

War Office,
4th January, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—

PERSONAL STAFF.

Aides-de-Camp—

Temporary Second Lieutenant J. B. Powell, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th November, 1915.

Temporary Lieutenant C. L. C. Clarke, Buckinghamshire (Royal Bucks Hussars) Yeomanry, Territorial Force. Dated 9th December, 1915.

GENERAL STAFF.

*General Staff Officers—**1st Grade—*

And to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonels whilst so employed.

Major Harry H. S. Knox, The Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 25th November, 1915.

Major Charles J. C. Grant, D.S.O., Coldstream Guards, vice Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) The Honourable C. J. Sackville-West, C.M.G., The King's Royal Rifle Corps. Dated 4th December, 1915.

2nd Grade—

Major Bertram N. Sergison Brooke, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards, vice Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) H. H. S. Knox, The Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 26th November, 1915.

Captain Albert E. S. L. Paget, M.V.O., 11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars, vice Major W. A. Fetherstonhaugh, 8th Cavalry, Indian Army. Dated 1st December, 1915.

Captain Disney Y. Watt, 17th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Lancers, vice Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) G. B. Hughes, D.S.O., Canadian Local Forces. Dated 3rd December, 1915.

3rd Grade—

Captain Arthur F. Smith, Coldstream Guards, and to be seconded, vice Captain G. E. C. Rasch, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards. Dated 3rd December, 1915.

Captain Henry D. Denison-Pender, 2nd Dragoons (Royal Scots Greys), and to be seconded, vice Brevet Major A. B. Lawson, 11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars. Dated 6th December, 1915.

Major Wilfred Harris-St. John, The Royal Welsh Fusiliers, vice Captain H. G. C.

Fowler, D.S.O., The South Wales Borderers. Dated 17th December, 1915.

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S AND QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S STAFF.

Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General—

Major Gilbert J. Acland Troyte, The King's Royal Rifle Corps, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 28th November, 1915.

Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-Generals—

Captain G. A. Meakin, The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Special Reserve, and to be seconded. Dated 14th June, 1915. (Substituted for the notification which appeared in the Gazette of 24th July, 1915.)

Major Henry I. R. Allfrey, Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry), vice Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) G. J. Acland Troyte, The King's Royal Rifle Corps. Dated 28th November, 1915.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) R. H. Koster, Reserve of Officers, and to retain his temporary rank whilst so employed, vice Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) G. N. T. Smyth-Osbourne, The Devonshire Regiment. Dated 3rd December, 1915.

Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General—

Captain G. A. J. Soltau-Symonds, Reserve of Officers. Dated 5th August, 1914. (Substituted for the notification which appeared in the Gazette of 17th July, 1915.)

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Inspector-General of Communications—

Temporary Lieutenant-General Edward A. Altham, C.B., C.M.G. Dated 22nd July, 1915.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade.)

Temporary Captain P. A. W. Laye, The King's Royal Rifle Corps, and to be transferred to the General List, vice Major R. R. Feilden, Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st December, 1915.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lieutenant, 1st Class.)

Temporary Lieutenant G. D. E. Chapman. Dated 28th November, 1915.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lieutenant, 2nd Class.)

Temporary Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant F. D. Bone, The King's Royal Rifle Corps, and to be transferred to the General List. Dated 7th November, 1915.