

MEMORANDA.

Col. H. K. Jackson, C.B., D.S.O., having attained the age limit, is placed on ret. pay, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. 27th Dec. 1917.

Maj. C. J. M. Thornhill, Ind. Inf., to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst specially empld. 5th Jan. 1918.

Capt. H. L. Ismay, Ind. Army, to be temp. Maj. for service with Somaliland Ind. Contingent. 31st Oct. 1917.

The undermentioned are granted actg. rank as follows:—

As Maj.—Temp. Capt. J. E. G. Ransome, from 1st to 24th Sept. 1917.

As Capt.—Temp. Lt. A. A. Seldon. 28th Sept. 1917.

The initials of temp. Capt. J. E. G. Ransome, K. Afr. Rif., are as now described, and not as in the Gazettes of 3rd Dec. 1915 and 10th Aug. 1917.

Capt. E. A. Phillpott, h.p. list, retires on ret. pay on account of ill-health contracted on active service. 2nd Feb. 1918.

The undermentioned are transfd. to Gen. List for service with W. Afr. Frontier Force. 25th Sept. 1917:—

Temp. Capt. H. S. Harris, R. Fus.

Temp. Lt. S. T. Pike, R. Fus.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be temp. Cpts. 1st Jan. 1918:—

G. F. Blakesley.

H. C. Mortimer.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. relinquish the actg. rank of Capt.:—

A. J. Statham, on ceasing to be empld. as Asst. Instr., School of Mortars. 26th Oct. 1917.

H. J. Darville, on ceasing to comd. Divl. Trench Mortars. 3rd Nov. 1917.

The undermentioned to be actg. Cpts.—

2nd Lt. (actg. Lt.) W. B. Dowson, L'pool R., whilst comd. a Trench Mortar Batt. 28th Oct. 1917.

Whilst comd. Wireless Sections. 16th Nov. 1917:—

Lt. F. M. J. White, R. Berks. R., T.F.

2nd Lt. F. L. Robertson M.C.

Temp. Lt. J. A. Slater, R.F.A., whilst empld. with R.E. 27th Dec. 1917.

Lt. J. T. Phillips, Mon. R., T.F., whilst empld. with Inland Waterways and Docks. 1st Jan. 1918.

Temp. Lt. B. Jordan to take rank and precedence in the Army as if his appt. thereto bore date 1st Apr. 1917.

2nd Lt. I. H. Mosley, H.A.C., T.F., to be secd. and to be temp. Lt. whilst holding the appt. of Adj. of a School of Instn. 20th Apr. 1917, and to be actg. Capt. (with pay and allowances as Lt.) whilst so empld., from 3rd Aug. 1917. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 14th Nov. 1917.)

The notification in the Gazette of 4th Dec. 1917 regarding 2nd Lt. (temp. Lt.) I. H. Mosley, H.A.C., T.F., is cancelled.

Alexander Gemmell to be temp. Lt. for duty with Inland Waterways and Docks. 1st Jan. 1918. (Substituted for the notification under "Corps of Royal Engineers" in the Gazette of 7th Jan. 1918.)

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. to be temp. Lts. and to retain their actg. rank where specified:—

1st July 1917.

L. A. Beale.

L. B. Bulkley.

J. D. Vincent, M.C.

M. Whelpton.

V. R. King.

H. B. Waters.

L. Nicholls.

W. H. Belcher.

F. H. Lucraft.

E. J. Lassen.

J. S. Jerome.

P. Jennings.

E. J. H. Twigg.

A. Lodge.

R. M. Scott.

A. R. M. Perring.

H. H. Hirst.

H. T. Thorp.

H. R. O. Drake.

A. E. W. Dean.

S. G. Beazley.

W. Roscoe.

A. O. Laurie.

S. A. Moore.

C. H. Ogden.

A. Kent.

J. J. Sheridan.

A. H. Neilson.

J. E. G. Moreton.

T. N. Scott.

W. E. Dennis.

A. Watt, M.C.

J. A. Cooper.

H. Greenhough.

J. S. Collingwood.

V. C. A. Bovet.

N. Gregory.

H. E. Hyett.

T. C. Farmer, M.C.

G. D. Evershed.

H. A. Hegarty.

E. V. Marsh.

W. King.

F. L. Robertson, M.C.

G. Collis-Barry.

(Actg. Capt.) A. L. Harris, M.C.

J. T. H. Jackson.

P. J. Chaplin.

A. W. Marsh.

A. H. Shattock.

W. S. Hart.

H. J. Ost.

J. E. Thorne.

A. C. Riddelsdell.

F. C. Andrews. 8th July 1917.

C. R. Betts. 20th July 1917.

H. G. Kirby. 22nd July 1917.

H. G. Morcom. 29th July 1917.

1st Aug. 1917.

H. E. Storey.

F. J. Bendle.

G. H. Thompson. 31st Oct. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. T. W. Stodart to be temp. Lt. for service with K. Afr. Rif. 7th Nov. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. J. D. Petty, E. York. R., to be actg. Lt. whilst empld. as 2nd in Comd. of a Trench Mortar Batt. 20th Nov. 1917.

2nd Lt. F. C. Rolfe, h.p. list, retires on ret. pay. 9th Jan. 1918.