

and to be actg. Capt. with pay and allowances of a Lt. whilst so empld. 24th Jan. 1918.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) W. Adamson relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to be empld. as Adj. 24th Jan. 1918.

Lt. P. P. Fielding to be Adj., vice Maj. F. Robinson. 1st Jan. 1918.

Lt. P. P. Fielding to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of a Lt., whilst holding the appt. of Adj. 1st Jan. 1918.

The undermentioned Lts. (actg. Capts.) relinquish the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to comd. a Coy. :—

H. V. Sampson. 1st Sept. 1917.

E. Pilling. 11th Oct. 1917.

The undermentioned officers to be actg. Capts. whilst comdg. a Coy. :—

Lt. A. S. Jones. 24th Oct. 1917.

2nd Lt. H. Leater. 25th Oct. 1917.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) A. B. Wightman relinquishes actg. rank of Capt. (additional). 1st Sept. 1917.

Lt. A. B. Wightman to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Coy., from 1st Sept. 1917 to 10th Oct. 1917.

York & Lancaster Regt.—The undermentioned Lts. to be actg. Capts. whilst comdg. a Coy. 12th Dec. 1917 :—

E. L. H. Dunkerton.

G. C. Beetham.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. E. H. Scupham relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt. 1st June 1916.

2nd Lt. W. E. H. Scupham to be Lt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, and to remain seconded. 26th June 1917.

(Substituted for the announcements which appeared in the Gazette of 25th June, 1917.)

Highland L.I.—2nd Lt. C. Findlay to be Lt., next below D. M. Cameron, and to remain seconded. 1st July 1917.

2nd Lt. R. M. Anderson to be Lt., next above Lt. R. S. Brown, and to remain seconded. 1st July 1917.

2nd Lt. R. W. N. Evans to be Lt., next below Lt. E. Ross. 1st July 1917.

Lt. G. H. Warren to be actg. Capt. whilst comdg. a Coy. 9th Nov. 1917.

Seaforth Highlanders.—2nd Lt. (actg. Capt.) R. C. S. Ross relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. (additional). 7th Dec. 1917.

2nd Lt. R. C. S. Ross to be Adj., and to be actg. Capt., with pay and allowances of Lt. whilst so empld., vice Capt. T. H. Peverell, M.C. 7th Dec. 1917.

Gordon Highlanders.—2nd Lt. M. Hendry resigns his commission on account of ill-health, caused by wounds received in action, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 24th Jan. 1918.

Argyll & Suth'd Highrs.—Capt. P. A. Kirsop, M.C. (attd. Suff. Regt.) is restored to the estbt. 31st Dec. 1917.

London Regt.—Capt. A. F. Marchmont, M.C., to be Maj. 13th Apr. 1917.

The promotion of Capt. E. B. Ruber to bear date of 13th Apr. 1917, and not as stated in the Gazette of 24th Dec. 1917.

The promotion of Capt. J. C. Gain to bear date 19th Apr. 1917, and not as stated in the Gazette of 24th Dec. 1917.

Lt. R. T. E. Salisbury-Jones to be Capt., and to remain seconded. 5th Sept. 1917.

Lt. W. S. Sharpe to be Capt. 5th Sept. 1917.

Lt. G. N. Hunter to be Capt., with precedence as from 1st June 1916, next below Capt. C. R. W. Attenborough, and to remain seconded. 13th Dec. 1917.

Lt. S. H. Stedman to be actg. Capt. (additional). 6th Oct. 1917.

The undermentioned Lts. to be actg. Capts. whilst comdg. a Coy. :—

5th Jan. 1918.

W. H. Kirby.

V. F. Kelly.

Lt.-Col. P. E. Langworthy-Parry, Lond. Regt., to temporarily command a Bn. 3rd Jan. 1918.

Maj. R. G. Wrightson relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to command a Bn. 2nd Jan. 1918.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) B. de V. Hardcastle to be Capt. 2nd Nov. 1917.

Lt. L. Holt to be Capt. 2nd Nov. 1917.

Lt. P. N. Knight to be Capt., and to remain seconded. 6th Jan. 1918.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) L. H. G. Stafford to be Capt. 6th Jan. 1918.

2nd Lt. D. Hoare resigns his commission on account of ill-health caused by active service, and is granted the hon. rank of 2nd Lt. 24th Jan. 1918.

Lt. F. H. Crawford to be actg. Capt. (additional). 5th Oct. 1917.

Cyclist Bn.—Capt. L. B. Meredith to have precedence as from 1st June 1916.

Capt. A. E. Lowe to have precedence as from 1st June 1916.

The undermentioned officers to have precedence in the order now stated :—

Capt. J. B. Laurance.

Capt. J. Stanley.

Capt. L. H. Hopkins.

Captain L. B. Meredith.

Capt. A. E. Lowe.

Capt. A. P. Aubrey.

Capt. W. Hunnybun.

Capt. C. Mellows.

Capt. H. L. Dymoke.

Capt. H. Pentelow.

Capt. H. D. Beeby.

CHAPLAINS DEPT.

The Rev. J. H. Miller, M.A., Chaplain to the T.F., 4th Class, to be temp. Chaplain to the T.F., 1st Class, whilst actg. as an Asst. Principal Chaplain, vice Rev. J. T. Bird, C.M.G. 1st Dec. 1917.

ROYAL DEFENCE CORPS.

Lt. J. R. Clarke, Yorks. L.I., ceases to be empld. with R.D.C. 7th Jan. 1918.

Capt. H. F. Litchfield, York & Lanc. Regt., to be Capt., and to be Adj., vice Capt. C. A. E. Chudleigh, Leic. Regt., who ceases to be empld. with R.D.C. 29th Oct. 1917.

2nd Lt. F. S. Wilks, from R.D.C., to be 2nd Lt., and retains his seniority. 7th Jan. 1918.