

71st (*W. Riding*) *Field Bde.*—Lt. H. S. Barker, R.A., to be Adj. and is granted the temp. rank of Capt. T.A. (with pay and allces. of a Lt.) whilst holding that appt. 13th Dec. 1927.

98th (*Surrey & Sussex Yeo.*) *Field Bde.*—Capt. A. A. Marson, M.C. (Maj. Res. of Off.), resigns his commn. in the T.A. 8th Feb. 1928.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

44th (*Home Counties*) *Divl. Engrs.*—2nd Lt. R. C. Matthews to be Lt. 8th Nov. 1927.

51st (*Highland*) *Divl. Engrs.*—Maj. H. S. Tawse to be Lt.-Col. 21st Dec. 1927.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

47th (*2nd Lond.*) *Divl. Sigs.*—Hon. Col. G. Smith, T.D., resigns the appt. of Hon. Col. and retains his rank with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. 4th Feb. 1928.

INFANTRY.

7th *Bn. Cheshire R.*—2nd Lt. H. R. Reed to be Lt. 8th Nov. 1927.

4th *Bn. K.O.S.B.*—Walter Hermann Ballantyne (late Cadet, Westminster Sch. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C.), to be 2nd Lt. 4th Nov. 1927.

4th *Bn. Gordons*—2nd Lt. R. F. Crabb to be Lt. 8th Nov. 1927.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

General List—Maj. H. E. S. Richards, M.C., M.D., T.D., having attained the age limit, is ret. and retains his rank with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. 3rd Feb. 1928.

Lt. E. Holmes, M.B., to be Capt. 18th Jan. 1928.

Lt. F. A. Smorfitt to be Capt. 24th Jan. 1928.

Lt. F. C. Lewis to be Capt. 24th Jan. 1928.

TERRITORIAL ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Miss Caroline F. Bayly, A.R.R.C., to be Matron, 2nd Northern Gen. Hosp. 20th Jan. 1928.

GENERAL LIST.

OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS.

Cheltenham College Contgt., Jun. Div.—Lt. A. E. Rogers, from Worksop Coll. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C., to be Lt. 25th Jan. 1928.

TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

GENERAL LIST.

INFANTRY.

Lt. E. R. Harries, M.C., from Gen. List, T.A. (Aberystwyth Univ. Coll. Contgt., Sen. Div., O.T.C.), to be Lt. 8th Feb. 1928.

REGIMENTAL LIST.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

74th (*Northumbrian*) *Field Bde.*—Capt. C. S. Blackwood, from Active List, to be Capt. 8th Feb. 1928.

78th (*Lowland*) *Field Bde.*—Capt. T. D. Noble, from Active List, to be Capt. 8th Feb. 1928.

85th (*E. Anglian*) *Field Bde.*—Lt. J. Brewitt, from Active List, to be Lt. 8th Feb. 1928.

INFANTRY.

6th *Bn. Cameronians*—Lt. J. W. T. Leith, M.C., from Active List, to be Lt. 8th Feb. 1928.

MEMORANDUM.

Lt. A. C. Dutton, D.F.C., late 4th Bn. R.W.K., on enlistment into the ranks, resigns the rank of Lt. which he was permitted to retain in the Gazette of 19th Dec. 1921. 5th Dec. 1927.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant for the County of Merioneth.

Thomas Williams Piggott, Esquire, to be a Deputy Lieutenant.—Dated 3rd February, 1928.

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Air Ministry,

7th February, 1928.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flying Officer (now Flight Lt.) Robert Henry HORNIMAN is granted a permanent commission. 1st Nov. 1927.

Squadron Leader John Joseph BREEN is placed on the half-pay list, scale B. 6th Feb. 1928.

STORES BRANCH.

Flight Lt. George BAKER is placed on the half-pay list, scale B. 1st Feb. 1928.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Pilot Officer on probation Richard Stewart SWEET is confirmed in rank and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 4th Dec. 1927.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lt. 1st Feb. 1928:—

George Edgar CHURCH, M.B.

Ernest John JENKINS.

Flight Lt. Griffith John GRIFFITHS is transferred to the Reserve, Class D.ii. 11th Feb. 1928.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flight Lt. Albert Edward WOODBRIDGE ceases to be employed with the Regular Air Force. 1st Feb. 1928.

Pilot Officer Ian Chisholm HORTON is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 4th Feb. 1928.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred from Class A to Class C:—

Thomas BREWIN. 24th Oct. 1927.

Donald Phillips CAMERON, M.B.E. 7th Feb. 1928.

Flying Officer Harold George HERBERT relinquishes his commission on completion of service. 18th Sept. 1927.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

The undermentioned to be Chaplain with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—

No. 603 *City of Glasgow (Bombing) Sqdn.*:—

The Rev. William Buchanan Cullen BUCHANAN. 7th Feb. 1928.