

Addendum to S.S. 627—"Recommendations of Officers for Command and for Appointment to, and Advancement on, the Staff."

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At the end of para. 3 (c) insert—

"Staff Captain for counter-battery work Corps.

Staff Lieutenant (for reconnaissance) Corps Heavy Artillery."

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From Divisions to Corps ... On 20th January, 20th April, 20th July and 20th October.
From Corps to Army H.Q. ... On 1st February, 1st May, 1st August and 1st November.

2. Lists will be submitted through the usual channels to the Assistant Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, of the names, in order of merit, of all officers recommended for:—

(a) The command of a Division in the Field.

(b) The command of an Infantry Brigade in the Field.

A separate list will be submitted by each Division for each class of appointment specified in (2) in the form shewn in Appendix "A." These lists will, as far as possible, be collated and placed in order of merit by Corps Commanders.

3. Lists will be submitted through the usual channels to the Assistant Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, of the names of all officers recommended for the following appointments in the form shown in Appendix "B." These lists will not be placed in order of merit, but, if any officer is specially recommended for accelerated advancement, his name will be starred on the list, and the special recommendation, with the reasons for it, will be recorded on the Army Form W.3723 rendered in regard to this officer. Only officers of really outstanding merit should be starred.

(c) Any of the following appointments in the R.A.:—

G.O.C., R.A. of a Corps.
B.G., R.A. of a Division.
B.G., R.A. of a Corps Heavy Artillery.
S.O., R.A. Corps.
B.M., R.A. of a Division.
B.M., R.A. of a Corps Heavy Artillery.
Lieut.-Colonel for counter-battery work.
Staff Captain R.A. of Corps.
Staff Officer (for reconnaissance) Corps.
Staff Lieut. (for reconnaissance) Division.
Staff Captain, R.A., Corps Heavy Artillery and Division.
Command of Brigade, R.F.A.
Command of Heavy Artillery Group.
Command of Divisional Ammunition Column.

(d) Any of the following appointments in the Royal Engineers:—

C.E., Army.
C.E., Corps.
S.O. to C.E.
C.R.E., Army or Corps Troops.
C.R.E. of a Division.

It should be noted that R.A. and R.E. officers may also be put forward for other staff appointments and commands.

(e) The following staff appointments:—

B.G.G.S.	D.A. and Q.M.G. of a Corps.
G.S.O. 1.	A.A.G.
G.S.O. 2.	D.A.A.G.
Brig.-Major.	A.A. and Q.M.G.
G.S.O. 3.	A.Q.M.G.
	D.A.Q.M.G.
	Staff Captain.

NOTE.—A separate list will be submitted by each Division for each class of appointment specified in (3) in the form shown in Appendix "B."

4. These quarterly lists will be supported by detailed recommendations, which will be submitted with the quarterly lists in quadruplicate, on Army Form W.3723 (obtainable from the Army Printing and Stationery Depots).

A separate form will be used for each officer.

Reports on all officers holding the following appointments will be submitted on Army Form W.3723 through the usual channels to the Assistant Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, whether they are recommended for advancement or not:—

G.S.O. 1.	A.A.G.	A.Q.M.G.
G.S.O. 2.	D.A.A.G.	D.A.Q.M.G.
	A.A. & Q.M.G.	