- As Maj.-M. A. M. van de Velde, 26th Apr.
- As Capt.—W. E. Knollys. 28th July 1916. S. N. Faulkner. 14th Sept. 1916.
- As Lt.--J. B. Ellard. 5th Nov. 1915. P. L. Collisson. 27th Mar. 1916. S. N. Cremer. 28th Apr. 1916. W. F. Baldwin. 3rd May 1916. F. Gale. 5th June 1916. H. N. Lee. 14th Sept. 1916.

The undermentioned are granted relative precedence as stated whilst empld. on the Audit Staff:-

As Capt.—From relative precedence as Lt. 1st Oct. 1916:-

H. N. Lee.

P. L. Collisson. W. F. Baldwin.

As Lt.—11th Oct. 1916:—

E. A. Stoodley.

A. Bragg.

S. N. Faulkner, with relative precedence as Capt., is granted relative precedence as Maj. 1st Oct. 1916.

The undermentioned relinquish relative precedence as stated on reverting to civil duties. 18th Dec. 1916:-

As Maj.—M. A. M. van de Velde.

As Lt.—S. N. Cremer. F. Gale.

GENERAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned Capts. to be Majs. 24th May 1916:-

H. A. Bros.

E. G. M. Swifte.

A. J. S. Roche-Kelly.

War Office, 27th August, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

Temp. Maj. N. Z. Emerson, D.S.O. (Capt., ret. pay) (Res. of Off.), from Trg. Res., to be temp. Maj. (attd.). 22 June 1917, with seniority 31 Oct. 1914.

Bedf. R.

Temp. Lt. J. Hislop, M.C., from actg. Capt., Trg. Res., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 28 June 1917, with seniority 10 Jan. 1916.

Lan. Fus.

Temp. Lt. J. B. Roth, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 12 Feb. 1917, with seniority 11 Mar. 1916.

R. W. Fus.

Temp. Lt. H. J. George, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 9 June 1917, with seniority 15 May 1916.

Worc. R.

Temp. 2nd Lt. P. Henstock, from a Garr. Bn., to be temp. 2nd Lt. (attd.). 1917, with seniority 15 Dec. 1916.

W. Rid. K.

Temp. Lt. L. G. S. Bolland, from actg. Capt., Trg. Res., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). Apr. 1917, with seniority 19 Nov. 1914.

S. Staff. R.

Temp. Lt. G. L. B. Evans, from a Serv. n., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 2 July 1917, Bn., to be temp. Lt. (attd.). with seniority 15 May 1916.

Dorset. R.

2nd Lt. Reginald McFarlane Alston Whitaker, from Unattd. List, T.F., to be temp. 2nd Lt. (attd.). 21 Aug. 1917.

Midd'x R.

Capt. P. H. Tomlinson, M.C. (S. Afr. Inf.), to be temp. Capt. (attd.). 24 June

Lt. A. Isaacs (S. Afr. Def. Force) to be temp. Lt. (attd.). 24 June 1917.

Service Battalions.

 $R.\ Scots.$

Temp. Capt. F. H. W. Guard, from Hamps. R., to be temp. Maj. 7 June 1917.

North'd Fus.

The promn. to the temp. rank of Lt. of temp. 2nd Lt. F. N. S. Lampard, M.C.,

notified in Gaz. 2 Aug. 1917, is cancelled.
Serjt. Hugh McDonald (H.L.I.) to be
temp. 2nd Lt. 7 Apr. 1917. (Since killed in action.)

R. Fus.

Temp. Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) G. C. R. Overton (Capt., Res. of Off.) to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 8 Mar. 1917, with seniority 6 June 1916, vice Capt. (temp. Lt.-Col.) S. Gubbins, D.S.O., vacated.
Temp. 2nd Lt. J. F. Gibbs relinquishes

his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon, rank of 2nd Lt.

Aug. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. T. M. Shepherd relinquishes his commission on account of illhealth caused by wounds, and is granted the hon, rank of 2nd Lt. 28 Aug. 1917. Temp. 2nd Lt. H. C. H. Hamilton relin-

quishes his commission on account of illhealth caused by wounds, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 28 Aug. 1917.

E. York. R.

Temp. Maj. C. G. Wellesley relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 20 Jan. 1917.

Temp. Lt. H. B. Fletcher relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 28 Aug. 1917.

The undermentioned Capts. to be actg. Lt.-Cols. while comdg. Bns. :-

B. L. Birley (R. Lanc. R.) (temp. Maj.). 4 May 1917.

P. J. Gout, M.C. (Ind. Army) (actg. Maj.) 17 May 1917.

D. of Corn. L.I.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. E. Archer relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon, rank of 2nd Lt. 28 Aug. 1917.

Oxf. & Bucks. L.I.

Maj. R. C. Dobbs, D.S.O. (R. Ir. Fus.), to be actg. Lt. Col. while comdg. a Bn. 2 June 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notifi-