

Major to be Lieut.-Colonel.

Sir O. F. L. W. Cuffe, Bart., V.D. 1st Mar. 1919.

Major to be temp. Lieut.-Colonel.

R. H. N. Baxter. 6th May 1919.

Captains to be Majors.

A. I. Sleigh. 14th Feb. 1919.
B. H. Heald. 1st Mar. 1919.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

D. Chalmers. 7th Sept. 1918.
D. Y. Anderson. 11th Feb. 1919.

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

C. M. A. Bruce. 7th Sept. 1918.

The KING has approved the actg. promotion or the relinquishment of actg. rank (as notified below) of the following officers of the Indian Army and Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—

15th Lancers.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) H. E. Bastin, M.C., attd., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to hold the appt. of Adj. of a Depôt. 31st May 1919.

1st Sappers and Miners.

Capt. E. G. Gidley-Kitchin to be actg. Maj. while comdg. a Field Sqdn. 1st Dec. 1918.

3rd Sappers and Miners.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) T. J. R. Richards, I.A.R.O., attd., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Coy. 20th May 1919.

2/25th Punjabis.

Major F. G. Swayne, attd., to be actg. Lieut.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 23rd Dec. 1918.

Maj. (actg. Lieut.-Col.) H. R. E. Pratt, D.S.O., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 8th Dec. 1918.

Maj. H. R. E. Pratt, D.S.O., to be actg. Lieut.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 2nd Feb. 1919.

Major (actg. Lieut.-Col.) F. G. Swayne relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 18th Jan. 1919.

47th Sikhs.

NOTE.—In the notification in the London Gazette dated 1st Jan. 1918 making certain actg. promotions in the 47th Sikhs, for "Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached," against the name of 2nd Lieut. L. H. May, read "Durham L.I., attached."

61st Pioneers.

Lieut. (actg. Maj.) T. A. L. Bigger relinquishes his actg. rank of Major on ceasing to be sec. in comd. of a Bn., but retains his actg. rank of Capt. (with pay and allos. as for a Lieut.) while holding the appt. of Adj. 25th Jan. 1919.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) A. J. Revell relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to hold the appt. of Adj. 25th Jan. 1919.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) R. L. Herbert, I.A.R.O., attd., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Coy. 2nd Feb. 1919.

Capt. G. S. Johnson, M.C., to be actg. Maj. while sec. in comd. of a Bn. 9th Feb. 1919.

Lieut. R. L. Herbert, I.A.R.O., attd., to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Coy., from 9th Mar. 1919 to 31st Mar. 1919 inclusive.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) R. d'A. Monypenny, attd., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Coy. 22nd Feb. 1919.

1/141st Bikaner Infantry.

Lieut. (actg. Capt.) R. J. Innes to be actg. Maj. while sec. in comd. of a Bn. 11th Feb. 1919.

15th Draught Bullock Corps.

2nd Lieut. G. D. Wigner, attd. S. & T. Corps, to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Draught Bullock Corps. 30th Jan. 1919.

The following officers, who have been admitted to the Indian Army on probation, are permitted to revert to the British Service with effect from the dates shown against their names:—

Lieutenants.

George Frederick Jones, 23rd Bn., Welsh Regt. 21st Mar. 1919.

James Currie, 5th Bn., Arg. & Suth'd Highrs. 22nd Apr. 1919.

Stanley Jesse King, 7th Bn., London Regt. 23rd Apr. 1919.

James Gray Cruickshank, 10th Bn., R. Highrs. 4th May 1919.

Arthur Joseph Marigold, 8th Bn., Oxf. & Bucks. L.I. 17th May 1919.

David John Lewellin, 13th Bn., High. L.I. 17th May 1919.

William James Clark, 9th Bn., R. Ir. Fus. 18th May 1919.

Roderic Gwynne Milward, 17th Bn., Sherwood Foresters. 18th May 1919.

Vivian Royston Murray, 3rd Bn., Cam'n Highrs. 21st May 1919.

Edward Arthur Craig Fulton, 3rd Bn., High. L.I. 10th June 1919.

Frank Dallas Charles, 5th Bn., London Regt. 3rd May 1919.

Robert Henry Smith, War. Yeo. 7th May 1919.

Cornell Henry Fison, 1/5th Bn., R.W. Surr. Regt. 12th May 1919.

Leonard Bilton Shaw, 14th Bn., L'pool Regt. 23rd May 1919.

Vincent Harry Bentham, R.E. 6th June 1919.

Cecil Albert Forbes Thornton, 18th Bn., W. York. Regt. 9th June 1919.

Gervase Paget Sleigh, 2nd Bn., W. Rid. Regt. 16th June 1919.

The KING has approved the admission of the undermentioned officer to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers on completion of his period of probation:—

Percy Joseph Andrews, Oxf. & Bucks. L.I., 23rd Oct. 1918, but to rank from 29th Aug. 1918.

NOTE.—The notification in the Lon. Gaz. dated 10th Oct. 1919, in so far as it relates to the admission of John Francis McEvoy to the I.A.R.O., is cancelled.

The KING has approved the grant of temp. rank as shown below in the Indian Defence Force to the undermentioned gentleman:—

*23rd Sind Battalion.**To be Second Lieutenant.*

Leonard Egbert Hopkins. 12th May 1919.