

*Colonel (Equipment).*

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) R. H. Austin-Sparks, and to be temp. Col. whilst so empld. 3rd July 1918.

*Staff Officers, 1st Class.*

And to be temp. Lt.-Cols. whilst so empld. if not already holding that rank:—

(Air.)

Capt. (temp. Maj.) G. M. G., Visct. Maidstone. 15th Apr. 1918.

Maj. (temp. Lt.-Col.) Hon. J. D. Boyle, D.S.O. 18th Apr. 1918.

Maj. H. A. R. Aubrey, M.C. 5th May 1918.

*Staff Officers, 2nd Class.*

H. Campbell, D.S.O. (Lt.-Col. in Army, T.F.), and is granted a temp. commn. as Lt.-Col. 1st Apr. 1918. (Substituted for notification in the Gazette 3rd May 1918.)

E. W. Simpson (Capt., Arg. & Suth'd Highrs., T.F.), and is granted a temp. commn. as Capt., and to be temp. Maj. whilst so empld. 11th Apr. 1918. (Substituted for notification in the Gazette 3rd May 1918.)

*Staff Officers, 3rd Class.*

Capt. H. de B. C. Garfit. 11th May 1918.

(P.)

Lt. A. H. Goldie, and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empld. 16th May 1918.

(Q.)

Lt. (temp. Capt.) F. W. Angus, and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld. 1st May 1918.

*FLYING BRANCH.*

The undermentioned Lts. to be temp. Capts. whilst empld. as Capts. (A. & S.):—

E. C. Johnson. 16th June 1918.

J. I. T. Jones. 19th June 1918.

B. C. Jones. 20th June 1918.

(Hon. Capt.) H. R. de Wilde. 30th June 1918.

1st July 1918.

J. A. Craig.

W. C. Gardiner.

H. A. Oakes.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) C. A. Stevens, M.C., relinquishes the appointment of S.O.3, and retains his temp. rank whilst empld. as Capt. (A. & S.). 27th May 1918.

Lt. (Hon. Capt.) F. R. Sadd to be temp. Capt. whilst empld. as Capt. (K.B.). 1st Apr. 1918.

H. E. Johnston (Lt., British Columbia R., C.E.F.) is granted a temp. commn. as 2nd Lt. (A. & S.), and to be Hon. Lt. 24th Apr. 1918.

A. L. Coulson (Prob. Flight Officer, late R.N.A.S.) is granted a temp. commn. as 2nd Lt. (A. & S.). 29th May 1918.

The undermentioned Flight Cadets are granted temp. commns. as 2nd Lts. (A. & S.):—

Bernard Sydney Case. 24th May 1918.

Stewart Clarke McLeod. 27th May 1918.

Arthur Gerald Longson. 29th May 1918.

Leslie Walter Thres. 30th May 1918.

31st May 1918.

Percy Frederick Mitchell.

Neil Shaw Muir.

Owen Theodore Lashmore.

William Geary.

Herbert Leslie Prime. 2nd June 1918.

Frank Eric Watts. 3rd June 1918.

4th June 1918.

Oswald Gordon Gregson.

James Taylor Aitken.

Edward Arthur Richard Lee.

Alfred William Fisher.

Percival Leslie Watney.

6th June 1918.

Albert Vail Cosgrove.

Frederick William Cannon.

Harry Walker.

7th June 1918.

George Henry Pitt.

Frederick William Jones.

Herbert Alfred Morley.

Henry William Francis Rendall.

8th June 1918.

George Ernest Stevens.

Bernard George Lees.

Ernest John Freestone.

Charles Robert Plant. 9th June 1918.

Edmund Henry Searle. 11th June 1918.

12th June 1918.

Robert Aubrey Hastings Lloyd.

Thomas Charles Herman.

Noel Frederick Bishop.

13th June 1918.

Lionel Hector Tracey Ashburner.

George Jarvis Farnworth.

Ogilvie Morrison Smith.

William Cox.

Alfred Stanley George Rodway. 14th June 1918.

Henry Ernest Warner. 20th June 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (late Gen. List, R.F.C., on prob.) are confirmed in their rank as 2nd Lts. (Observer Officers):—

12th June 1918.

F. A. Lewis.

N. M. Dales.

T. S. Chilton.

L. R. P. Backhouse.

A. Lowe.

21st June 1918.

W. H. Bentley.

B. Hurdus.

23rd June 1918.

W. W. Hewitt.

W. Forbes.

24th June 1918.

H. C. J. Routledge.

E. S. Coombes.

R. Carnie.

29th June 1918.

E. H. Cooke.

F. R. Oddy.

The undermentioned are granted temp. commns. as 2nd Lts. (Observer Officers):—

12th June 1918.

J. W. Lunn (Lt., Highland Cyc. Bn., T.F.), and to be Hon. Lt.

J. Rudkin (temp. 2nd Lt., Res. R. of Cav.).

W. Tinsley (2nd Lt., Lond. R., T.F.).

H. R. Goss (temp. 2nd Lt., E. York. R.).