Lt. L. C. Vernon to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Co. from 16th Aug. to 24th Nov.

ROYAL HORSE AND ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

Maj. T. W. Pearson to be actg. Lt.-Col. 8th Jan. 1916. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 3rd Sept. 1917.)

2nd Lt. T. Shelford, R.F.A., to be Adjt., and to be actg. Lt. whilst so empld. May 1917.

2nd Lt. (actg. Lt. and Adjt.) T. Shelford, R.F.A., is granted the actg. rank of Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt., whilst

holding the appt. of Adjt. 3rd Aug. 1917. 2nd Lt. J. Dean to be Adjt., and is granted the actg. rank of Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt., whilst holding the appt. of Adjt. 1st Nov. 1917.

Capt. and Adjt. D. Hay vacates the appt.

of Adjt. 1st Nov. 1917. Lt. E. H. Coleman to be Adjt., and is granted the actg. rank of Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt., whilst holding the appt. of Adjt. 23rd Nov. 1917.

Maj. N. P. R. Preeston, R.F.A., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Bde. July 1917.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) W. G. O. Cutbill to be actg. Maj. whilst comdg. a Battery. 5th Oct. 1917.

2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) F. W. Mellor, M.C., to be actg. Capt. whilst empld. as 2nd in Command of a Battery. 5th Oct. 1917:

The undermentioned relinquish the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to command Bat-

Capt. (actg. Maj.) T. B. Pritchett, M.C. 13th Sept. 1917.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) M. S. Hayes, M.C. 16th Aug. 1917.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) E. H. Johnson relinquishes actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to be empld. as 2nd in Command of a Battery.

18th Aug. 1917. 2nd Lt. W. D. Jenkins resigns his commission on account of ill-health contracted on active service, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 8th Dec. 1917.

2nd Lt. Francis Van Praet, from Div. Cyc. Co., T.F., to be 2nd Lt. 24th Nov. 1917.

## ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) H. T. Davies to be actg. Maj. whilst comdg. a Field Co. 8th Oct. 1917.

'Lt. F. R. Whitten to be actg. Capt. whilst 2nd in Command of a Field Co. 18th Sept. 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 30th Oct. 1917.)

The undermentioned Adjts. relinquish the actg. rank of Capt. 1st Oct. 1917:-

Lt. (actg. Capt.) C. W. M. Potts.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) J. T. F. Henderson,

The undermentioned Adjts. relinquish temp. rank of Capt. 1st Oct. 1917:—

Lt. (temp. Capt.) V. F. Eberle.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) J. Russell, M.C. Lt. (temp. Capt.) (now actg. Maj.) J. S. Secker.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) K. N. Moss.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) M. E. W. FitzGerald.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) G. D. Aspland.

(temp. Capt.) S. H. Lt. Morgan, A.M.I.C.E.

The undermentioned to be actg. Capts., with pay and allowances of Lt. whilst empld. as Adjts.:-

Lt. C. W. M. Potts. Lt. J. T. F. Henderson, M.C. Lt. V. F. Eberle. Lt. J. Russell, M.C.

Lt. (now actg. Maj.) J. S. Secker.

Lt. K. N. Moss.

Lt. M. E. W. FitzGerald. Lt. G. D. Aspland. Lt. S. H. Morgan, A.M.I.C.E.

Lt. (actg. Capt., without pay and allowances) (now -actg. Maj.) J. S. Secker vacates the appt. as Adjt. 1st Nov. 1917.

The promotion to Lt. of 2nd Lt. W. E. Shaw, which appeared in the Gazette of 7th Nov. 1917, is cancelled.

2nd Lt. W. E. Shaw to be Lt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Lt. C. S. Innes. 1st July 1917. (Substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 24th Nov. 1917.)

The undermentioned to be Lts. 1st July 1917:-

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. J. Davis, and to retain temp. rank of Capt..

2nd Lt. L. Worth.

2nd Lt. J. Allner. 2nd Lt. J. W. Rough. 2nd Lt. C. W. Milne, and is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. W. A. Wyllie.

2nd Lt. G. A. Manning, M.C. (since killed in action).

2nd Lt. S. J. Gurney.

2nd Lt. F. E. Applegate, and to remain seconded.

2nd Lt. F. O. Stephenson, and is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. C. L. Sinclair.

2nd Lt. N. D. Phillips.

2nd Lt. N. B. Date.

2nd Lt. G. H. Simmons. 2nd Lt. A. Durst, and is restored to the

2nd Lt. F. Baxter, and to remain seconded.

2nd Lt. L. D. Blanc.

2nd Lt. F. R. Kirkland.

2nd Lt. G. Taylor, and is restored to the

2nd Lt. P. R. Cook, and is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. A. G. Wheeler, and is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. E. E. Lofting.

2nd Lt. C. H. E. Bridgen, and is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. T. H. G. Rogers.

2nd Lt. J. Wilson is restored to the estabt.

2nd Lt. A. Murray-Smith. 2nd Lt. A. S. Lilley.

2nd Lt. M. Vine, and is restored to the estbt.

2nd Lt. H. E. Rolley, and is restored to the estbt.

2nd Lt. H. W. Lockton. 2nd Lt. J. B. Brown.

2nd Lt. G. W. Ruddle, and is restored to the estbt.

2nd Lt. H. R. Richards.