

rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 2 July 1917, and to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 11 Aug. 1917.

Temp. Maj. A. P. H. Le Prevost (Notts. & Derby. R.) to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 22 June 1917.

Gord. Highrs.

Temp. Maj. J. G. Thom, D.S.O., M.C., relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 31 July 1917.

Temp. Maj. C. Reid (Capt., T.F.) to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Bn. 15 Aug. 1917.

R. Ir. Fus.

Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) F. W. E. Johnson to comd. a Bn., and to be temp. Lt.-Col. 18 Sept. 1917, with seniority 22 May 1917.

Rif. Brig.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. E. Ashcroft resigns his commission. 20 Oct. 1917.

Garrison Battalions.

Suff. R.

Temp. Lt. P. R. Bassett, from Lab. Corps, to be temp. Lt. 9 Jan. 1917, with seniority 11 Sept. 1916. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 17 July 1917, incorrectly specifying date.)

Bedf. R.

Temp. 2nd Lt. E. T. Symonds, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Lt. 11 Jan. 1917. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 13 Apr. 1917, page 3503, incorrectly specifying date.)

R. W. Fus.

Temp. 2nd Lt. W. Whitehead to be temp. Lt. 1 July 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. K. R. Young, from Lan. Fus., to be temp. 2nd Lt. 20 Oct. 1917, with seniority 18 Dec. 1914.

Worc. R.

Temp. 2nd Lt. S. E. Prodger to be temp. Lt. 12 Aug. 1917.

Oxf. & Bucks. L.I.

Temp. 2nd Lt. E. G. Prior to be temp. Lt. 1 Feb. 1916. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 26 July 1916, incorrectly specifying date.)

Yorks. L.I.

Temp. Capt. I. L. Harison, from a Serv. Bn., to be temp. Capt. 25 Sept. 1917, with seniority 29 May 1917.

High. L.I.

Temp. Lt. and Adjt. J. Mackenzie to be actg. Capt. 7 Aug. 1917, and to remain Adjt.

Transport Workers' Battalions.

Worc. R.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be temp. Capts.:—

14 Aug. 1917.

C. F. J. Swain.

N. W. Gurney.

H. W. Feaver.

Training Reserve.

Capt. A. M. Doveton (R. War. R., Spec. Res.) to be Capt. 21 Sept. 1917, retaining present seniority.

Infantry Battalions.

The undermentioned Majs. to be Majs., retaining present seniority:—

W. H. Sowerby (North'd Fus., T.F.) 16 Sept. 1917.

A. W. F. Pauli (R. War. R., T.F.). 18 Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. C. K. H. Wyche, from Suff. R., to be temp. 2nd Lt. 18 Sept. 1917, with seniority 10 Dec. 1915.

Labour Corps.

Brev. Col. J. H. Balfour (Ind. Army), ceases to be empld. with the Corps. 14 Sept. 1917.

Maj. and Hon. Lt.-Col. W. Howard (ret. List) is apptd. to the Corps in the rank of Maj. 28 June 1917, retaining present seniority.

Capt. W. Ruston (Devon. Yeo., T.F.) to be actg. Maj. while specially empld. 23 July 1917.

Temp. Capt. F. W. Brooke relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 20 Oct. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. M. Kelly relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Co. 14 May 1917.

Temp. Lt. A. R. Ainsworth, from R. Lanc. R. (attd.), to be Lt. (with seniority 5 Jan. 1915), and to be actg. Capt. 2 Aug. 1917.

Temp. Lt. R. O'Neil, from Worc. R., to be temp. Lt. 25 July 1917, with seniority 8 July 1916.

Peter Anderson to be temp. 2nd Lt. 6 Oct. 1917.

General List.

Temp. Capt. F. Q. Mansfield, from Ches. R., to be temp. Capt. 25 May 1917, with seniority 29 June 1916.

Temp. Lt. J. M. Craig, from Bord. R. (attd.), to be temp. Lt. 8 Sept. 1917, with seniority 30 Dec. 1914.

Memorandum.

Maj. Sir J. L. Harrington, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., C.B. (ret., Ind. Army), late temp. Lt.-Col., comdg. Serv. Bn., S. Lan. R., to be granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 16 May 1916.

OVERSEA CONTINGENTS.

B. W. Indies Regt.

Temp. 2nd Lt. R. C. P. Ripley to be temp. Lt. 1 July 1917.

War Office,

19th October, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

Service Battalions.

Devon R.

The promotion to the temp. rank of Lt. of temp. 2nd Lt. F. W. Girvan, notified in the Gaz. of 13 Oct. 1917, bears date 6 May 1917, as stated in the Gaz. of 14 Sept. 1917.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. Dated 1 July 1917:—

R. Scots.

E. B. O. Bourchier.