

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Capt. K. J. HINTON (153675) to be Maj., 20th Apr. 1953.

Lt. M. A. PETHERAM (377715) to be Capt., 13th Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. H. W. PHILPOTT (126038) to be Maj., 13th Apr. 1953.

Capt. R. C. BIRD (127331) to be Maj., 15th Apr. 1953.

Lt. J. W. FYFE (354888) to be Capt., 25th Feb. 1953.

Lt. D. C. HIBBERD (304499) to be Capt., 24th Mar. 1953.

INFANTRY.

King's Own.

Lt.-Col. W. M. W. COOPER, O.B.E. (36460), retires on ret. pay, 14th Apr. 1953.

Capt. M. SMALLEY (333664) to be Maj., 18th Jan. 1953.

R. Warwick.

Capt. D. R. C. YATES (151615) to be Maj., 19th Apr. 1953.

*Bedfs. Herts.**Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. A. R. E. ROBERTS (129652) to be Maj., 20th Apr. 1953.

Green Howards.

Maj. A. D. MILLER, D.S.O. (44706), from E. Yorks., to be Lt.-Col., 25th Dec., 1952.

Lt. J. R. YOUNG (403745) resigns his commn., 3rd Apr. 1953.

Cheshire.

Lt. A. J. JOHNSON (295899) to be Capt., 18th Apr. 1953, with seniority 13th Feb. 1950.

R. Innisks.

2nd Lt. G. D. ARCHER (418128) to be Lt., 20th Apr. 1953.

Glosters.

Lt. C. S. RAWLINS (373497) to be Capt., 21st Apr. 1953.

*Surreys.**Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. B. E. M. COMLEY (162049) to be Lt., 13th Jan. 1953.

*Border.**Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. C. J. YOUNG (129355) to be Maj., 20th Apr. 1953.

S. Staffords.

Capt. M. J. P. CROOKE (76364) to be Maj., 6th Feb. 1953.

Loyals.

Lt. C. M. YATES (349599) to be Capt., 18th Apr. 1953, with seniority 6th Dec. 1951.

R. Berks.

Capt. J. J. W. FORSTER (138904) to be Maj., 2nd Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. J. H. DORAN (419723) to be Lt., 6th Apr. 1953.

H.L.I.

Capt. J. M. WATSON (160589) to be Maj., 20th Apr. 1953.

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Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) (Q.G.O.) LACHHIMAN Gurung, M.B.E. (368440), retires on ret. pay, 20th Apr. 1953, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. (Q.G.O.).

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Short Serv. Comms.

Rev. B. V. PARRY (171382) from Emerg. Commn., to be Chapln. to the Forces. 4th Cl. (C. of E.), 21st Apr. 1953.

Rev. H. B. SNELGROVE (427119) to be Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl. (C. of E.), 21st Apr. 1953.

Rev. E. DAVEY (427510) to be Chapln. to the Forces. 4th Cl. (C. of E.), 21st Apr. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Maj. W. B. STOREY, M.C. (77639), retires receiving a gratuity, 1st Apr. 1953.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) E. L. CLAPTON (195753) to be Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 8th Apr. 1953.

Lt. Bernard Ambrose SCOTT, M.M., B.E.M. (415428), from Short Serv. Commn., to be Lt., 22nd Apr. 1953, with seniority 28th May 1949.

Maj. J. W. A. MEREDITH (195652) retires receiving a gratuity, 8th Mar. 1953, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. (Substituted for the notifi. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 7th Apr. 1953.)

Short Serv. Comms.

The undermentioned Cadets to be 2nd Lts., 28th Feb. 1953:—

S/21188003 William George BYATT (427331).

22799752 George William DAVENPORT (427333).

22539048 Howard Benjamin O'CONNOR (427332).

22269038 Peter Giles BUSSELL (427330).

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Maj. H. R. HARTNELL, M.B.E. (104988), retires with a gratuity, 1st Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. (War Subs. Maj.) T. GRIFFITHS (89912) relinquishes his commn., 9th Mar. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Capt. S. J. T. MERRYFIELD (270899) to be Maj., 12th Dec. 1951.

7262856 W.O. Cl. I. Rodney Francis Saville CALLWOOD (427245) to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 20th Feb. 1953.

Capt. D. OLLIVERE, M.B. (333434), to be Maj., 18th Nov. 1952. (Substituted for the notifi. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 20th Feb. 1953.)

*Admin. & Tech.**Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) William MILLETT (313341) from Emerg. Commn., to be Capt., 30th Mar. 1953, with seniority 16th Sept. 1952, and relinquishes the appt. of Qr.-Mr.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

The undermentioned officers to be Lt.-Cols., 2nd Nov. 1951:—

Maj. R. E. BIRD (151760) with precedence next below N. F. NILSSON (133738).

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) J. G. KEELING, T.D. (85179), with precedence next below W. H. B. BUNT (100793).

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) C. J. TOBIN, C.B.E. (65915), with precedence next above T. E. HATTON (222853).

Maj. W. M. FORD, O.B.E. (135712), with precedence next above H. R. CARMICHAEL (66923).

Maj. D. J. RUSSELL, O.B.E. (53695), with precedence next above F. MORRIS (53780).

Maj. R. J. DINSMORE, B.A. (53949), with precedence next above J. S. DOUGLAS (378774).

Lt. R. J. MACKENZIE (258154) to be Capt., 18th Apr. 1953, with seniority 23rd Aug. 1947.

Short Serv. Comms.

(2nd Lt. M. J. MARSON (426610) to be Lt., 24th Jan. 1953.

2nd Lt. R. A. CORMACK (420730) to be Lt., 20th Feb. 1953.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. H. S. BAKER, O.B.E., B.Sc. (Eng.). A.M.I.Mech.E. (52740), retires on ret. pay, 1st Apr. 1953, and is granted the hon. rank of Col.

Maj. R. G. WINGFIELD (41637) to be Lt.-Col., 1st Apr. 1952, with precedence next above H. O'D. VVYAN (71521).

Capt. (E.M.A.E.) H. SIMS (191946) to be Maj. (E.M.A.E.), 21st Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. (E.M.A.E.) F. R. CLARKE (260986) to be Maj. (E.M.A.E.), 19th Apr. 1953.

Lt. R. T. RAWLINSON (377086) to be Capt., 8th Mar. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Short Serv. Comms.

The undermentioned Capt. & Paymrs., to be Maj. on the dates shown:—

W. N. ROBERTSON (125732), 3rd Apr. 1953.

H. F. KIDMAN (127248), 15th Apr. 1953.

A. M. WILLIAMS (129617), 20th Apr. 1953.

Capt. & Paymr. P. J. THORNTON (211077) resigns his commn., 14th Apr. 1953, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Lt. & Paymr. E. L. WILTON (345929) to be Capt. & Paymr., 3rd Apr. 1953.

2nd Lt. Michael George GRAHAM (421825) from Nat. Serv. List, to be 2nd Lt., 1st Mar. 1953, with precedence next below 2nd Lt. J. DUFF (426392).