

empld., vice Lt. (temp. Capt.) L. J. Hunter, Bedf. R., T.F. 5th Oct. 1917.

Lt. T. W. Morton, E. Lanc. R., T.F., from R.T.O., graded as Staff Lt., 2nd Cl., vice Lt. (temp. Capt.) R. L. Gardner, Manch. R., T.F. 7th Oct. 1917.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.

Brig. Maj.—Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. L. Birch, W. York. R., T.F., from a Staff Officer, 3rd Cl. (graded as Staff Capt.) and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld. 15th Sept. 1917.

MEMORANDA.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. M. Boyle, K.O. Sco. Bord., T.F., to relinquish the grading of Staff Lt., 2nd Cl., but to retain his temp. rank whilst empld. in a Base Record Office. 12th Sept. 1917.

Temp. Lt. K. S. Hallowes, Garr. Bn., Notts. and Derby. R., to be transfd. to Gen. List, and to be temp. Capt. (with pay and allowances as Lt.) whilst empld. as Adj't. and Qr.-Mr. of a Prisoners of War Camp, vice temp. Capt. J. P. Williams, Garr. Bn., R.W. Fus. 25th Sept. 1917.

War Office,
19th December, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

North'd Fus.

Temp. Lt. H. W. Dickinson, from Lab. Corps, to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 28 Nov. 1917, with seniority 3 Sept. 1917.

R. Fus.

The transfer of temp. Capt. W. G. Collingwood from Trg. Res., notified in Gaz. 21 Nov. 1917, is cancelled.

Temp. 2nd Lt. R. C. H. Parker, from actg. Lt., Trg. Res., to be temp. 2nd Lt. (attd.). 18 Nov. 1917, with seniority 5 Oct. 1915.

Suff. R.

The undermentioned temp. Capts., from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Capts. (attd.). 5 Nov. 1917, retaining present seniority:—

A. V. Crump.

A. H. M. Jackson.

Glouc. R.

Temp. Capt. F. E. Gurney, from Trg. Res., to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 3 Jan. 1917, with seniority 21 June 1916.

Temp. Lt. S. B. Hunter, from Trg. Res., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 23 Oct. 1916, with seniority 1 July 1916.

Staff. R.

Temp. Capt. C. V. Bailey (late Lt.; Bedf. R.), from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 2 July 1917, with seniority 29 Oct. 1914.

Notts. & Derby. R.

Temp. Lt. H. L. Stones, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 5 Nov. 1917, with seniority 1 July 1917.

North'n R.

Temp. Lt. D. W. Morris, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 14 Nov. 1917, with seniority 29 Mar. 1917.

Midd'x R.

Temp. Lt. R. J. Purdy, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 24 Aug. 1917, with seniority 1 July 1917.

York & Lanc. R.

Temp. Lt. P. P. McArdle, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 13 Nov. 1917, with seniority 1 July 1917.

Service Battalions.

L'pool R.

Temp. Lt. F. R. Pattison (2nd Lt., L'pool R.) to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Co. 8 Oct. 1917.

Temp. Lt. J. F. Jagoe, from L'pool R., to be temp. Lt. (with seniority 2 Apr. 1916), and to be actg. Capt. (addtl.). 20 July 1917.

Norf. R.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) J. Jones, M.C. (Durh. L.I.), relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be 2nd in comd. of a Bn. 12 Oct. 1917.

Devon. R.

Temp. Lt. H. Roper, from actg. Capt. (addtl.), to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Co. 13 Oct. 1917.

York. R.

Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) G. B. de M. Mairis, D.S.O., to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 18 Oct. 1917, with seniority 1 Mar. 1917.

Lan. Fus.

Lt. I. S. Rutherford (S. Lan. R., Spec. Res.) to be actg. Capt. (addtl.). 20 July 1917.

Temp. Lt. and Adj't. P. Lockett to be actg. Capt., with pay and allces. of Lt. while holding the appt. of Adj't. 3 Aug. 1917.

R. Sc. Fus.

Temp. Lt. and Adj't. C. N. Crawshaw to be actg. Capt., with pay and allces. of Lt., while holding the appt. of Adj't. 3 Aug. 1917.

Ches. R.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) C. W. Blackall (E. Kent R., Spec. Res.) to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 9 Oct. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be actg. Capts. (addtl.):—

20 July 1917.

E. F. Sellars, M.C.

R. L. Kay.

S. Wales Bord.

Temp. Lt. C. A. L. Harvey to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Co. 15 July 1917, and to be actg. Capt. (addtl.). 20 July 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 29 Oct. 1917.)

Temp. Lt. T. G. Wood to be actg. Capt. (addtl.). 20 July 1917.

Scot. Rif.

Lt. A. F. W. Brown relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Co. 24 Sept. 1917.

Worc. R.

Temp. Lt. F. S. Shaw, M.C., to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Co. 21 Aug. 1917.