

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Lt. F. Grant, M.C., relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 8th May 1918.

2nd Lt. James Thompson, from Royal Lanc. Regt., to be 2nd Lt. 5th Apr. 1918.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) W. H. Hardman, M.C., to be Maj., with precedence as from 1st June 1916 next below Maj. J. K. B. Langley. 8th May 1918.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) H. E. Trubshaw to be Maj., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Maj. W. F. Dixon-Nuttall, D.S.O. 8th May 1918.

Capt. C. C. Hardy to be Maj., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Maj. W. H. Hardman, M.C., and to remain seconded. 8th May 1918.

Lt. C. W. T. Fincken relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 8th May 1918.

Capt. (actg. Maj., R.E.) E. G. Sheppard, D.S.O., M.V.O., A.M.I.E.E., to be Maj., and remain seconded. 5th Feb. 1918.

INFANTRY.

Royal Scots.—Capt. (actg. Maj.) W. R. Cooper to be Maj. 15th July 1917.

Capt. A. C. Aitken to be Maj. 23rd July 1916.

Royal Lancaster Regt.—2nd Lt. W. J. B. Jones to be Lt., next below Lt. H. T. Martin, and to remain seconded. 5th Feb. 1918.

2nd Lt. (actg. Capt.) J. Way (Ry. Lanc. Regt.) relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on vacating the appt. of Adjnt. 20th Apr. 1918.

Northumberland Fus.—Lt. E. C. Wilson is seconded. 12th Apr. 1918.

2nd Lt. S. Knox to be Lt., and to remain seconded. 15th Jan. 1918.

Capt. V. Merivale, M.C., to be actg. Maj. whilst empld. as 2nd in Command. 25th Apr. 1918.

Liverpool Regt.—2nd Lt. H. S. H. Dalby to be Lt., next below Lt. B. Carr. 26th Mar. 1918.

2nd Lt. A. F. Merry, M.C., to be Lt., next above Lt. E. H. Bennett. 25th Apr. 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts. 25th Apr. 1918:—

S. Trenbath.

J. W. Long.

2nd Lt. C. Thorne to be Lt. 25th Apr. 1918.

Capt. (actg. Lt.-Col.) G. B. L. Rae (L'pool R.) relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to command Bn. 2nd Feb. 1918.

2nd Lt. R. E. Evans to be Lt. 27th Jan. 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts. above Lt. H. W. Jenkinson. 25th Apr. 1918:—

S. Dumbell.

H. D. West.

Devonshire Regt.—Lt. G. B. Young to be actg. Capt. (addtl.). 17th Jan. 1918.

Somerset. L.I.—Capt. (actg. Maj.) R. E. Gifford, Som. L.I., relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be empld. as Maj. on Hd.-Qrs. 3rd Jan. 1918.

Lt. R. Ledsham to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. 1st Apr. 1918.

Lt. H. J. Major to be Adjnt., vice Lt. (actg. Capt.) A. F. Kirkwood, and to be actg. Capt., with pay and allces. of a Lt. whilst so empld. 6th Apr. 1918.

Bedfordshire Regt.—Lt. A. T. Hobbs relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 8th May 1918.

Leicestershire Regt.—Capt. J. E. Davis relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 8th May 1918.

Yorkshire Regt.—Capt. A. F. Clarke is seconded. 3rd Mar. 1917.

Capt. G. W. O. Huddart is seconded. 27th Apr. 1917.

Cheshire Regt.—2nd Lt. G. R. Rhodes to be Lt. 25th Apr. 1918.

Royal Welsh Fus.—2nd Lt. J. A. Logan to be Lt. 25th Apr. 1918.

2nd Lt. W. B. H. Ladd relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health caused by wounds on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 8th May 1918.

2nd Lt. A. C. Owen to be Lt. 5th Feb. 1918.

Gloucestershire Regt.—Capt. (Bt. Maj.) A. B. Lawson, Hrs., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. Bn. 1st Apr. 1918.

West Riding Regt.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

F. P. Baker, next above Lt. H. Smith. 14th Jan. 1918.

W. Scott. 25th Apr. 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts. 25th Apr. 1918:—

W. Wallace.

C. G. E. White.

Royal Sussex Regt.—2nd Lt. F. D. Hinds to be Lt. next below Lt. J. E. M. MacGregor, and remains seconded. 5th Mar. 1918.

Hampshire Regt.—Lt. C. R. Roper to be actg. Capt. (additional). 27th Jan. 1918.

Dorsetshire Regt.—Capt. D. G. Symonds to be actg. Maj. whilst empld. as 2nd in Command, from 24th Jan. 1918 to 12th Feb. 1918.

Essex Regt.—Capt. (temp.) (temp. Maj. whilst empld. on recruiting duties) E. G. S. Cooke to be Capt., with precedence as from 21 Sept. 1914, and to retain the temp. rank of Maj. and to remain seconded. 26 Aug. 1917. (Substituted for the announcements which appeared in the Gazette of 25th Aug. 1917.)

Capt. (temp. Maj.) E. G. S. Cooke relinquishes the temp. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be empld. on recruiting duties, and is restored to the estblt. 6th Sept. 1917.

Welsh Regt.—Lt. R. L. Thomas to be Capt., next above Capt. W. R. Edmunds, and to remain seconded. 28th Feb. 1918.