The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be acting Capts. whilst comdg. Cos. :-

A. Baker, M.C.

W. G. Storm, M.C. 21st Apr. 1917.

Durh. L.I.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) P. C. Newcombe reverts to the temp. rank of Lt. on alteration in posting. 23rd Jan. 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 10th Mar. 1917.)
2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) P. C. Newcombe is

seconded for duty with The South Staffs. Regt. 23rd Jan. 1917.

Lt. (acting Capt.) E. C. Palmer relinquishes the acting rank of Capt. on ceasing to command a Co. 25th Jan. 1917.

Highland Light Inf.—Maj. J. Menzies to be acting Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. the Bn. 2nd Nov. 1916

Seaforth Highlanders.—Lt. (temp. Capt.)
T. H. Peverell, M.C., to be Adjt., vice 2nd
Lt. (temp. Lt.) W. Gordon, The Gordon Highrs. 6th Oct. 1916.

Lt. (temp. Maj.) W. A. Macdonald to be Capt. (temp. Maj.), with precedence as from 31st Dec. 1916. 21st Apr. 1917.
2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) E. Stanley to be Lt.,

with precedence as from 31st Dec. 1916. 21st Apr. 1917.

Gordon Highlanders.—Lt. (acting Capt.) C. R. Brander relinquishes the acting rank of Capt. on ceasing to command a Co. 14th

Monmouthshire Regt.—2nd Lt. (acting Capt.) W. D. Howick (R.W. Fus.) relinquishes the acting rank of Capt. on ceasing to command a Co. 19th Feb. 1917.

London Regt.—Serjt. Harold Chamberlain Carlile to be 2nd Lt. 2nd Apr. 1917.

Co. Sjt.-Maj. Albert William Dolman to be 2nd Lt. 2nd Apr. 1917.

Serjt. William Francis White to be 2nd Lt. 2nd Apr. 1917.

Lt. J. L. Minshull (since killed in action) to be acting Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 18th Feb. 1917.

Capt. W. Hughes, M.C., to be acting Maj. 8th Mar. 1917.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICES.

Lt.-Col. (temp. Col.) R. R. Sleman, M.D., relinquishes his temp. rank on vacating the appt. of Asst. Dir. of Med. Services. 10th Mar. 1917.

Capt. D. W. Hardy, M.B., to be Dep. Asst. Dir. of Med. Services. 21st Apr. 1917.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Lt.-Col. R. R. Sleman, M.D., is restored to the establishment. 10th Mar. 1917.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) J. W. Keay, M.D., to be acting Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Field

Amb. 22nd Aug. 1916. Capt. D. W. Hardy, M.B., is seconded whilst holding an appt. as Dep. Asst. Dir. of Med. Services. 21st Apr. 1917.

Lt. A. C. Ainsley to be Capt. 19th Jan.

TERRITORIAL FORCE RESERVE.

Capt. E. Bouch, from R.H. & R.F.A., T.F., to be Capt. 21st Apr. 1917.

No 30028.

Capt. G. M. Cameron, from Sea. Highrs., to be Capt., and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. 29th July 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 28th July 1916.)

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sutherland.

James Bertie Simpson, M.A. M.D. (Edin.) Golspie, to be a Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 31st March, 1917.

Civil Service Commission, April 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. William Alfred Thomas Shorto, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to the post of Civil Assistant to the Director of Air Services under the Admiralty, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission, April 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Henry Stephens Barlow, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to the post of Assistant Superintendent in the Pension Issue Branch of the Ministry of Pensions, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission, April 20, 1917.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Board of Inland Revenue, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Hermann William Young, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to an Assistant Surveyorship of Taxes in the Inland Revenue Department, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

India Office, 12th April, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Mr. Thomas Clarke Pilling Gibbons, King's Counsel, to be Advocate-General for Bengal, in succession to Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, Kt., Barrister-at-Law.

LAND DRAINAGE ACT, 1861.

WISTOW, CAWOOD AND SELBY (YORK. W.R.) DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have made an Order constituting an area in the above parishes a