

Lt. (temp. Capt.) D. Portway, R.E., is granted the acting rank of Maj. 20th Mar. 1917.

Corporal Albert James Corner Walker, from 44th (Essex) A. A. Co., to be 2nd Lt. 20th Mar. 1917.

The following announcements are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette, dated 24th Aug. 1915, 15th Oct. 1915, and 8th Jan. 1917:—

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. P. Isard, A.M.I.E.E., to be temp. Capt., with precedence as from 5th July 1915. 10th Aug. 1915.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) G. R. D. Prince to be temp. Capt., with precedence as from 5th July 1915. 16th Oct. 1915.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) L. R. W. A. Shuter to be temp. Capt., with precedence as from 5th July 1915. 29th July 1916.

#### INFANTRY.

*Royal Scots*.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) D. M. Boyd relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. and is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) J. E. Thomson relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt. and is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

*Northumberland Fus.*—2nd Lt. E. G. Laing, from 4th Bn., Royal Scots, to be 2nd Lt. 20th Mar. 1917.

*Royal Warwickshire Regt.*—Capt. C. W. Martin, D.S.O., is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

*Norfolk Regt.*—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (temp. Lts.) to be temp. Capts.:—

R. Cozens-Hardy. 18th Dec. 1916.

C. R. Bignold. 19th Dec. 1916.

N. W. Howlett. 20th Dec. 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts.:—

F. H. Cronshey. 18th Dec. 1916.

R. B. Luke. 19th Dec. 1916.

L. Downs. 20th Dec. 1916.

*Devonshire Regt.*—Lt. E. C. Braddon (11th Bn., Som. L.I.) is now seconded for duty with Artillery Horse Lines, B.E.F. 3rd Mar. 1917.

*Suffolk Regt.*—2nd Lt. P. C. Layard is restored to the estbt. 13th Oct. 1916.

*Somerset L.I.*—Lt. (temp. Capt.) E. C. Braddon relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. on alteration in posting. 3rd Mar. 1917.

*South Wales Borderers*.—2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) E. Jones (attached to 50th Prov. Bn.) relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt. 8th Aug. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 7th Aug. 1916.)

*Scottish Borderers*.—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) C. Alexander relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt., and is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. W. A. Craig is seconded for duty with the M.G.C. (Heavy). 6th Feb. 1917.

*Gloucestershire Regt.*—Lt.-Col. J. A. Tupman (Maj., ret. pay) (Res. of Off.) (Bt. Lt.-Col.) is seconded for duty with Lincoln Regt. 8th Mar. 1917.

*Hampshire Regt.*—Capt. G. de B. Wooldridge relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 10th Aug. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 9th Aug. 1916.)

*Essex Regt.*—2nd Lt. A. F. W. Hall is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. C. A. Grist is seconded for duty with the R.E. 10th Mar. 1917.

*Royal West Kent Regt.*—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) D. Y. Hay is seconded for duty with the R.F.C. 28th Feb. 1917.

*Middlesex Regt.*—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) W. G. Kay relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt., and is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 21st Feb. 1917.

*Argyll and Suth'd Highrs.*—2nd Lt. T. W. Leslie is seconded for duty with the R.E. 10th Mar. 1917.

*Cambridgeshire Regt.*—2nd Lt. H. L. Beale is seconded for duty with the R.E. (Inland Water Transport Section). 7th Mar. 1916.

*London Regt.*—2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) W. Read, M.C., relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt., and is seconded for duty under the Colonial Office. 27th Dec. 1916.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) A. F. Moss relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt., and is seconded for duty with York & Lanc. Regt. 7th Feb. 1917.

#### ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

Capt. W. A. Fuller relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 20th Mar. 1917.

#### ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. Wilson to be Maj., with precedence as from 30th May 1914, and to remain seconded. 15th Nov. 1915.

#### TERRITORIAL FORCE RESERVE.

*Artillery*.—2nd Lt. G. V. P. Wills, from the R.H. & R.F.A., to be 2nd Lt., and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 11th Feb. 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 10th Feb. 1917.)

Capt. R. S. Archer, from the R.H. & R.F.A., T.F., to be Capt., and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. 3rd Nov. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 2nd Nov. 1916.)

*General List*.—Capt. F. L. Genth relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 20th Mar. 1917.

Lt. J. B. Kershaw, from R.D.C., to be Lt. 13th Feb. 1917.