

9th Bn. A. & S.H.—Lt. A. D. Menzies, from Active List, to be Lt. 2nd May 1925.

16th Lond. R.—Lt. P. E. Beddow, from Active List, to be Lt. 2nd May 1925.

ROYAL TANK CORPS.

26th (East Riding of York Yeo.) Armd. Car Co.—Lt. (Capt. Prov.) B. G. Reed, from Active List, to be Lt. 2nd May 1925.

India Office,

1st May, 1925.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Ind. Army, Ind. Med. Service, and Ind. Army Depts., with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

A. O. Sutherland, D.S.O. 1st Feb. 1925.

Lieutenants to be Captains (Provisional).

16th Dec. 1924.

H. J. Hare, G. W. Bomford.

20th Dec. 1924.

D. R. St. J. Shannon, F. W. Stevens, W. T. Hungerford.

NOTE.—The promotion to the rank of Capt. of the undermentioned officer is antedated to the date specified:—

Capt. M. A. Haines. 28th Dec. 1919.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Captains to be Majors.

26th Jan. 1925.

Sahib Singh Sokhey, M.B., A. Seddon, M.B., F.R.C.S., R. V. Martin.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Assistant Commissary with rank of Lieutenant to be Deputy Commissary with rank of Captain.

J. D. McNamara. 30th Jan. 1925.

To be Assistant Commissaries with rank of Lieutenant.

Conductors.

Joseph Henry Squires, and to remain seconded. 30th Jan. 1925.

Leo Fitz Gerald. 30th Jan. 1925.

Thomas James Colquhoun. 1st Feb. 1925.

The KING has approved the grant or the relinquishment of acting or temporary rank as shown below:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Staff.

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) W. B. White, O.B.E., relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt.-Col. on vacating an apptmt. as Base Comdt., Bunder Abbas. 9th June 1919.

16th Rajputs.

Lt. (now Capt.) S. W. Bower, attd., to be actg. Maj. while sec. in comd. of a Bn., from 3rd Oct. 1919 to 6th Nov. 1919 (incl.).

1st Battalion, 22nd Punjabis.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) C. Leslie-Smith relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be sec. in comd. of a Bn. 26th May 1918.

82nd Punjabis.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) S. V. Palmer relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be sec. in comd. of a Bn. 19th Nov. 1920.

94th Infantry.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) (now Capt.) A. D. Young relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. 15th Dec. 1919.

121st Pioneers.

Lt. (now Capt.) G. Plomer, attd., to be actg. Capt. while comdg. a Coy., during the follg. periods, 5th Oct. to 5th Nov. 1918 (incl.), 17th Nov. to 18th Dec. 1918 (incl.), 24th Jan. to 14th Nov. 1919 (incl.).

Lt. (actg. Capt.) (now Capt.) W. V. Clark, attd., relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to be empld. as Adjnt. 6th Jan. 1920.

3rd Battalion, 151st Punjabis.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) C. E. W. Kennedy relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Coy. 31st Dec. 1920.

Sec. Lt. (actg. Capt.) (now Lt.) R. C. B. Bristow relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Coy. 31st Dec. 1920.

Depot, 1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) A. M. Arnott retains the actg. rank of Maj. while comdg. a Depot. 14th May 1919.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) A. M. Arnott relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to comd. a Depot. 30th Aug. 1920.

NOTE.—Lond. Gaz. notifns., dated 6th May and 12th Aug. 1919 regarding the grant of the actg. rank of Maj. to, and the relinquishment of the actg. rank of Maj. by Capt. (now Maj.) A. M. Arnott, 4th Gurkha Rif., are hereby cancelled.

Depot, 4th Battalion, 11th Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) A. M. Arnott, 4th Gurkha Rif. attd., retains the actg. rank of Maj. while comdg. a Depot. 8th Oct. 1918.

4th Battalion, 11th Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) A. M. Arnott, 4th Gurkha Rif. attd., retains the actg. rank of Maj. while sec. in comd. of a Bn. 15th Apr. 1919.

140th Patiala Infantry.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) (now Maj.) C. Leslie-Smith relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be sec. in comd. of a Bn. 31st Mar. 1919.

NOTE.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn. dated 15th Aug. 1919, under the sub-heading "153rd Rifles," for "Capt. (actg. Maj.) F. N. Malby" read "Capt. (actg. Maj.) F. N. Maltby."