West Riding Regt.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (temp. Lts.) to be temp. Capts. 1stOct. 1916: David F. Peacock. Charles Blakey. Fred Backhaus. Cuthbert L. Clarke.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. 1st Oct. 1916:-Robert H. Sayers. Percy N. Packenham-Walsh.

West Riding Regt.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. 1st Oct. 1916:-A. A. Chapman. M. F. Reilly. F. Kelly.

South Staff's Regt.—Capt. (temp. Maj.) F. J. Trump (Monmouthshire Regt.) to be Lt.-Col. (temp.) whilst commanding Bn. 28th Aug. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp., Lt.) F. T. Monk (Scottish Rifles) to be Capt. (temp.) whilst command-14th July 1916. ing a Company.

- Royal Highlanders.-The surname of Lieut. H. J. Humphrys is as now described and not as previously stated.
- Oxford & Bucks. L.I.—The promotion of 2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) J. E. Blake (since killed in action) to bear date 17th July, 1916, and not as stated in the Gazette of 5th Aug. 1916.
- Manchester Regt.-2nd Lt. H. S. Orford is seconded for duty with the Machine Gun Corps. 16th Oct. 1916.
- Monmouthshire Regt.-2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) R. F. Percival to be temp. Capt. 25th Oct. 1916.
- London Regt.-2nd Lt. E. E. Pool is now seconded for duty with the Machine Gun 25th Sept. 1916. Corps.

2nd Lt. H. C. Barker is seconded for duty with the Machine Gun Corps. 16th Oct. 1916.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) N. F. Woodroffe is seconded for duty as Staff Capt. 23rd Sept. 1916.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) L. S. Lindsey-Renton is seconded for duty with the Army Signal Service. 18th Sept. 1916.

Lt. R. J. H. Bull is seconded for duty with the Army Signal Service. 13th Sept. 1916.

ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

- Protection Companies.—Lieut. H. E. Murphy, from T.F.R., General List, to be Lieut., with precedence as in T.F.R. 25th Oct. 1916.
- UNATTACHED LIST FOR THE TERRITORIAL FORCE.

2nd Lt. Arthur Williams, lately serving with the Dorchester Grammar School Contingent Officers Training Corps, ceases to hold a commission in the Territorial Force. 25th Oct. 1916.

TERRITORIAL FORCE RESERVE.

Yeomanry.-Maj. T. R. F. B. Hallowes, from the Shropshire Yeomanry, to be Major. 25th Oct. 1916.

Qmr. and Hon. Lt. W. Stubbs, from the Lothian and Border Horse Yeo., to be Qmr. and Hon. Lt. 25th Oct. 1916.

Infantry .- Lt.-Col. J. G. Simpson, from Royal Scots, to be Lt.-Col. 25th Oct. 1916.

General List.-Ernest Howard Poole to be Lt. 9th Oct. 1916.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Colonel John Stirling Ainsworth, M.P., to be a Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th day of October, 1916. 107

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ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 18TH OCTOBER 1916.)

(WART DISEASE OF POTATOES INFECTED AREA.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:-

Declaration of Wart Disease of Potatoes Infected Area.

1. The area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be infected with Wart Disease and an Infected Area for the purposes of the Wart Disease of Potatoes (Infected Areas) Order of 1914.

Notification of Disease.

2. Reports of the existence of Wart Diseasewithin the Infected Area shall be made to the Board, or to Mr. G. Simpson, Fieldhead, Mayfield, near Ashbourne.

Commencement.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the fifteenth day of November, nineteen, hundred and sixteen.

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In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture. and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal, this eighteenth day of October, nineteen. hundred and sixteen.

> T. H. Middleton, Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The allotments known as Mayfield Allotments, in the parish of Mayfield, in the countyof Stafford.