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## MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the name shown below as having received an expression of Commendation for Brave Conduct.

### *Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct*

23845703 Lance Corporal (Acting Corporal) Gordon MUIR, 1st Battalion, The Royal Ulster Rifles.

When a fire occurred in an ammunition bunker Lance Corporal Muir, without order, and with complete disregard for his safety, went into the ammunition bunker and emerged carrying a box of phosphorous grenades, which was burning violently. Having put down the box, he coolly went back into the ammunition bunker, and rescued Rifleman Neill. Just as they emerged, a phosphorous grenade blew up.

Lance Corporal Muir's coolness, courage and contempt of danger were of the highest order. His action not only saved the life of a brother Rifleman, but undoubtedly averted further casualties.

5th March 1965.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF

Maj.-Gen. N. L. FOSTER, C.B., D.S.O. (44079) late R.A. relinquishes his appointment as President Regular Commissions Board, 28th Feb. 1965.

Maj.-Gen. W. C. WALKER, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O. (380258) late Inf. relinquishes his appointment as Director of Operations (Borneo), remaining on full pay, 4th Mar. 1965.

Maj.-Gen. J. A. D'AVIGDOR-GOLDSMID, O.B.E., M.C. (53668) late R.A.C. is appointed President Regular Commissions Board, 28th Feb. 1965.

Maj.-Gen. G. H. LEA, C.B., D.S.O., M.B.E. (58116) late Inf. is appointed Director of Operations (Borneo), 4th Mar. 1965.

## ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS

### *Scots Greys*

#### REGULAR ARMY

Maj. G. P. M. C. WHEELER (193309) to be Lt.-Col., 29th Feb. 1964. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 8th Sept. 1964.)

#### R.T.R.

#### REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Capt. F. W. DUTTON (68820) having attained the age limit, relinquishes his commn., 4th Mar. 1965, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## K.C.L.Y.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY

2nd Lt. H. B. T. CLARK (473387) (on probation) is confirmed in his appt. as 2nd Lt., 5th Mar. 1963. To be Lt., 5th Mar. 1965.

## N.I.H.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY

Lt. A. R. PRESTON (469843) (Res. of Offrs., R.U.R.) to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1965, with seniority 11th June 1964.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Lt. M. W. KNATCHBULL (458991) from Active List to be Lt., 21st Jan. 1965.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

#### REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. (Hon. Lt.-Col.) R. C. M. COLLINS (113201) having attained the age limit, relinquishes his commn., 6th Mar. 1965, retaining the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Capt. (Hon. Maj.) M. N. DURLAC (109473) having attained the age limit, relinquishes his commn., 5th Mar. 1965, retaining the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. J. P. McN. WILSON (44966) having attained the age limit, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 4th Mar. 1965.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY

Capt. (Actg. Maj.) T. THOMPSON (411842) to be Maj., 4th Mar. 1965, with seniority 18th Jan. 1963.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

The undermentioned Capt. (Hon. Maj.) having attained the age limit, cease to belong to the T.A. Res. of Offrs. on the dates shown, retaining the hon. rank of Maj.:

J. B. ROWLANDS, T.D. (91038), 4th Mar. 1965.

A. D. OWEN-EVANS, T.D. (68656), 5th Mar. 1965.

A. GRAHAM (171687), 5th Mar. 1965.

The undermentioned Capt. having attained the age limit, cease to belong to the T.A. Res of Offrs., 4th Mar. 1965:

C. C. JOHNSTON, T.D. (78473), retaining the rank of Capt.

J. K. BOAG, T.D. (87316), and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

H. G. MORGAN, T.D. (90159), and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Lt. (Hon. Capt.) D. R. PICKUP (92940) having attained the age limit, ceases to belong to the T.A. Res. of Offrs., 5th Mar. 1965, retaining the hon. rank of Capt.