. Gee.
G. A. H. Henderson.

To 28th Mar. 1916:—

F. W. Coleman.
E. Beckwith.
R. L. G. May.

W. Booker, to 21st Apr. 1916.
F. Greenwood, to 15th May, 1916.
W. G. Flack, to 8th June, 1916.
D. E. D. Taylor, to 12th June 1916.

S. V. der P. Hiddingh, to 17th July 1916.

W. J. W. C. Barrow, to 23rd July 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

W. G. Foster. 1st Aug. 1916.

L. Ventriss. 2nd Nov. 1916.

N. S. Hurst. 8th Nov. 1916.

G. E. Corrall. 14th Nov. 1916.

W. York. R.—Capt. F. H. Hawley remains secd. for service under the Colonial Office. 7th Mar. 1917.

Capt. L. D. Gordon-Alexander is secd. for service under the Colonial Office. 7th Mar. 1917.

K.O. Sco. Bord.—Capt. R. R. Taylor remains secd. for service under the Colonial Office. 21st Feb. 1917.

Glouc. R.—The promotion to the rank of Lt. of the undermentioned 2nd Lts. is antedated as follows:—

C. J. B. De la Bere, to 22nd Mar. 1916.

J. A. P. Parnell (since killed in action), to 25th Mar. 1916.

C. H. Steele, to 4th Apr. 1916.

L. C. Evans, to 6th May 1916.

P. P. King, to 29th May 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

G. W. Fry. 8th June 1916.

R. H. J. W. Ridgway (since killed in action). 10th Sept. 1916.

M. A. Green, Adj., temp. from 16th Sept. 1916, substantive from 7th Dec. 1916.

G. Chaney. 7th Dec. 1916.

Worc. R.—Maj. C. H. Seton is retained on the Active List under the provisions of Arts. 120 and 522, R. Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1914. 26th Mar. 1917.

Welsh R.—Temp. Lt. A. W. Legat relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

R. Highrs.—Temp. 2nd Lt. C. St. G. E. Alexander, from attd., to be temp. 2nd Lt. 30th Apr. 1915.

Essex R.—Maj. H. R. Rice is retained on the Active List, under the provisions of Arts. 120 and 522, R. Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1914. 1st Apr. 1917.

North'n R.—Temp. Lt. E. F. Smith relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health contracted on active service and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

Yorks. L.I.—2nd Lt. R. L. Duchesne is secd. for service with Machine Gun Corps. 24th Dec. 1915.

Arg. and Suth'd Highrs.—Capt. C. B. Purvis is secd. for service under the Colonial Office. 7th Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned, from attd., are transfd. to Regular Bns. as temp. Officers, with dates of seniority as stated:—

R.W. Surv. R.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

A. C. Fitch.

N. J. Fowler.

North'd Fus.—2nd Lt. A. Grimwood. 6th Jan. 1917.

L'pool R.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

J. C. P. Crosby.

H. Cheshire.

N. W. Hughes.

T. C. Shafto.

T. R. Stanton.

R. C. Whiting.

Norfol. R.—2nd Lt. O. Orchard. 25th Jan. 1917.

Leic. R.—2nd Lts:—

A. Ramsden. 10th June 1915.

R. C. Broughton. 14th June 1915.

25th Jan. 1917.

C. C. Craggs.

F. R. Mee.

E. G. Bligh.

Lan. Fus.—2nd Lt. N. V. A. Crawford. 25th Jan. 1917.

R.W. Fus.—2nd Lt. E. H. Dove. 25th Jan. 1917.

S. Wales Bord.—2nd Lt. C. W. Nott. 25th Jan. 1917.

Worc. R.—2nd Lts.:—

D. G. Allan. 19th Dec. 1916.

25th Jan. 1917.

A. R. Ping.

H. L. Brampton.

H. Chapman.

A. F. Phipps.

W. Rid. R.—Capt. G. R. C. Heale, M.C. 6th July 1916.

Bord. R.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

M. Seymour-Isaacs.

W. Inkpen.

W. G. Graham.

Hamps. R.—2nd Lt. L. Snyder. 25th Jan. 1917.

S Lan. R.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

R. V. Hope.

A. R. St. George.

S. P. Smith.

V. Hartley.

N. Lan. R.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

J. H. Heap.

W. Scholes.

J. H. Kershaw.

Yorks. L.I.—2nd Lts. 25th Jan. 1917:—

C. P. Halliday.

J. G. Kennedy.

N Staff. R.—2nd Lts.:—

D. J. C. Cruickshank. 2nd Apr. 1915.

R. E. Hayward. 25th Jan. 1917.

R. Muns. Fus.—2nd Lt. D. J. O'Brien. 19th Dec. 1916.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

Training Centre.—Lt. E. H. Petre, Suff. R., Spec. Res., to remain secd. and to be actg. Capt. whilst empld. as an Asst. Instr. 13th Nov. 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 23rd Mar. 1917.).

THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Temp. Capt. H. E. Chubb to be actg. Maj. whilst comdg. a Heavy Repair Shop. 5th Apr. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. A. J. Newington relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts:—

2nd Lt. J. Yule, from High. L.I., T.F. 24th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. A. P. Burman, from E. Lan. R., T.F. 27th Dec. 1916.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

R.A.M.C.—Maj. S. A. Smith, D.S.O., Canadian A.M.C., to be temp. Maj. 22nd Mar. 1917.

Temp. Lt. Walter J. May, M.B., relinquishes his commn. 5th Apr. 1917.

ARMY VETERINARY SERVICE.

A.V.C.—The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be temp. Capts.:—

S. T. Jackson. 7th Jan. 1917.

H. V. Fenn. 1st Mar. 1917.

J. R. Rigby. 2nd Mar. 1917.

P. J. Sheil. 16th Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lts.:—

James Edward Cockcroft. 20th Mar. 1917.

Leonard Seymour Balls. 22nd Mar. 1917.

John Irving Scott Moncrieff. 23rd Mar. 1917.

ARMY ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.) are confirmed in their rank, and to be temp. Lts.:—

11th Mar. 1917.

G. S. Lee.

G. R. Knox Wilson.

W. C. Dawson. 12th Mar. 1917.

MEMORANDA.

Col. G. Christian, C.B., D.S.O., from the h.p. list, to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst empld. as an Insp. of Inf. in India. 28th Dec. 1916.

Lt.-Col. G. H. Giles, Defence Forces of the Union of S. Africa to be temp. Lt.-Col. (without pay or allowances). 5th Apr. 1917.

Temp. Capt. H. R. Stephenson relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 5th Dec. 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 4th Dec. 1916.)

Temp. Capt. C. E. Mugeridge, M.C., relinquishes his commn. on ceasing to be empld. 18th Jan. 1917.

Temp. Capt. (Capt. and Hon. Major) J. S. Turner relinquishes his temp. commn. on ceasing to be empld. 7th Mar. 1917.

Temp. Maj. (Capt., ret. pay) E. T. Marshall relinquishes his temp. commn. on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. 5th Apr. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Capts.:—

2nd Lt. A. F. Vingoe, Midd'x R., T.F., whilst serving with Egyptian Army. 20th May 1916.

Temp. Lt. F. G. Maynard, attd. Linc. R., whilst empld. as Attached Officer, T.R. Brig. 29th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) H. W. S. Venn, Yeo., T.F., whilst specially empld. 2nd Feb. 1917.

William Beauchamp Heard, late temp. Capt., Gen. List, whilst specially empld. 5th Apr. 1917.

The unit of temp. Lt. J. M. Gordon, R. Sc. Fus., is as now described, and not as in the Gazette of 19th Jan. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. whilst empld. on recruiting duties:—

Elijah McEwan. 5th Nov. 1916.

Arthur Harold Antonio Bliss. 3rd Mar. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. whilst serving with W. Afr. Frontier Force:—

7th Mar. 1917.

Lt. F. C. C. Devlin, Canadian Mila.

2nd Lt. F. B. Carr, Midd'x R., T.F.

2nd Lt. W. W. Cleghorn, R. Highrs., T.F.

Sub-Lt. Herbert Hadley, from R.N.V.R., to be temp. Lt. for duty with R.F.C. 10th Jan. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. Hon. Lts. (without Army pay or allowances) whilst empld. as Asst. Insprs., Aeronautical Inspn. Dept.:—

1st Feb. 1917.

Raymond Walter Everett.

James Otto Meyer.

Thomas Rowntree.

William Harold Nicholl.

James Henry Smith.

Temp. 2nd Lt. T. F. Phillips resigns his commn. 5th Apr. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, are confirmed in their rank:—

W. P. T. Watts.

J. G. Goodyear.

J. A. Rossi.

R. G. Shackel.

L. C. F. Clutterbuck.

J. W. Askham.

Serjt. John Hooper, from R.F.C., to be temp. 2nd Lt. for duty with the Mil. Wing of that Corps. 27th Jan. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 13th Mar. 1917.)

The undermentioned from R.F.C. to be temp. 2nd Lts. for duty with the Mil. Wing of that Corps:—

Flight Serjt. George Baillie. 2nd July 1916.

Serjt. John Leask (since killed). 24th Feb. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.) for duty with R.F.C.:—

The Rev. R. M. Bankes-Jones, late temp. Chapln. 21st Mar. 1917.

Albert John Bright. 5th Apr. 1917.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

RESERVE UNITS.

INFANTRY.

Leic. R.—2nd Lt. (on prob.) H. S. Ellis is placed on ret. pay on account of ill-health caused by wounds. 8th Nov. 1916. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 7th Nov. 1916.)

Lanc. Fus.—2nd Lt. (on prob.) R. Maltby is confirmed in his rank.

2nd Lt. (acting Lt.) R. Maltby is secd. for duty with a Trench Mortar Batt. 6th Dec. 1916.

SUPPLEMENTARY TO REGULAR UNITS OR CORPS.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

(Temp. Capt.) E. L. Millar. 15th July 1916.

E. A. Richards. 30th Aug. 1916.

J. M. Furnival. 1st Jan. 1917.

H. H. Baron. 1st Feb. 1917.

The date of the appt. of 2nd Lt. H. H. Chivers is 4th Dec. 1916, and not as in the Gazette of 30th Jan. 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (on prob.) are confirmed in their rank:—

F. J. Buckland.

S. Davis.

A. B. Raper.

Frederick Edmund Moir Bussy to be 2nd Lt. (on prob.). 9th Mar. 1917.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

2nd Lt. (on prob.) W. H. T. Walker relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health. 5th Apr. 1917.

Memoranda.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment from the 1st December, 1916 inclusive, of Her Late Royal Highness, the Duchess of Connaught, as Honorary Colonel-in-Chief of the 199th Canadian Infantry Battalion (Duchess of Connaught's Own Irish Canadian Rangers).

War Office,

4th April, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

L'pool R.

Temp. Maj. E. J. G. Moffat, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Maj. (attd.). 21 Mar. 1917, with seniority from 3 Jan. 1915.

Linc. R.

Temp. Capt. G. C. Halahan, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 22 Feb. 1917, with seniority from 25 Jan. 1915.

Bedf. R.

Temp. Capt. A. J. Barker, from Trg. Res., to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 23 Feb. 1917, with seniority from 11 Jan. 1916.

R. Sc. Fus.

Temp. Capt. J. Y. Scott, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 12 Mar. 1917, with seniority from 17 Mar. 1916.

*Service Battalions.**R. Scots.*

Temp. Maj. L. Errington (Capt., R. Scots) relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 12 Feb. 1917.

R. Lanc. R.

Capt. B. H. H. Perry, M.C. (R. Scots), to retain the actg. rank of Maj. whilst empld. as 2nd in comd. 21 Jan. 1917, and to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 6 Feb. 1917.

North'd Fus.

Temp. Lt. H. Wilkinson, from Gen. List, to be temp. Lt. 3 Dec. 1916, but with seniority from 2 July 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lt. J. H. Wilkinson is transf'd. to Gen. List for duty as Adj't., 31st Inf. Base Depot, and to be temp. Lt. whilst so empld. 3 Dec. 1916.

Norfol. R.

Temp. Lt. G. W. Failes relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Co. 18 Feb. 1917.

Temp. Capt. W. W. Everett to be Adj't. 14 Sept. 1916.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co.) A. J. G. Crosse to be temp. Capt. to complete estab't. 14 Sept. 1916.

Linc. R.

Maj. D. W. C. Davies-Evans (Pemb. Yeo.) to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 28 Jan. 1917 to 11 Feb. 1917.

W. York. R.

Temp. Maj. J. McG. Greig, from Gen. List, to be temp. Maj. 26 Mar. 1917, but with seniority from 19 Oct. 1916.

Ches. R.

Temp. Maj. P. S. Hall, D.S.O. (W. York. R.), to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 7 Aug. 1916 to 27 Sept. 1916, and 11 Oct. 1916 to 22 Oct. 1916.

R. Innis. Fus.

Temp. Maj. A. D. Reid relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 16 Feb. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. W. D. McClenaghan resigns his commission. 5 Apr. 1917.

E. Surr. R.

Temp. Maj. A. P. B. Irwin, D.S.O. (Capt., E. Surr. R.), to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bn. 24 Feb. 1917.

Notts & Derby. R.

The relinquishment of the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Co. by temp. Lt. R. W. Miles, notified in Gaz. of 6 Mar. 1917, is cancelled.

R. W. Kent R.

The surname of temp. 2nd Lt. P. C. T. Godly is as now described, and not Godley as in Gaz. of 15 Feb. 1917.

Midd'x R.

Temp. Maj. L. L. Pargiter (Capt., Midd'x R.) relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 7 Feb. 1917.

R. Ir. Rif.

Temp. Capt. J. Thompson is dismissed the Service by sentence of a General Court-Martial. 5 Mar. 1917.

Temp. Lt. J. C. St. J. Ledlie (2nd Lt., R. Dub. Fus., Spec. Res.) relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Co. 21 Feb. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts. whilst comdg. a Co.:—

Temp. Lt. L. A. H. Hackett. 18 Dec. 1916.

Lt. J. A. Coey (N. Ir. Horse). 14 Jan. 1917.

Temp. Lt. H. H. Beatty. 19 Feb. 1917.

R. Muns. Fus.

Temp. Capt. G. H. Davis relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 28 Oct. 1916. (Substituted for notification in Gaz. of 27 Oct. 1916.)

Local Reserve.

R. Ir. Rif.

Temp. Lt. G. F. C. Armstrong to be temp. Capt. 1 Mar. 1917.

Garrison Battalions.

Norf. R.

Temp. Lt. F. Searls resigns his commission. 5 Apr. 1917.

Bedf. R.

Temp. Lt. M. G. Pawle, from Essex R., to be temp. Capt. 20 Feb. 1917.

Hamps. R.

2nd Lt. G. R. Taaffe (R.W. Kent R., Spec. Res.) is apptd. to a Bn. 13 Jan. 1917, retaining his Army seniority.

2nd Lt. G. R. Taaffe (R.W. Kent R., Spec. Res.) to be temp. Lt. 25 Feb. 1917.

Labour Battalions.

R. Scots.

Temp. Lt. C. C. Paterson to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 26 Nov. 1916 to 30 Dec. 1916.

R. Fus.

Temp. 2nd Lt. R. B. Bullock to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 23 Nov. 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. A. L. Way to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 10 Dec. 1916.

Devon. R.

Temp. 2nd Lt. A. W. G. Mason to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 23 Dec. 1916 to 20 Jan. 1917.

W. York. R.

Temp. Lt. E. C. Raper to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 14 Oct. 1916.

Ches. R.

Lt. R. F. Petrie (R. Fus.) to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 10 Dec. 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lt. W. C. Woolcock to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 23 Dec. 1916.

D. of Corn. L.I.

Temp. 2nd Lt. W. Stone to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 17 Jan. 1917.

Notts. & Derby. R.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) R. C. Ife (W. Rid. R. (T.F.)) to be Adj't., vice temp. 2nd Lt. H. T. Atkins. 10 Sept. 1916.

Transport Workers' Battalions.

Bedf. R.

Capt. H. B. Dewsbury (Lond. R. (T.F.)) to be apptd. to a Bn. 27 Mar. 1917, retaining his Army seniority.

Temp. Lt. H. Miller, from R. Sc. Fus., to be temp. Lt. 30 Mar. 1917, but with seniority from 1 Feb. 1915.

2nd Lt. H. D. Ebbutt (R. Suss. R. (T.F.)) to be temp. Lt. 24 Mar. 1917.

2nd Lt. W. D. Muller (R.W. Surr. R. (T.F.)) to be actg. Lt. whilst empld. with a Bn. 23 Dec. 1916.

Sco. Rif.

Lt. O. G. Williams (R. War. R. (T.F.)), from Devon. R., to be temp. Capt. 26 Mar. 1917.

S. Lan. R.

Lt. J. Fisher (R. Lanc. R. (T.F.)) to be temp. Capt. 23 Mar. 1917.

Training Reserve.

Temp. Lt.-Col. H. M. Smith, D.S.O. (Shrops. L.I.), relinquishes his temp. rank on vacating the comd. of a Bn. 15 Mar. 1917.

Lt.-Col. R. H. Dewing (ret. Ind. Army), from E. York. R., to comd. a Bn. 27 Mar. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (actg. Lt.) S. M. Oliver to be actg. Capt. whilst holding an appt. on the permanent establt. 1 Sept. 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lt. C. T. Stickings to be actg. Lt. whilst holding an appt. on the permanent establt. 1 Sept. 1916.

Temp. Lt. M. J. S. Logan relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 30 Nov. 1916. (Substituted for notification in Gaz. of 29 Nov. 1916.)

Temp. Lt.-Col. A. V. Cowley relinquishes his temp. commission on vacating the comd. of a Bn. and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 27 Feb. 1917.

Memorandum.

John Alfred Foster, late temp. Capt., a Serv. Bn., E. Yorks. R., is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 6 June 1916.

OVERSEA CONTINGENTS.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Cape Corps.

William Smith Heaton to be temp. 2nd Lt. 11 Aug. 1916 (since promd. 2nd Lt., N. Lan. R.).

THE BRITISH WEST INDIES REGIMENT.

Temp. 2nd Lt. D. Horn to be temp. Capt. 2 Feb. 1917.

War Office,

4th April, 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

YEOMANRY.

Cadet Robert Henry Stalker to be 2nd Lt. 1st Mar. 1917.

ROYAL HORSE AND ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

Lt.-Col. J. L. Findlay, from the T.F. Res., to be Lt.-Col. (temp.). 8th Mar. 1917.

Capt. A. F. S. Napier, R.F.A., to be acting Maj. 26th Jan. 1917.

Henry Leslie Havers (late Capt. (temp. Maj.)) to be Capt., with precedence as from 28th Mar. 1912. 10th Mar. 1917.

Lt. H. P. Morgan to be actg. Capt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) J. H. Adamson to be acting Maj. 25th Sept. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. Clephan to be acting Maj., from 25th Sept. to 26th Oct. 1916.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) D. V. Pelham to be acting Maj., from 26th Oct. 1916 to 16th Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. P. Wright to be acting Maj. 25th Sept. 1916.

Temp. Lt. C. C. Welsh, R.F.A., to be acting Capt. 26th Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. G. Botsford to be acting Capt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) T. Goodland, R.F.A., to be acting Capt., from 30th Aug. 1916 to 16th Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. E. Maitland to be acting Capt. 21st Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. L. Smith to be acting Capt. 16th Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) R. M. Stevens to be acting Capt., from 20th Jan. to 18th Feb. 1917.

2nd Lt. G. W. T. Coles is restored to the estbt. 11th Oct. 1916.

2nd Lt. G. J. Pockney is seconded for duty with the A.O.D. 1st Mar. 1917.

2nd Lt. J. Woods is seconded for duty with an Arty. School, and is granted the acting rank of Capt. whilst so empld. 1st Nov. 1916.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Surgeon-Major C. O. Parsons, from T.F. Res., to be Surgeon-Major. 17th Mar. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) J. H. Farmer is seconded for duty with the M. of M. 6th Jan. 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 5th Feb. 1917.)

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

2nd Lt. P. M. Chadwick is seconded for duty with R.E. 15th Mar. 1917.

Maj. R. H. Mackenzie, M.C., to be acting Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. Engrs. 17th Feb. 1917.

Lt. H. G. Bambridge to be acting Maj 10th Feb. 1917.

2nd Lt. J. Robertson is restored to the estbt. 22nd Feb. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. H. Simpson to be Adj. to the R.E. 1st Jan. 1917.

Lt. W. R. B. Annesley is seconded for duty with the R.F.C. 21st Oct. 1915. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 8th Mar. 1917.)

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) Leslie Robson relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 23rd Jan. 1917.)

2nd Lt. H. W. Lockton to be 2nd Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

INFANTRY.

Bedfordshire Regt.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) Alfred G. T. Smith (Bedford Regt.) relinquishes his commission on account of ill-

health, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. 5th Apr. 1917.

Lancashire Fus.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. C. Latter is restored to the estbt. 15th Oct. 1916.

Lt. R. C. Woodcock is seconded whilst on prob. for the Indian Army. 16th Mar. 1917.

East Lancashire Regt.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) H. R. Grime is seconded whilst on prob. for the Indian Army. 16th Mar. 1917.

Welsh Regt.—Maj. H. R. Bowen, D.S.O., Essex Regt., to be Lt.-Col. (temp.). 12th Feb. 1917.

Gordon Highlanders.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) R. W. Moodie is seconded for duty as a Staff Capt., Northern Command. 19th Feb. 1917.

London Regt.—Lt. H. D. Withers relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Capt. L. M. Quinn is now seconded for duty with the Indian Army R. of O. 16th Mar. 1917.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Lt. J. S. Cooper to be Capt. 16th Mar. 1917.

Lt. J. B. Hogarth, M.B., to be Capt. 23rd Mar. 1917.

Qr.Mr. and Hon. Lt. J. E. Jones to be Qr.Mr. with the hon. rank of Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

Capt. T. S. Allan to be temp. Maj. whilst in command of a Military Hospital. 5th Apr. 1917.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Capt. J. A. Dixon is granted the acting rank of Maj. whilst comdg. a Vet. Hospital. 3rd Mar. 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE RESERVE.

Maj. J. Harrison, from the R.F.A., T.F., to be Maj. 5th Apr. 1917.

Maj. W. E. Whitehouse, from R. War. Regt., to be Maj. 5th Apr. 1917.

War Office,

4th April 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

YEOMANRY.

2nd Lt. G. A. Mills is restored to the estabt. 8th Mar. 1917.

ROYAL HORSE AND ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) R. W. Whitehead to be Adj. 19th Jan. 1917.

The announcement of 2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) S. A. U. Robson to relinquish his temp. rank, which appeared in the Gazette of 16th June 1916, is cancelled.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) S. A. U. Robson relinquishes his commission on account of

ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 27th Oct. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 26th Oct. 1916.)

Lt. (temp. Capt.) and Adj. J. Hudson vacates the appt. of Adj. 19th Jan. 1917.

2nd Lt. Gordon L. Young, from the North'd Fus., to be 2nd Lt. 18th Jan. 1917.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

2nd Lt. R. N. Savory relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 4th Oct. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 3rd Oct. 1916.)

INFANTRY.

Scottish Rifles.—Capt. A. D. Hart vacates the appt. of Adj. 19th Nov. 1915.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. W. Orr to be Adj. 21st Oct. 1916.

Lt. (temp. Maj.) J. Robertson-Johnston vacates the appt. of Adj. 20th Oct. 1916.

A. E. Mullis to be 2nd Lt., with precedence as from 2nd Dec. 1915. 25th Jan. 1916.

(Substituted for that which appeared in Gazettes of 6th Dec. 1915 and 23rd Feb. 1916.)

London Regt.—Capt. S. T. Cooke is restored to the estab. 25th Mar. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. H. Stronge to be Capt. with precedence as from 1st June, 1916, next below Capt. E. R. Cawston. 31st Mar. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) N. F. Woodroffe to be Capt., with precedence as from 1st June, 1916, next below Capt. W. H. Stronge, and to remain seconded. 31st Mar. 1917.

(Substituted for the announcements which appeared in the Gazette of 30th Mar. 1917.)

TERRITORIAL FORCE RESERVE.

Maj. J. R. S. Dremel, from A.S.C., to be Maj., and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 15th Oct. 1916.

(Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 14th Oct. 1916.)

VOLUNTEER FORCE.

Ayrshire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—Leonard Cecil Boyd to be temp. Capt., with precedence next above Temp. Capt. W. N. Martin. 3rd Mar. 1917.

Carnarvonshire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—David John Rowlands to be temp. Capt., with precedence next above Temp. Capt. W. G. Pritchard. 21st Jan. 1917.

Harry Parker to be temp. Lt., with precedence next below Temp. Lt. H. W. H. Sheldon. 21st Jan. 1917.

Clackmannanshire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—James Cuthbert to be temp. Lt. 14th Feb. 1917.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts. 14th Feb. 1917:—

William Henry Lindsay.
Henry Chisholm Moodie.
Charles Shirra Dougall.

Temp. 2nd Lt. James Phillips, junr., relinquishes his commission. 14th Feb. 1917.

Derbyshire Volunteer Regt.

7th Bn.—Charles Mulliner to be temp. 2nd Lt. 5th Apr. 1917.

Hertfordshire Volunteer Regt.

2nd Bn.—Ernest Howard Sedgwick (late Lt. 10th Bn., Yorks Regt.), to be temp. Lt. 5th April 1917.

Lancashire Volunteer Regt.

8th Bn.—Percy Blackburne White to be temp. Lt., with seniority next above Temp. Lt. Henry Boswell Lancaster. 6th Feb. 1917.

Francis Joseph Baildon to be temp. Lt. and Medical Officer. 5th Apr. 1917.

Leicester Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—Temp. Lt. William Jackson Meller relinquishes his commn. 5th Apr. 1917.

Linlithgowshire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—William Agnew Ralston to be temp. Maj. 26th Mar. 1917.

County of London Volunteer Regt.

20th Bn.—Temp. Capt. Henry Peck Attwater relinquishes his commission. 16th Mar. 1917.

Montgomeryshire Volunteer Regt.

Col. Herbert Lloyd Watkin Williams Wynn (Montgomery Yeo.) to be temp. Lt.-Col. and County Commandant. 12th Mar. 1917.

Norfolk Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—Robert Nelson, to be temp. Hon. Lt. and Qr.-Mr. 11th Dec. 1916.

Somerset Volunteer Regt.

3rd Bn.—Anderson Lindsay Kelly (late Capt. 7th Hussars), to be temp. Maj. 23rd Mar. 1917.

Yorkshire (West Riding) Volunteer Regt.

3rd Bn.—Aylmer Augustus Liardet to be temp. Capt. 22nd Dec. 1916.

9th Bn.—Temp. Lt. Arnold Sugden to be temp. Capt. 24th Mar. 1917.

11th Bn.—Tom Kenneth Wilson to be temp. Capt., with precedence next above Temp. Capt. A. Mosley. 24th Dec. 1916.

Augustine Francis MacGrath to be temp. Lt., with precedence next below Temp. Lt. J. T. Benn. 24th Dec. 1916.

20th Bn.—Charles Bertram Dunlop to be temp. hon. Lt. and Qr.-Mr. 30th Jan. 1917.

