To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant— John Davies. Dated 5th April, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Lieutenant— William George Gilfillan. Dated 8th April, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenant— James Wilfrid Johnson. Dated 9th April, 1916.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant— Ralph Wood Thoburn. Dated 13th April, 1916.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

To be temporary Lieutenant-Commander—
Temporary Lieutenant Edward Baxter

Temporary Lieutenant Edward Baxter Bett. Dated 10th April, 1916.

The undermentioned temporary Sub-Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants:—

William Herbert St. John Wallis. Ernest Reginald Aston. Hugh Pelham Winslow.

Dated 10th April, 1916.

To be temporary Lieutenant—
Harold Colbourne. Dated 13th April, 1916.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants— Ernest Arthur Payne. Leslie George Mainland. William Gavin.

Dated 13th April, 1916.

War Office,

15th April, 1916.

The Governments of Their Majesties the King of Great Britain and Ireland and the King of the Belgians are agreed during the present war to recognise the exclusive right of jurisdiction of the tribunals of their respective armies in the field in regard to persons belonging to those armies, irrespective of the nationality of the accused or of the territory in which the armies are operating.

With regard to any infringement of the law, committed conjointly or in collusion on Belgian territory by persons belonging to these two armies, the British principals and their accomplices will be referred to British military jurisdiction, and the Belgian principals and their accomplices to Belgian military jurisdiction.

In the case of infringements committed conjointly or in collusion on British territory by persons belonging to these two armies, the principals and their accomplices will be referred to British military jurisdiction, except in the case of Belgians who have been arrested under Belgian authority.

The two Governments also agree to recognise, during the present war, the exclusive right of jurisdiction, on British territory, of the British tribunals respecting all persons not belonging to the Belgian army committing acts prejudicial to the said army; and the ex-

clusive right of jurisdiction on Belgian territory of the Belgian tribunals respecting persons not belonging to the British army committing acts prejudicial to the said army.

War Office, 14th April, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—2nd Lieut. G. T. J. Bevan, 6th K.R. Rif. C., and to be seconded. 17th Mar., 1916.

GENERAL STAFF.

G.S.O., 2nd Grade.—Maj. Cecil J. L. Allanson, C.I.E., D.S.O., 6th Gurkha Rif., Ind. Army. 21st Mar., 1916.

Adjutant-General's and Quartermaster-General's Staff.

D.A. & Q.M.G.—Hon. Brig.-Gen. Frank R.
C. Carleton, retired pay, and to be temp.
Brig.-Gen. whilst so employed. 29th Feb.,
1916.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

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

Harold Jowers, and to be temp. 2nd Lieut. 26th Mar., 1916. Temp. Lieut. F. Blackburn relinquishes

his appt. and commission. 15th Apr., 1916.

ATTACHED TO HEADQUARTER UNITS.

Brigade Commander.—Bt. Col. Alexander G. Duff, ret. pay, and to be temp. Brig.-Gen. whilst so employed. 24th Mar., 1916.

HEADQUARTERS FOR EMBARKATION DUTIES.

Embarkation Staff Officers. 1st Jan., 1916— Bt. Maj. Henry O. B. Wood, 8th Rajputs, Ind. Army.

Capt. Percy A. Maxwell, 3rd Brahmans, Ind. Army.

Asst. Embarkation Staff Officers. 1st Jan,

Lieut. (temp. Capt.) Columbus L. Price, Australian Imperial Force, and to retain his temp. rank whilst so employed.

Capt. Hector J. R. Clayton, Australian

Imperial Force.
Temp. Lieut. Eric W. Wylde, Ind. Army
Res. of Off.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Capts.) 1st Jan., 1916.

Capt. J. W. Thomson, R.F.A., T.F. Temp. Capt. The Hon. C. C. J. Littleton, Midd'x R., T.F.

2nd Lieut. (temp. Capt. in Army) B. H. G. Arkwright, Derby. Yeo., T.F., and to retain his temp. rank whilst so employed.