

Asst. Dir.—Temp. Capt. R. H. Austin-Sparks, Gen. List, from a Dep. Asst. Dir., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld., vice Capt. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) F. C. Jenkins, R.F.C., Spec. Res. 31st Aug. 1917.

Dep. Asst. Dir.—31st Aug. 1917:—Temp. Lt. (temp. Capt.) R. W. Roylance, Gen. List, from a Staff Capt., and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld.

Temp. Capt. W. H. Ewen, Gen. List, from a Staff Capt., vice temp. Capt. (temp. Lt.-Col.) R. H. Austin-Sparks, Gen. List. Temp. Capt. K. G. S. Hatfield, Gen. List, from a Dep. Asst. Dir. (graded as a Staff Capt.).

Staff Capt.—Maj. A. R. Leith, K.R. Rif. C. 1st Oct. 1917.

Staff Lt.—John Briton Walker, and to be temp. 2nd Lt. 24th Aug. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made:—

A.A. & Q.M.G.—Bt. Lt.-Col. A. J. H. Keyes, R.A., and to be secd. 3rd Oct. 1917.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

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

Flight Comdrs.—Lt. I. A. J. Duff, Dorset R., T.F., from a Flying Officer, and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empld. 12th Sept. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 26th Sept. 1917.)

From Flying Officers, and to be temp. Cpts. whilst so empld.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) M. Thomas, Welsh R., T.F. 29th July 1917.

5th Oct. 1917.

Lt. G. E. W. Hitchcock, R.E., Spec. Res. 2nd Lt. C. F. Davies, R. Highrs., T.F.

Flying Officers.—Temp. 2nd Lt. W. H. Goodbrand, Gen. List. 12th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) G. T. Williams, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank. 17th Sept. 1917.

Lt. E. K. Skelton, Canadian Art. 18th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

W. J. Greenslade. 19th Sept. 1917.

J. A. Butler. 22nd Sept. 1917.

H. F. Longbottom. 23rd Sept. 1917.

E. G. Chance. 25th Sept. 1917.

26th Sept. 1917.

S. G. McNaught-Davis.

L. G. Norton

J. H. Cremonini.

A. J. Haines.

W. G. Clark.

E. A. F. Reeve.

A. W. Blake.

2nd Lt. W. Dancy, R.G.A., Spec. Res.

27th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

E. M. Meredith.

D. C. Doyle.

H. K. Spoonley.

Lt. F. H. Stephens, Canadian Inf.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.) Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

J. W. Milner.

F. E. Didcott.

J. Francis.

S. H. W. Gibbs.

A. D. Pope.

C. W. N. Raymond.

Temp. Lt. W. C. Taylor, M.G. Corps, and to be transfd. to R.F.C., Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

C. J. F. Shannaw.

C. Bell.

Temp. Lt. L. R. L. Brown, Gen. List, from a Flying Officer (Observer), with seniority from 17th Oct. 1916.

28th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

D. G. Gold.

E. Thomas.

E. W. Fleming.

W. K. Crewe, from a Flying Officer (Observer), with seniority from 8th Dec. 1916.

F. B. Wilson.

Temp. 2nd Lt. T. W. George, Gen. List, from a Flying Officer (Observer), with seniority from 24th Nov. 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

S. R. Hanafy.

H. V. Ellis.

W. Sidebottom.

Temp. Lt. R. D. Caley, Gen. List, from a Flying Officer (Observer), with seniority from 26th Nov. 1916.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

C. F. Macpherson.

A. R. Cross.

J. D. Scott.

29th Sept. 1917.

T. F. Pilcher.

L. J. Trounce.

J. J. Gowing.

Temp. Capt. H. Ward, Garr. Bn., North'd Fus., and to be transfd. to R.F.C., Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.), Gen. List, and to be confirmed in their rank:—

F. C. Ransley

W. Hardy.

H. C. McClelland.

A. F. Alexander.

F. W. Kemp.

W. G. MacKenzie.

B. D. Clark.

30th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. R. Scoon, Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) C. W. Robinson, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank.

2nd Lt. H. R. Hawkins, Hrs., and to be secd.