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Admiralty, 26th July, 1937.

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 undermentioned Officers:—

Lieut.-Comdr. Francis Poole.
Chief Skipper John Mair.

Admiralty, 23rd July, 1937.

R.N.

Lieut. O. R. Barr, R.N.R., to be Lieut. (Supplementary List) with seny. of 15th Aug. 1934.

Engr. Comdr. (Retd.) V. D. Nops, O.B.E., to be Engr. Capt. (Retd.) with seny. of 27th Feb. 1937.

Rev. H. N. M. Artus, A.K.C., to be Chaplain. 23rd July 1937.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1937.

R.N.R.

Engr. Comdr. C. W. L. Slater, R.D., placed on Retd. List. 13th July 1937.

R.N.V.R.

Proby. Paymr. Sub-Lieut. R. C. Haworth to be Paymr. Sub-Lieut. with seny. of 26th July 1935.

Admiralty, 26th July, 1937.

R.N.

Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) H. C. Purvis to be Comdr. (Retd.). 24th July 1937.

R.N.V.R.

Surgn. Sub-Lieut. W. H. Osborne, M.B., Ch.B., to be Surgn. Lieut. 6th July 1937.

Admiralty, 28th July, 1937.

R.M.

Capt. W. A. M. Hanson, M.C., is placed on the Retd. List. 28th July 1937.

Lieut. T. K. West to be Capt. 28th July 1937.

Admiralty, 30th July, 1937.

R.N.

Surgn. Lieut. J. W. Oliver, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to be Surgn. Lieut.-Comdr. 30th July 1937.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL NAVAL NURSING SERVICE.

Miss Margaret Mary Pell Dainty has been appointed a Nursing Sister, on probation, to date 18th August, 1937.

*War Office,
30th July, 1937.*

REGULAR ARMY.

Lt.-Col. T. E. M. Battersby, h.p., from Devon R., to be Col. 31st July 1937.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Col. J. O. Thurburn, M.C., h.p., to be Off. Comdg. the Troops (Cl. T), Ceylon, and is granted the local rank of Brig. whilst so empld. 22nd July 1937.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lt. J. A. H. Mitchell is secd. for serv. on the Staff. 14th June 1937.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. E. F. Johnston retires on an Indian pension. 29th July 1937.

Maj. A. V. Anderson, M.B.E., to be Lt.-Col. 29th July 1937.

FOOT GUARDS.

S. G'ds.—Lt. D. S. Wedderburn is secd. whilst holding the appt. of Equerry to H.R.H. The Duke of Gloucester. 16th Apr. 1937.

Lt. H. S. N. Rathbone is secd. whilst specially empld. 14th July 1937.

INFANTRY.

R. War. R.—Lt. B. D. A. Etches to be Capt. 19th July 1937.

The King's R.—Lt. M. G. H. Henley is restd. to the estab. 19th July 1937.

Devon R.—Lt.-Col. T. E. M. Battersby on completion of his period of serv. in comd., is placed on the h.p. list. 31st July 1937.

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. J. E. Utterson-Kelso, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., to be Lt.-Col. 31st July 1937.

Capt. R. A. O. Smith, M.C., to be Maj. 31st July 1937.

Somerset L.I.—Capt. A. E. Snow is secd. for serv. on the Staff, India. 31st July 1937.

Bedfs. & Herts. R.—Capt. J. R. H. Ellery retires on ret. pay. 29th July 1937.

The undermentioned Lts. to be Capts. 29th July 1937:—

W. Rickman, M.B.E.

R. Norcock, under the prov. of Art. 118, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1931.

Gloster. R.—Lt. D. W. Biddle to be Capt. 28th May 1937.

P. W. Vols.—Capt. A. M. Hicks is restd. to the estab. 15th June 1937.

Black Watch—Capt. N. Noble, M.C., retires on ret. pay. 29th July 1937.

Capt. K. I. D. Stewart is restd. to the estab. 29th July 1937.

North'n R.—Lt. D. J. B. Houchin to be Capt. 7th July 1937.

Midd'x R.—Lt. P. D. ff. Powell to be Capt. 15th May 1937.

Durham L.I.—Capt. T. S. Airey is secd. whilst empld. with the British Mil. Mission, Egypt. 5th June 1937. (Substituted for the notfn. which appeared in the Gazette of 18th June 1937.)