

actg. Maj., W. Rid. R., and to be sec'd. 1st Oct. 1917.

Capt. R. B. L. Hatch, Bedf. R., from temp. Maj., and to be sec'd. 9th Oct. 1917.

MEMORANDA.

Maj.-Gen. Sir F. T. Clayton, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., having attained the age limit, retires on ret. pay. 7th Oct. 1917.

Bt. Col. (temp. Brig.-Gen.) N. J. G. Cameron, C.M.G., Cam'n Highrs., to be temp. Maj.-Gen. 20th Oct. 1917.

The undermentioned Cols. to be temp. Brig.-Gens. whilst empld. as Chief Engineers 11th Sept. 1917:—

W. R. Stewart, C.B.
H. Huleatt.

Bt. Col. (temp. Maj.-Gen.) C. E. Pereira, C.M.G., from Lt.-Col., C. Gds., to be Col. 29th Nov. 1917.

Maj. L. D. Spencer, K.O. Sco. Bord., is granted the local rank of Lt.-Col. whilst empld. as a Mil. Gov. 29th Nov. 1917.

Temp. Maj. J. Barrett-Lennard, attd. S. Wales Bord., is transf'd. to Gen. List for empl't. as Interpreter. 13th Sept. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Majors whilst comdg. Divl. Signal Cos. 28th Sept. 1917:—

Capt. and Bt. Maj. G. E. Sampson, D.S.O., R. Innis. Fus.

Capt. R. A. C. Henderson, Cam'n Highrs.

The undermentioned temp. Capts. relinquish their commns. 6th Nov. 1917:—

John Duguid.
Alfred F. Camp.

Temp. Capt. W. C. St. J. Partridge relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. 29th Nov. 1917.

Temp. Lt. J. F. B. Vidal, M.C., R.E., to be temp. Capt. whilst empld. as a Works Manager. 15th Aug. 1917.

Lt. J. F. Sanders, Devon. R., T.F., to be temp. Capt. (without the pay or allowances of that rank) whilst empld. as an attd. Officer. 29th Sept. 1917.

Temp. Lt. J. H. B. White, R. Dub. Fus., relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Trench Mortar Batt. 18th Aug. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 3rd Nov. 1917.)

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts.:—

Whilst comdg. a Prisoners of War Co.:—

Temp. Lt. R. Fidler, R. Berks. R. 28th July 1917.

2nd Lt. G. F. Grove, Manch. R., T.F. 12th Sept. 1917.

Temp. Lt. J. R. Ferris, Canadian Local Forces, whilst empld. as Chief Instr. of a School of Instn. 29th Sept. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. H. F. Lipscomb, whilst in comd. of a Port Construction Co. 8th Nov. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts. (with pay and allowances as Lt.) whilst holding the appt. of Adj't. 3rd Aug. 1917:—

Lt. E. C. Somner, R. Scots.
Lt. D. S. Allan, Arg. & Suth'd Highrs.

2nd Lt. F. A. Hagues, North'n R., T.F.
Temp. 2nd Lt. C. J. H. Linton, Devon. R.

Lt. J. P. Home-Rigg, Yeo., T.F.
Temp. 2nd Lt. E. V. Townshend, Gen. List.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) W. I. Abbott, from Linc. R., is transf'd. to Gen. List as temp. Lt., for duty with Inland Waterways and Docks. 6th Nov. 1917.

W. J. Dutch to be temp. Lt. for service with W. Afr. Frontier Force. 9th July 1917.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. 1st Nov. 1917:—

H. S. Dixon.
S. H. Morden.

The undermentioned to be temp. Lts. for service with the Forces in East Africa. 29th Nov. 1917:—

D. J. Blin.
R. A. Aston.

2nd Lt. J. Arthur, h.p. List, retires on ret. pay on account of ill-health contracted on active service. 20th Oct. 1917.

Gerald Lewis to be temp. 2nd Lt. for duty with Inland Water Trans. 15th Oct. 1917.

2nd Lt. J. M. Yorke, from Unatt. List, T.F., to be temp. 2nd Lt., Gen. List, for duty with Inland Water Trans. 6th Nov. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts. (with pay and allowances as Lt.) whilst holding the appt. of Adj't. 3rd Aug. 1917:—

Lt. C. Pooley, M.C., D. Gds.
Lt. J. C. Piggott, C. Gds.
2nd Lt. R. F. R. Becher, Sco. Rif.
Temp. 2nd Lt. W. C. Stevens, M.C., Worc. R.

Temp. 2nd Lt. A. D. Layton, M.C., E. Lan. R.

Lt. K. N. Bion, M.C., Notts. & Derby. R.
Lt. D. W. Sutthery, Sea. Highrs.
Lt. J. A. Davison, M.C., Rif. Brig.
2nd Lt. W. Harrison, L'pool R.
Lt. C. Parvin, Bord. R.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

RESERVE UNITS.

CAVALRY.

K.E. Horse.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts., and to remain sec'd. 1st July 1917:—

P. A. Mules.
W. G. Helpman.
M. L. Burke.
J. E. Ferrario, M.C.
W. A. Miller.

2nd Lt. (on prob.) P. A. Mules is confirmed in his rank.

INFANTRY.

R.W. Surr. R.—2nd Lt. G. D. G. Bottomley to be Lt. 1st July 1917.

Suff. R.—The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts. 1st July 1917:—

R. Theobald, M.C.
R. W. V. Palmer.
R. T. Larkins.