

*Admiralty, 18th January, 1919.*

Actg. Lieuts. to be Lieuts. —  
Reginald D. Rowe. 8th Dec. 1916.  
Maurice R. T. Knight. 15th Mar. 1918.  
Harold A. Shears.  
Edward de V. Drummond-Hay.  
Herbert M. Huntinton-Whiteley.  
15th Sept. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

Tempy. Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.-Cdr. —  
Gordon W. Whittaker, D.S.O. 8th Nov. 1917.

*Admiralty, 20th January, 1919.*

Gunner (retd.) to be Chief Gunner (retd.) —  
William H. Dimsdate. 13th Sept. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

To be tempy. Lieut. —  
James Turner. 20th Jan. 1919.

*Admiralty, 21st January, 1919.*

Captain William John Standly Alderson, R.N., has been appointed a Naval Aide-de-Camp to the King in the vacancy created by the promotion of Captain (Commodore, First Class) The Hon. Algernon D. E. H. Boyle, C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O., A.D.C., R.N., to Flag Rank. To date the 9th Jan. 1919.

Cdr. (Emergency.) to be Capt. (Emergency.), in recognition of services during the war: —  
Alexander H. Quicke. 1st Feb. 1919.

Paymr.-Lieut. to be Paymr. Lieut.-Cdr.: —

Leslie S. Brown. 25th Jan. 1919

*War Office,*

*24th January, 1919.*

#### CORRECTION.

In Sir Douglas Haig's Despatch, published in the London Gazette dated 7th January, 1919, No. 31111, on page 345, in paragraph 28, line 46, for "Major-General L. J. Lipsett" read "Major-General T. G. Matheson."

*War Office,*

*17th January, 1919.*

#### NOTICE.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Army Council hereby give notice that the Imported Hides (Control) Notice, 1916, and the Imported Hides (Dealings) Order, 1916, are cancelled.

By Order of the Army Council,

*R. H. Brade.*

*Air Ministry,*

*24th January, 1919.*

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made at the Air Ministry:—

##### *Staff Officers, 2nd Class.*

And to be actg Maj. whilst so empld. if not already holding that rank:—

(Air).

Maj. Hon. A. R. Boyle, M.C., vice Capt. (actg. Maj.) C. M. Carrington. 10th Jan. 1919.

(T.)

Capt. G. S. Ridgway, vice Maj. A. C. Robinson. 20th Dec. 1918.

##### *Staff Officer, 3rd Class.*

Capt. (now actg. Maj.) R. A. Laws. 1st June 1918 to 25th Sept. 1918.

The undermentioned temporary appointment is made:—

##### *Staff Officer, 3rd Class.*

(Q.)

Lt. (actg. Capt.) J. A. Heather, and to retain his actg. rank whilst so empld. 8th Jan. 1919.

#### FLYING BRANCH.

Lt.-Col. P. H. L. Playfair, M.C., is appointed Comdt., Central Flying School. 17th Jan. 1919.

Lt.-Col. A. J. L. Scott, M.C., to be Lt.-Col. (A.), and relinquishes the appt. of Comdt., Central Flying School. 29th Oct. 1918.

Lt.-Col. (actg. Brig.-Gen.) E. B. Gordon, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. (A.), and relinquishes the actg. rank of Brig.-Gen. 22nd Nov. 1918.

Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) F. W. Lucas to be Maj. (A'shp.), and relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to be specially empld. 22nd Dec. 1918.

The undermentioned Capt. to be actg. Maj. whilst empld. as Maj. (A.):—

G. L. Hartgill. 15th Oct. 1918.

R. Gray. 14th Jan. 1919.

The undermentioned Capt. to be actg. Maj. whilst empld. as Maj. (A. & S.):—

15th Oct. 1918.

F. N. Halsted, D.S.C.

E. G. Hopcraft.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) A. J. Michell-Clarke, M.C., to be Capt. (A.), and relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. 11th Jan. 1919.

Capt. L. H. Cockey to be graded for pay as Capt. whilst empld. as Capt. (A). 3rd Dec. 1918.

The undermentioned Lts. to be actg. Capt. whilst empld. as Capt. (A.):—

1st Nov. 1918.

M. C. Hayter.

W. D. Patrick.

The undermentioned Lts. to be actg. Capt. whilst empld. as Capt. (K.B.):—

D. D. O'Flaherty. 30th Nov. 1918.

1st Dec. 1918.

N. F. Bardell.

G. M. Emerson.

W. H. Muirhead.

Sylvester Smith.