

India Office, 11th February 1944.

The KING has approved the following promotions, appointments, retirements, etc.:—

INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned appt. is made:—

"Spec. List" of *Qr.-Mrs., Sappers and Miners (I.A.)*:—

To be Lt.

W/S Capt. (T/Maj.) William Westerman (E.C.) from R.E., and retains W/S rank of Capt., 7th Mar. 1943.

Col. G. A. Quayle retires 20th Dec. 1943.

Lt.-Col. R. W. W. Hills, O.B.E., M.C., retires on account of ill-health, 10th Feb. 1944.

Emergency Commissions.

2nd Lt. A. R. E. Calcott to be Lt., 17th Apr. 1941, with seniority from 17th Apr. 1936.

Lt. Wilfred Ewart Stillwell, S. Staffs R., is trans. to the I.A. for service in the I.A.O.C., 15th Feb. 1943, his seniority remaining unaffected.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

To be 2nd Lts.

22nd Aug. 1943.

Cpl. Colin Hartley Hughes Coles. Pte. Martin Henry Eggar. S/Sgt. John William Dunlop. Sgt. Matthew Purdon. A/C.S.M. Henry Edward Cox. S.Q.M.S. John Reynolds Clarence Palmer. Sgt. Walter John Hickman. Pte. William Cyril Moore Flynn. Sgt. William Harry Baker. Cpl. Donald George Sheppard. L/Sgt. Geoffrey Harold Cusdin. Cpl. Kenneth Lewis Deane. Pte. Keith Roy Sutcliffe. Pte. Norman Robert Waddell. Spr. Alexander Purves McLeish. L/Cpl. Philip John Lawford. L/Cpl. Denis Robinson. Pte. Hugh John McNair. Sgt. Arthur Henry Kettle. Gnr. Albert Whitby Briscoe. Cpl. Augustine Richmond Turner. Tpr. Robert Bailey. Pte. Arthur Hibbert. B.Q.M.S. Lionel Reginald Claude Howse. Sgt. George Arthur Buckley. Pte. Robert Stuart Bruce. Tpr. Frank Walton Hamlet. Cpl. William Erskine. Cpl. George Oliver Wheeler. L/Cpl. David Mark Amos. Gnr. Frederick William Knight. C.Q.M.S. Richard Harold Welsh. S/Sgt. Sydney Walter Jones. Cpl. John D'arcy-Kincaid. L/Cpl. Robert Frederick Coe. L/Cpl. Cyril Frederick Haynes. L/Cpl. Glyn Court Howell. Sgt. Michael Victor Richmond. Sgt. William Matthew Fell. Pte. William Mathieson McCabe Sutherland. L/Cpl. Joseph Oliver. Pte. David Hutchison Sutherland. Cpl. David Eadie Robertson. Sgmn. John Barron. Sgt. Sydney George Morris. Rifmn. Philip Joseph Wilson. Pte. Hugh Patrick McDermott. L/Cpl. Sterling John de Courcy Williams. L/Bdr. Alfred Brownbill. L/Cpl. Richard Douglas Morgan. Bdr. Robert Edgar Sharland. Sgt. David Herbert Jones. L/Cpl. John Alexander Allan Whyte. L/Sgt. Douglas William Rowe. Pte. Clifford Edmund Rawlings. L/Sgt. Charles Silk. Sgt. Charles Devlin. Bdr. Richard Bartrum Rayner. L/Cpl. Walter Raleigh Tyssen. Pte. Robert Fraser Murison. L/Cpl. Robert Loudon Simpson. Sgmn. Ian Georges Masters. L/Cpl. Dennis George Wheston. L/Sgt. Walter Connor Moncrieff. Tpr. James Ross. Crftmn. Mark Assersohn. Sgt. John Birrell Fisher. B.Q.M.S. Thomas Alec. Wilkinson. L/Bdr. James Bardsley Collier. Sgt. Ronald Cecil Malham. L/Sgt. Jesse Kenneth West. L/Cpl. Stanley George Williams. L/Bdr. Derek Gordon Page. A/Cpl. Marshall Bennett Blair. L/Cpl. Douglas Charles Ryde. Bdr. John Kenneth Coward. Pte. Eric Cyril Dow. Cpl. John Ferguson. L/Bdr. Douglas Harry Cox. Cpl. John Francis McManus. L/Cpl. Charles Derek Andrews Tunnard. L/Cpl. Norman James McVeagh. L/Cpl. Kenneth Catlow Bradley. L/Sgt. Charles Clarke. L/Cpl. Kevin Daly. Sgmn. Alan Howard Bullas. Cpl. John Mohun Carew. Cpl. Peter Albert Gill. L/Cpl. Laurence William Kitt. L/Cpl. John Edward Charles Foakes. Crftmn. John Alexander. Tpr. Phillip Gordon Chandler. L/Cpl. Peter George Stanley Harrison. L/Cpl. Kenneth John Kiernan. A/Cpl. Jeffery Roy Hilton. Tpr. Robert Cuthbert Miller. Tpr. Ronald Thomas Broadfoot. Cpl. Basil Eric Lambert. L/Cpl. George Haydn Scovil Villiers. L/Cpl. Edward Lewis Hancock. L/Cpl. Charles Frederick Steele. L/Cpl. Thomas John Buckley Smithyman. L/Cpl. Alan Manton Brassington. Rifmn. Francis Geoffrey Groarke. Pte. John Gerald Patrick Langton. Tpr. Ernest Henry Nixon. L/Cpl. Donald Musgrave Harding. Pte. William Frank Harding Ansell. Pte. Frank Ellis Brookes. Pte. William Hibbert Hartle. Tpr.

Harold Rodney Russell. L/Cpl. Victor Edwin Stewart. Tpr. John Allan Stein. L/Cpl. John Richard Gibbs. L/Cpl. Geoffrey Lingard. Pte. Peter Frank Tozer. Pte. John Forsyth Carnegie Rodger. Pte. Herbert John Tildesley. Cpl. Derek Harold Bevis. Tpr. John Glenn Blackburn Bayles. L/Cpl. Rex Graham Langstaff. L/Cpl. Hugh Martin Waite. L/Cpl. Harold Kelsall Thistlethwaite. Fus. Alfred Tanner. Pte. Whinham Burnett Scott. Rifmn. John Graham Harris. Tpr. Richard Chester Arundel Haworth. Pte. Frank Anderson. Tpr. Mark Wallis Lemon. Fus. Ronald Whiteley Hully. L/Cpl. Stuart Desmond Brian Lambert. L/Cpl. Charles William Peach. Pte. Thomas Ian Hardie. Pte. John Cyril Taylor. Pte. John Arthur Beckett. Rifmn. Basil Douglas Carver. Pte. William Blenkin. Bdr. Maurice Coulden Browne. Tpr. Robert William Meads. Cpl. Denis Herbert Roberts. Sgt. Philip Garry Francis. L/Bdr. Stuart Rutter Stacey. L/Bdr. Eric Herbert David Foden. Sgmn. Walter George Gillard. Pte. Ian Hamilton Cook. Pte. Vincent Gordon Lindsay White. L/Cpl. Richard William Creagan. L/Cpl. Anthony Gerald Staley. Pte. Cyril James Gellatly.

14th Nov. 1943.

L/Bdr. George Harding Mills Salt. W.O. I. Cameron Rawson. C/Sgt. Frank Checkley. Sgt. Robert Arthur Campion. C.Q.M.S. Donald Wrigley. W.O. I. Ronald George Hackett. Sgt. Cyril Davison. Sgt. Denzil Marriott-Smalley. L/Sgt. Richard Willoughby Bond. Sgt. Rupert Croft-Cooke. L/Cpl. Henry Frederick Samuel Gazey. Sgt. Alfred William Henry Verinder. Patrick William Rylands. W.O. I. Arthur Reginald Youd. W.O. I. Ernest Charles Frank Digweed. Bdr. Ernest Robinson Hall. Pte. Edward Derrick Vaughan. S/Sgt. Robert Gordon Mills. Cpl. Douglas Frederick Swinton. Sgt. Frederick Thomas Payne. W.O. I. Reginald Leslie Haward. Sgt. Harry Holmes. W.O. I. Norman Edward Ashness. C.S.M. Norman Bole. A/L/Cpl. John Rimmer. W.O. I. Edward Raymond Hoare. Dvr. George Harold Parkes. W.O. I. Arthur Mangnall. Cpl. Francis Gregory Connon. L/Sgt. Bernard Gerard Birtles. L/Sgt. Cyril Lawrie Birse. W.O. I. Arthur Frederic Henry Lys. W.O. I. Ivan Victor Baker. Pte. Cecil Carrington Barber. Sgt. Robert Rimmer. Sgt. Robert William Salter. C.S.M. William Oldfield. Sgt. Patrick Joseph Burke. Cpl. Robert Arnott. A/W.O. I. Patrick Bolger. W.O. I. Arthur Henry Browne. Sgt. Stanley Locker. A/Cpl. Michael John Booth. Sgt. Denis Arthur Sullivan. W.O. I. Reginald William Francis Harnett. Bdr. Seymour Henry Hebdon. Tpr. Fredric Givron Peck. W.O. II. Robert James Grant Wilson. Pte. Hilarion Aloysius Toctan.

18th Nov. 1943.

Roy Hope Fletcher. Richard Tittley. William George Barham Miller. Alan Greenwood. George Constantine Coroneos.

23rd Jan. 1944.

Ian Scott Lamond. Richard Benjamin Thomas. Norman Edward Moore.

Capt. S. Woolley relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 13th Jan. 1944.

Lt. T. G. Proctor relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health and is granted the honorary rank of Lt., 5th Dec. 1943.

Capt. A. C. Horsley, M.C., relinquishes his commission, 23rd Nov. 1943.

2nd Lt. (W/S Lt.) (T/Capt.) G. G. Brewin, M.B.E., relinquishes his commission, 22nd Sept. 1943.

Lt. (A/Capt.) A. J. Smith resigns his commission, 16th Jan. 1944.

"Spec. List" of *Qr.-Mrs. (I.A.)*.

To be Lts.

S/Sgt. Dick Sillito Batey from R.A.S.C., 18th Mar. 1943.

R.S.M. Reginald Little from Welch R., 1st Dec. 1943.

"Spec. List" of *Qr.-Mrs., R. Signals (I.A.)*.

To be Lt.

R.Q.M.S. Frederick Arthur James Townend from R. Sigs., 28th Sept. 1943.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

2nd July 1943.

Capt. (A.E.M.E.) S. G. Miller, M.M., to be Maj. (A.E.M.E.).

Lt. (A.E.M.E.) E. A. Oakes, O.B.E., to be Capt. (A.E.M.E.).

Lt. (E.C.) (A.E.M.E.) J. P. Barrett to be Lt. (A.E.M.E.).