

INFANTRY.

*Service Battalions.*

*The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant Norman M. Sheppard, from the General List, to be temporary Second Lieutenant. Dated 7th August, 1915.

*The Lancashire Fusiliers.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant William S. Wrinch to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Harold Lambert, from a Reserve Battalion, to be temporary Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th January, 1916, but with seniority from 14th April, 1915.

*The Royal Scots Fusiliers.*

Temporary Captain Frank P. Skipwith to be temporary Major. Dated 9th July, 1915.

Temporary Lieutenant John Gardner to be temporary Captain. Dated 9th July, 1915.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Frank T. Hay (since killed in action) to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 9th July, 1915.

*The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).*

Lieutenant Thomas A. Tatton (The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)) to be temporary Captain. Dated 28th January, 1916.

*The East Surrey Regiment.*

Frederick Foster to be temporary Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1916.

*The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).*

Captain John H. J. Blackburn (6th Dragoon Guards (Carabiniers)) to be temporary Major. Dated 8th January, 1916.

*The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).*

The undermentioned temporary Lieutenants to be temporary Captains:—

Anthony J. Jimenez. Dated 18th January, 1916.

Leonard V. Stone. Dated 19th January, 1916.

Peter Clarke-Richardson. Dated 20th January, 1916.

*The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).*

Major Herbert N. Blakeney, D.S.O., to command a Battalion, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th February, 1916.

*The King's Royal Rifle Corps.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Newdigate A. K. Burne (retired, Indian Army) vacates the command of a Battalion. Dated 1st February, 1916.

Captain George A. J. Soltau-Symons (Reserve of Officers), from a Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, to command a Battalion, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, vice N. A. K. Burne. Dated 1st February, 1916.

*The Manchester Regiment.*

Temporary Lieutenant Bartram Du Val to be Adjutant. Dated 18th October, 1915.

*The Durham Light Infantry.*

The undermentioned temporary Second Lieutenants, from a Reserve Battalion, to be temporary Second Lieutenants. Dated 1st February, 1916, but with seniority from the dates specified against their names:—

James A. Struthers. 15th March, 1915.

Robert D. Green. 10th June, 1915.

James Thompson-Hopper. 12th July, 1915.

Henry H. Brewer. 20th July, 1915.

Arthur F. Collins. 22nd July, 1915.

William P. MacD. Brettell. 14th August, 1915.

*The Royal Irish Rifles.*

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Pierce T. Chute, D.S.O., (retired pay) relinquishes his temporary rank on ceasing to command a Battalion. Dated 30th December, 1915.

Captain Raymond T. Pelly (Special Reserve, The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, since transferred to The Hampshire Regiment) to command a Battalion, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, vice P. T. Chute, D.S.O. Dated 30th December, 1915.

*Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).*

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles E. W. Macdonald (retired, Indian Army) vacates the command of a Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1916.

Lieutenant-Colonel Gilbert Gunn, from The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, to command a Battalion, vice C. E. W. Macdonald. Dated 3rd February, 1916.

*The Royal Munster Fusiliers.*

The promotion to the temporary rank of Captain of temporary Lieutenant Cecil W. Chandler, notified in the Gazette of 23rd December, 1915, is antedated to the 27th November, 1915.

The promotion to the temporary rank of Captain of temporary Lieutenant John H. Hall bears date 1st December, 1915, and not as stated in the Gazette of 18th January, 1916.

*The Royal Dublin Fusiliers.*

William Blayney to be temporary Major. Dated 29th January, 1916.

*Second-Reserve.*

*The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment).*

Temporary Lieutenant David M. Nelson to be temporary Captain. Dated 18th December, 1915.

Temporary Second Lieutenant Ernest K. Honey relinquishes his commission. Dated 11th February, 1916.

*The Suffolk Regiment.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant Robert C. Wrinch relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. Dated 11th February, 1916.