

2nd Lieut. to be Lieut.

A. H. Pilcher. 3rd Feb. 1918.

The KING has approved the *acting* promotion or the relinquishment of the *acting* rank (as notified below) of the following officers of the I.A. and I.A.R.O.:—

7th Lancers.

Capt. C. F. Trench, D.S.O., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a regiment. 23rd Sept. 1917 to 11th Oct. 1917, inclusive.

4th Rajputs.

Major H. C. Cutler, 8th Rajputs, attd., to be acting Lieut.-Col. while commanding a battn. 13th Feb. 1918.

Lieut. F. T. Folkard, attd., to be acting Capt. while commanding a wing. 13th Feb. 1918.

19th Punjabis.

Capt. F. G. S. McLean, 67th Punjabis, attd., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battn. 1st Jan. 1918 to 9th Feb. 1918, inclusive.

33rd Punjabis.

Lieut. H. F. Dempster, I.A.R.O., attd., to be acting Capt. while commanding a coy. 29th Jan. 1918.

Capt. E. Segar, 40th Pathans, attd., to be acting Major while 2nd-in-command of a battn. 16th Jan. 1918.

35th Sikhs.

Lieut. (acting Capt.) E. C. Johnson, attd., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a coy. 4th Feb. 1918.

Lieut. (acting Capt.) W. J. E. Proctor, attd., relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a coy. 4th Feb. 1918.

Lieut. R. A. B. Freeland, M.C., Devon. Regt., attd., to be acting Capt. while commanding a coy. 19th Feb. 1918.

Lieut. W. A. H. Brady, attd., to be acting Capt. while commanding a coy. 19th Feb. 1918.

125th Rifles.

Capt. (acting Major) M. E. M. Meade relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a Depôt. 20th Dec. 1917.

Capt. M. E. M. Meade to be acting Major while commanding a depôt. 18th Jan. 1918.

1st Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. N. F. Graeme to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battn. 15th to 27th Aug. 1917, inclusive.

Lieut. J. S. Lowe, I.A.R.O., attd., to be acting Capt. while commanding a coy. 2nd to 27th Aug. 1917, inclusive.

Capt. J. D. Ogilvy to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battn. 15th Oct. 1917 to 17th Nov. 1917, inclusive.

Capt. N. F. Graeme to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battn. 3rd to 12th Dec. 1917, inclusive.

2nd Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. R. V. Brandon, 4th Gurkha Rifles, attd., to be acting Major while second-in-command of a battn. 2nd Feb. 1918.

8th Gurkha Rifles.

Major (acting Lieut.-Col.) C. P. Barlow relinquishes his acting rank on ceasing to command a battn. 12th Feb. 1918.

The KING has approved the admission of the undermentioned officers to the I.A., from the I.A.R.O.:—

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Cyril Maton Periam Dunford. 5th Dec. 1917 but to rank from the 27th Aug. 1916.

Roderick Lewis O'Connor. 5th Dec. 1917, but to rank from 11th Sept. 1916.

John Southgate Youngman. 25th Feb. 1918, but to rank from the 9th Apr. 1917.

Cecil John Hathaway. 5th Dec. 1917, but to rank from the 8th June, 1917.

Lewis Edyvean Morgan. 5th Dec. 1917, but to rank from 22nd June 1917.

Horace Percival Conyers-Brown. 5th Dec. 1917, but to rank from the 3rd Sept. 1917.

The KING has approved the admission of the undermentioned officer to the I.A. on probation:—

James Fitzgerald Malcolm, R.F.A. 12th Dec. 1917, but to rank from the 27th Jan. 1917.

The KING has approved the grant of the temporary rank of Lt. in the I.M.S. to the undermentioned gentlemen:—

Indra Narayan Sen Gupta. 12th Feb. 1918.

Thakurdas Parmanand Vaswani. 15th Feb. 1918.

Amolak Ram. 18th Feb. 1918.

Govinda Sankaram Tampi. 22nd Feb. 1918.

Gopalsamudram Sundara Ayyar Sankara Ayyar. 22nd Feb. 1918.

The KING has approved the appointment of the undermentioned officer to the Infantry Branch of the I.A.R.O.:—

To be Lieut.

Sec. Lieut. Thomas John Reginald Richards, Duke of Cornwall's L.I. 15th Mar. 1918, but to rank from 18th Feb. 1917.

The KING has approved the admission of the undermentioned gentlemen to the I.A.R.O.:—

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CAVALRY BRANCH.

Frederick Alexander McDougall. 16th Mar. 1918.

INFANTRY BRANCH.

Albert Henry Williams. 27th Nov. 1917.

Christopher William Lacey. 28th Jan. 1918.

Douglas George Orchard. 18th Feb. 1918.

Robert Lucien McKernan. 27th Feb. 1918.

Eugene Chandos St. Romaine. 1st Mar. 1918.

8th Mar. 1918.

Charles Lindsay Wallace, John Thomas Davis.

Charles Benyon Williams. 11th Mar. 1918.

12th Mar. 1918.

Henry Gordon Walford, Edward Frederick Brayham, Benjamin William Thurlow.

15th Mar. 1918.

Lionel Ross-Counsell, William Cecil Edwards, George Edmondstone Dean, Frederick Herbert Capstick, James William Sargeant.

Percy Leon Cross. 18th Mar. 1918.