

*The Durham Light Infantry.*

Temporary Lieutenant Cecil C. H. Hall, from The Leicestershire Regiment, to be temporary Captain. Dated 15th February, 1916.

Temporary Second Lieutenant George P. Baines, from The Leicestershire Regiment, to be temporary Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th February, 1916.

*The Highland Light Infantry.*

Temporary Lieutenant Andrew D. Wood, from a Reserve Battalion, to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1916, but with seniority from 1st October, 1915.

*The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.*

Temporary Lieutenant Neil Morrison, from a Reserve Battalion, to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 4th January, 1916, but with seniority from 1st June, 1915.

*The Royal Irish Rifles.*

Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Desmond L. Hartley (Captain, retired pay) (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel, retired, Special Reserve) relinquishes his temporary rank on vacating the command of a Battalion. Dated 10th February, 1916.

Major Sidney G. Francis, D.S.O. (The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)), to command a Battalion, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel, vice D. L. Hartley. Dated 5th February, 1916.

*Local Reserve.**The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment).*

Temporary Lieutenant Francis A. Abbott, from a Service Battalion, to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1916, but with seniority from 10th June, 1915.

*The Royal Welsh Fusiliers.*

Lieutenant Henry Davies, from Territorial Force Reserve, General List, to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 7th March, 1916.

*The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment).*

Temporary Second Lieutenant William G. Portus relinquishes his commission. Dated 18th March, 1916.

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

Temporary Captain Leonard M. Kepp-Page, from a Service Battalion, to be temporary Captain. Dated 17th February, 1916, but with seniority from 11th October, 1915.

*Garrison Battalions.**The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.*

Temporary Second Lieutenant Herbert J. Elliott to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1916.

*The Worcestershire Regiment.*

Temporary Lieutenant Herbert W. Auster, from The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1916, but with seniority from 8th November, 1915.

*The Essex Regiment.*

The undermentioned to be temporary Captains:—

Temporary Captain Ronald W. Borissow, from The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). Dated 29th January, 1916, but with seniority from 29th November, 1914.

Temporary Lieutenant Henry H. Healy, from The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment). Dated 28th January, 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant Lloyd U. Hubble, from The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1916, but with seniority from 29th January, 1915.

*The Manchester Regiment.*

Captain W. F. McCann, late Volunteers, to be temporary Captain. Dated 14th February, 1916.

*The Royal Irish Rifles.*

The undermentioned temporary Captains to be temporary Captains. Dated 14th February, 1916, but with seniority from the dates specified against their names:—

Paul E. Koester (from The Royal Dublin Fusiliers). 12th December, 1914.

Reginald T. Wood (from The Lancashire Fusiliers). 1st June, 1915.

## OVERSEA CONTINGENTS.

## CANADA.

*Canadian Artillery.*

The undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants:—

Dated 23rd February, 1916.

William Hamilton Abbott.  
Sedley Cantrell Anderson.  
Gerald Hanson Davidson.  
James L. Mathewson.

*12th (Reserve) Canadian Infantry Battalion.*

Rodger Williams Birdseye to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 7th January, 1916.

*Canadian Army Medical Corps.*

Captain H. L. Jackes to be temporary Major. Dated 4th March, 1916.

## SOUTH AFRICA.

*Artillery.*

George James Cook to be temporary Second Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1916.