Engr. Capt. W. Hart (retd.) to be Engr. Rear-Admiral (retd.). 14th July 1925.

R.N.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following officers:-

Lieut.-Cdr. E. A. A. Crowley. Lieut.-Cdr. A. F. Watchlin, O.B.E.

R.N.V.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following officer:-

Lieut.-Cdr. E. Elgood.

Proby. Surgeon Sub-Lieut. H. O'Connor to be Surgeon Sub-Lieut., with seny. of 28th May

War Office,

31st July, 1925.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:-A.Q.M.G.—Col. G. H. Martin, C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E., vice Col. E. N. Broadbent, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O. 20th July 1925.

Col. on the Staff, i/c of Admin.—Col. E. N. Broadbent, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., and to be temp. Col. on the Staff whilst so empld., vice Col. J. D. McLachlan, C.B., C.M.G. D.S.O., who relinquishes the temp. rank of Col. on the Staff. 20th July 1925.

CAVALRY.

3rd/6th D.G.—Lt. R. S. Douglas resigns his commn. 1st Aug. 1925.

11th H.—Lt. H. Finch to be Adjt. vice Capt. H. A. Jaffray. 1st Aug. 1925.

12th L.—Capt. J. de Pret, M.C., retires, receiving a gratuity. 1st Aug. 1925.

Capt. R. E. Vine is restd. to the estabt. 1st Aug. 1925.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned are restd. to the estabt. 1st Aug. 1925:-

Maj. J. H. Thom, D.S.O.

Capt. E. B. de Fonblanque. Lt. A. C. W. Little, M.C., h.p. list, late R.A., to be Lt., 9th July 1925, with precedence next below F. C. Bartlett.

Lt. L. H. Boyle is placed on the h.p. list on account of ill-health. 1st Aug. 1925.

INFANTRY.

R. Warwick. R.—Lt. W. R. Humpherson is secd. under the provisions of Art. 190 B, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1922. 27th June 1925.

Leicester. R.—Lt. C. N. C. Copeman, M.C.,

to be Capt. 12th June 1925. Lt. C. E. Morrison, M.C., Adjt., to be Capt. under the provisions of Art. 109, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1922. 12th June 1925.

Cheshire R.—2nd Lt. (now Lt.) Thwaites is seed. for serv. with the W. Afr. R. 8th July 1925.

GENERAL LIST.

Temp. Maj.-Gen. J. F. A. Higgins, C.B., D.S.O., A.F.C. (Air Vice Marshal, R.A.F.), relinquishes his temp. commn. 31st July 1925.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lt. F. C. Avis, M.B.E., D.C.M., retireson ret. pay. 1st Aug. 1925.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

The undermentioned Majs. retire on ret. pay. 31st July 1925:-

E. L. Moss, C.M.G., M.C., and is granted the rank of Col.

E. G. Anthonisz, and is granted the rank of Lt.-Col.

M. Keane, O.B.E. G. H. Rees, M.B.

The undermentioned from Reg. Army Res. of Off. to be temp. Capts.:-

Lt.-Col. W. Owen-Prichard, 10th July 1925, and relinquishes the rank of Lt.-Col. Capt. S. Pinion, M.B., 7th July 1925, and relinquishes the rank of Capt.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Maj. & Staff Paymr. L. J. Lightfoot, O.B.E., is restd. to the estabt. 10th July 1925.

Lt. & Paymr. C. D. Vint to be Capt. 31st July 1925.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

EQUITATION SCHOOL.

Instr.—Capt. E. B. de Fonblanque, R.A., relinquishes his appt. 1st Aug. 1925.

The undermentioned appt. is made:—

THE DUKE OF YORK'S ROYAL MILITARY SCHOOL. Comdt.—Lt.-Col. H. S. Poyntz, D.S.O., A.E.C., from Comdt., Sch. of Education (temp.) vice Lt.-Col. A. C. Johnston, D.S.O., M.C., A.E.C. 25th July 1925.

MEMORANDA.

Maj. H. J. F. Wallis, Wilts R., is granted the local rank of Lt.-Col. for serv. with the Malay States Vol. R. 17th July 1925.
Lt. W. V. Willson, R. Fus., is granted

the temp. rank of Capt. for serv. with the

K. Afr. Rif. 11th May 1925.
Capt. B. J. Stevens, late R. Tank Corps, having been convicted by the Civil Power, is deprived of the rank of Capt. 16th June 1925.

2nd Lt. A. Hughes, late M.G.C., having been convicted by the Civil Power, is deprived of the rank of 2nd Lt. 11th June $19\bar{2}5.$

Lt. G. Malone, h.p. list, late R. Ir. Regt., on completion of a period of five years on the h.p. list, is placed on ret. pay on account of ill-health caused by wounds. 30th July 1925.

2nd Lt. P. J. G. Burroughs, late E. York R., relinquishes the rank of 2nd Lt., on enlistment into the Supplementary Res. 9th June 1925.