

withdrawal of the company, which was impeded by their wounded, with a handful of his men he turned back and counter-attacked the pursuing enemy, and, with the rest of his party, was killed fighting to the last.

This very gallant act of self-sacrifice not only enabled the wounded to be withdrawn, but also averted a situation which must have resulted in considerable loss of life.

War Office,
9th September, 1920.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appts. :—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—Lt. G. C. Proffit, Unattd. List, Ind. Army. 4th Dec. 1919.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENT.

Cl. X.—Temp. Col. R. Storrs, C.M.G., C.B.E., Gen. List. 1st July 1920.

ATTD. TO HD.-QR. UNITS.

Dep. Asst. Prov. Marshals (Cl. FF).—Lt. L. G. Hind, M.B.E., 6th Manch. R., T.F., and relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. 17th May 1920.

Cl. GG.—Temp. Lt. A. J. Elwick-Harrison, Serv. Bn., K.R. Rif. C. 27th July 1920.

Dep. Asst. Prov. Marshal.—Temp. Lt. C. R. Boyson, Serv. Bn., Lan. Fus., and relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. 15th Dec. 1919.

HD.-QRS. OF ADMIN. SERVS. & DEPTS.

Rly Traffic Officers (Cl. FF).—Temp. Lt. J. V. B. Trentham, and relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. 21st June 1920.

Cl. GG.—Temp. Lt. C. S. de B. Panter, Gen. List. 1st Apr. 1920.

Empld. under Directorate of Docks (Cl. GG).—Temp. Lt. G. R. Shaw, R.E. 31st Oct. 1919.

TEMP. APPT.

Lt.-Col. W. G., Baron Bentinck, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., ret. pay, relinquishes his appt. as Officer i/c. Records, and reverts to unemployment. 1st Sept. 1920.

CAVALRY.

4th Hrs.—Lt. R. B. Johnson, M.C., resigns his commn. 10th Sept. 1920.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

R.H. & R.F.A.—Maj. F. E. Mascall retires on ret. pay. 10th Sept. 1920.

R.G.A.—Supern. Maj. D. A. Strachan is restd. to the estab. 4th Jan. 1918.

The undermentioned are secd. :—

Maj. E. P. Cudlip, for service with the T.F. 27th July 1920.

Capt. F. W. H. Pratt, M.C., for service on the Staff. 18th Aug. 1920

Capt. F. W. H. Pratt, M.C., relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. 8th Mar. 1919.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The undermentioned to be actg. Maj. 1st May 1920:—

Capt. L. P. Hodgkinson, R. Mon. Spec. Res.

Temp. Capt. S. E. Davis, M.C.

Temp. Capt. (Lt., T.F.) M. Murphy relinquishes the appt. of Adj. 14th Apr. 1920.

INFANTRY.

L'pool R.—Maj. L. F. Leader, having attained the age fixed for compulsory retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 10th Sept. 1920, and is granted the rank of Lt.-Col.

Lan. Fus.—Lt. H. A. Wallis retires receiving a gratuity, 10th Sept. 1920, and is granted the rank of Capt.

Scot. Rif.—Lt. W. J. Ward retires on ret. pay. 10th Sept. 1920.

Notts. & Derby R.—Lt. J. MacD. Needham is secd. for service on the Staff. 17th July 1920.

R. Dub. Fus.—Capt. J. F. K. Dobbs, M.C. is secd. for service with the Egyptian Army. 30th July 1920.

GENERAL LIST.

The undermentioned relinquish their commns. on completion of service:—

Temp. Maj. F. Harrison, O.B.E., M.C. 4th Apr. 1919, and retains the rank of Maj.

Temp. Capt. F. W. Tennant, 2nd Sept 1919, and is granted the rank of Maj.

Temp. Lt. R. G. J. Barefoot, 16th Aug. 1919, and is granted the rank of Capt.

Temp. Lts., and retain the rank of Lt.—

W. M. Hannaford. 23rd June 1920.

J. Golding. 1st Aug. 1920.

Lt. H. D. White, S. Afr. Def. Force, to be temp. Lt. (without pay or allowances) whilst empld. as a Discharging Officer. 1st Feb. 1920.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lt. E. D. G. Galley, M.C., is restd. to the estab. 19th Aug. 1920.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

R.A.M.C.—Maj. William Bruce, O.B.E., M.B., from New Zealand Med. Corps, to be Capt. 18th Nov. 1918, but not to reckon for pay or allowances prior to 19th Aug. 1920, with precedence next below D. McVicker

Capt. Hubert L. C. Noel resigns his commn. 10th Sept. 1920.

ROYAL ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT.

Maj. & Staff Paymr. F. J. Austin to be Lt.-Col. 16th Feb. 1920.

OVERSEA FORCES.

SOUTH AFRICA.

FIELD ARTILLERY.

Temp. Maj. O. L. M. Folker, M.C., D.C.M., relinquishes his commn. on ceasing to be empld. 13th Sept. 1919, and retains the rank of Maj.