

Welsh R.—Serjt. George Lloyd Bowen. 19th June 1917.

Essex R.—Serjt. Greville Smythe, from R. Scots Fus. 16th June 1917.

Yorks. L.I.—Co. Serjt.-Maj. Charles Henry Rawlings, from A. Cyc. Corps, and to be sec'd. for duty with A. Cyc. Corps. 20th June 1917.

The undermentioned N.C.O.s to be temp. 2nd Lts. (on prob.):—

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Serjt. William Frederick Thornton. 8th June 1917.

Sapper Richard Phillipson. 10th June 1917.

Corpl. Thomas Thorn Mead. 16th June 1917.

Actg. Serjt. Leslie Gabriel Floyd. 17th June 1917.

20th June 1917.

Actg. Serjt. James Cochrane.
Lance-Corpl. Thomas Maltby.

War Office,

2nd August, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—Capt. B. L. Ratcliffe, W. York. R., and to be sec'd. 11th July 1917.

GENERAL STAFF.

G.S.Os., 1st Grade.—Maj. R. E. Crichton, K.R. Rif. C., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld., vice Bt. Col. R. W. Hare, D.S.O., Norf. R. 26th May 1917.

3rd Grade.—The date of the appt. of Capt. (temp. Maj.) R. G. Alexander, M.C., Ind. Cav., is 21st Feb. 1917, and not as in the Gazette of 31st May 1917.

A.G.'S AND Q.M.G.'S STAFF.

A.A. and Q.M.G.—Maj. C. R. Fryer, Res. of Off., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld. 15th July 1917.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Graded for purposes of pay as an A.Q.M.G.)—Lt.-Col. O. A. V., Lord Ampthill, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., from Bedf. R. 19th May 1917.

(Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Capts. whilst comdg. a Co. Officer Cadet Unit):—
Capt. F. D. Simpson, Worc. R., T.F., from 9th Mar. to 5th July 1917.
Capt. E. L. Stephenson, M.C., Dorset. R., and to be sec'd. 7th July 1917.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 1st Cl.):—Bt. Col. E. T. Paul, ret. pay, Ind. Army, relinquishes his appt. on account of ill-health. 22nd June 1917.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 2nd Cl.)—2nd Lt. (actg. Lt.) B. E. Langford, attd. E. Surr. R., to be transfd. to Gen. List, and to retain his actg. rank whilst so empld. 17th Apr. 1917.

(Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 3rd Cl.)—Temp. 2nd Lt. K. G. Henderson, Gen. List. 24th July 1917.

ATTACHED TO HD.-QRS. UNITS.

Staff Capt.—Capt. I. S. J. C. Maxwell, Cam'n Highrs., and to be sec'd., vice Capt. G. E. de St. C. Stevenson, R.W. Kent R. 15th July 1917.

Draft Conducting Officer (Graded for purposes of pay as a Staff Lt., 2nd Cl.)—Maj. A. McD. Moore, ret. pay, relinquishes his appt. 3rd Aug. 1917.

HD.QRS. OF ADMIN. SERVS. AND DEPTS.

Asst. Dir. of Railway Trans. (Graded for purposes of pay as an A.Q.M.G.)—Capt. (temp. Maj.) R. H. Stallard, R.E., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst so empld. 1st May 1917.

Railway Trans. Officers (Graded for purposes of pay as Staff Lts., 2nd Cl.). 14th July 1917:—

Capt, T. H. Wood, S. Lan. R., and to be sec'd.

Temp. Lt. S. E. Sale, R.A.

Temp. 2nd Lt. W. J. C. Barr, Sco. Rif., to be transfd. to Gen. List, and to be temp. Lt. whilst so empld.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.

Mil. Wing.—The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Sqdn. Comdr.—Lt. (temp. Capt.) L. T. N. Gould, M.C., R.A., from a Flight Comdr., and to be temp. Maj. whilst so empld. 19th July 1917.

Flight Comdr.—The appt. of Lt. (temp. Capt.) L. J. Bayly, R.A., notified in the Gazette of 6th Feb. 1917, is antedated to 4th Nov. 1916.

Flying Officers.—Temp. 2nd Lt. H. Arnold, Gen. List. 24th May 1917.

8th June 1917.

2nd Lt. E. D. Dent, Durh. L.I., T.F., and to be sec'd.

2nd Lt. N. C. Jones, R.F.A., T.F., and to be sec'd.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) S. T. Hosken, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank. 9th June 1917.

2nd Lt. (on prob.) J. A. MacKay, Spec. Res. 25th June 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. G. R. Rowe, Garr. Bn., North'd Fus., and to be transfd. to the R.F.C., Gen. List. 26th June 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) G. W. Armstrong, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank. 7th July 1917.

2nd Lt. H. S. Wellby, Lond. R., T.F., and to be sec'd. 9th July 1917.

11th July 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) D. M. McGown, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank.

2nd Lt. F. G. C. Weare, E. Kent R., and to be sec'd.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (on prob.) W. E. Theak, Gen. List, and to be confirmed in his rank.

12th July 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. D. Maclean, R. W. Surr. R., and to be transfd. to the R.F.C., Gen. List.