

granted the hon. rank of Maj. 13th Jan. 1918.

Lt. B. L. Jacot resigns his commission on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 13th Jan. 1918.

Lt. H. R. Mather to be actg. Capt. whilst empld. as 2nd in command of a Batt. from 15th May 1917 to 22nd June 1917.

**ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.**

2nd Lt. A. M. Halley resigns his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 13th Jan. 1918.

**ROYAL ENGINEERS.**

2nd Lt. R. G. Picking to be Lt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Lt. C. O. Graham, and to remain seconded. 1st July 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 7th Dec. 1917.)

**INFANTRY.**

*Royal Scots.*—Lt. C. C. Miller, Dorset Regt., to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. from the 3rd Aug. 1917 to the 24th Oct. 1917.

Lt. A. D. Jones to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

*Royal West Surrey Regt.*—Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) K. A. Oswald relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to command Bn. 6th Oct. 1917.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) H. C. Cannon, M.C., R.W. Surr. R., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdng. Bn. 20th Oct. 1917.

*Royal Lancaster Regt.*—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. Way (Royal Lancs. R.) to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

*Royal Warwickshire Regt.*—Lt. E. P. Q. Carter to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. H. P. Churchouse to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. L. Padmore to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. G. W. Abbott to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. S. Hoskins to be actg. Capt. with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

*Liverpool Regt.*—Maj. A. Buckley, D.S.O., N. Lan. Regt. (Hon. Lt. in Army), to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdng. a Bn. 25th Oct. 1917.

Lt. R. Charnock, M.C., to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. F. Jones, M.C. (Manch. R.), to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. W. Raine to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. Wright (Worc. R.) to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allow-

ances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Temp. Maj. J. L. A. Macdonald, R. Scots, to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdng. Bn. 4th Oct. 1917.

*Devonshire Regt.*—2nd Lt. H. d'A. Innes (since promoted Lt.) to be Capt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Capt. C. E. Driver. 8th May 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 1st Jan. 1918.)

*Suffolk Regt.*—Lt. C. C. S. Gibbs to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

*West Yorkshire Regt.*—Lt. W. N. Mossop to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances as a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

2nd Lt. H. C. Wrigglesworth is cashiered by sentence of a G.C.M. 29th Dec. 1917.

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

E. H. Fender (since killed in action). 19th Sept. 1917.

T. D. Griffiths. 24th Oct. 1917.

Lt. C. V. Beale to be actg. Capt., with the pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. B. H. Pickering to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Maj. S. S. Sykes, M.C., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdng. Bn. 24th Oct. 1917.

Lt. J. H. Turner to be actg. Capt. whilst comdng. a Co., from 24th to 28th Oct. 1917.

*Bedfordshire Regt.*—Lt. (temp.) A. C. Cookson to be Lt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next above Lt. L. P. New. 19th Aug. 1917.

Lt. (temp.) (actg. Capt.) G. Desborough to be Lt. (actg. Capt.), with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Lt. L. P. New. 19th Aug. 1917.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) H. H. Sperling to be Capt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Capt. F. B. Hobbs. 19th Aug. 1917.

The undermentioned Cpts. to have precedence next above Capt. J. T. Yarde:—

Capt. F. B. Hobbs.

Capt. H. H. Sperling.

Capt. O. S. Chaunder, seconded.

*Leicestershire Regt.*—Temp. Capt. (actg. Maj.) G. R. A. Beckett, Glouc. Regt., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdng. Bn. 27th Oct. 1917.

Capt. R. A. Henderson to be actg. Maj. whilst empld. as Maj. on Hd.-Qrs. 18th Oct. 1917.

Lt. F. Dickinson to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. D. Hills to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

*Yorkshire Regt.*—Lt. J. S. Bainbridge to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances as a Lt. whilst empld. as Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. S. Robson to be actg. Capt. whilst comdng. a Co. 29th Oct. 1917.