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*War Office, 19th June, 1945.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the VICTORIA CROSS to:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Charles NEWMAN (33927), The Essex Regiment (attached Commandos) (Salford, Bucks.).

On the night of 27th/28th March, 1942, Lieutenant-Colonel Newman was in command of the military force detailed to land on enemy occupied territory and destroy the dock installations of the German controlled naval base at St. Nazaire.

This important base was known to be heavily defended and bomber support had to be abandoned owing to bad weather. The operation was therefore bound to be exceedingly hazardous, but Lieutenant-Colonel Newman, although empowered to call off the assault at any stage, was determined to carry to a successful conclusion the important task which had been assigned to him.

Coolly and calmly he stood on the bridge of the leading craft, as the small force steamed up the estuary of the River Loire, although the ships had been caught in the enemy searchlights and a murderous cross-fire opened from both banks, causing heavy casualties.

Although Lieutenant-Colonel Newman need not have landed himself, he was one of the first ashore and, during the next five hours of bitter fighting, he personally entered several houses and shot up the occupants and supervised the operations in the town, utterly regardless of his own safety, and he never wavered in his resolution to carry through the operation upon which so much depended.

An enemy gun position on the roof of a U-boat pen had been causing heavy casualties to the landing craft and Lieutenant-Colonel Newman directed the fire of a mortar against this position to such effect that the gun was silenced. Still fully exposed, he

then brought machine gun fire to bear on an armed trawler in the harbour, compelling it to withdraw and thus preventing many casualties in the main demolition area.

Under the brilliant leadership of this officer the troops fought magnificently and held vastly superior enemy forces at bay, until the demolition parties had successfully completed their work of destruction.

By this time, however, most of the landing craft had been sunk or set on fire and evacuation by sea was no longer possible. Although the main objective had been achieved, Lieutenant-Colonel Newman nevertheless was now determined to try and fight his way out into open country and so give all survivors a chance to escape.

The only way out of the harbour area lay across a narrow iron bridge covered by enemy machine guns and although severely shaken by a German hand grenade, which had burst at his feet, Lieutenant-Colonel Newman personally led the charge which stormed the position and under his inspiring leadership the small force fought its way through the streets to a point near the open country, when, all ammunition expended, he and his men were finally overpowered by the enemy.

The outstanding gallantry and devotion to duty of this fearless officer, his brilliant leadership and initiative, were largely responsible for the success of this perilous operation which resulted in heavy damage to the important naval base at St. Nazaire.

*War Office, 19th June, 1945.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the posthumous award of the VICTORIA CROSS to:—

No. 1874047 Sergeant Thomas Frank DURRANT, Corps of Royal Engineers (attached Commandos) (Green Street Green, Farnborough, Kent).

For great gallantry, skill and devotion to duty when in charge of a Lewis gun in

H.M. Motor Launch 306 in the St. Nazaire raid on the 28th March, 1942.

Motor Launch 306 came under heavy fire while proceeding up the River Loire towards the port. Sergeant Durrant, in his position abaft the bridge, where he had no cover or protection, engaged enemy gun positions and searchlights on shore. During this engagement he was severely wounded in the arm but refused to leave his gun.

The Motor Launch subsequently went down the river and was attacked by a German destroyer at 50-60 yards range, and often closer. In this action Sergeant Durrant continued to fire at the destroyer's bridge with the greatest coolness and with complete disregard of the enemy's fire. The Motor Launch was illuminated by the enemy searchlight and Sergeant Durrant drew on himself the individual attention of the enemy guns, and was again wounded, in many places. Despite these further wounds he stayed in his exposed position, still firing his gun, although after a time only able to support himself by holding on to the gun mounting.

After a running fight, the Commander of the German destroyer called on the Motor Launch to surrender. Sergeant Durrant's answer was a further burst of fire at the destroyer's bridge. Although now very weak he went on firing, using drums of ammunition as fast as they could be replaced. A renewed attack by the enemy vessel eventually silenced the fire of the Motor Launch but Sergeant Durrant refused to give up until the destroyer came alongside, grappled the Motor Launch and took prisoner those who remained alive.

Sergeant Durrant's gallant fight was commended by the German officers on boarding the Motor Launch.

This very gallant Non-Commissioned Officer later died of the many wounds received in action.

*War Office, 19th June, 1945.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the VICTORIA CROSS to:—

No. 18706 Sepoy Namdeo JADHAO, 5th Mahratta Light Infantry, Indian Army.

In Italy, on the evening of the 9th April, 1945, a Company of the 5th Mahratta Light Infantry assaulted the east floodbank of the Senio river, north of S. Polito. Three minutes afterwards another Company was to pass through and assault the west floodbank.

In this sector the Senio river is about 15 feet broad, 4 to 5 feet deep and flows between precipitous floodbanks 30 to 35 feet high. Both floodbanks were honeycombed with an intricate system of German dugouts and defence posts, with a mine belt on the inner face of the east floodbank above the dugout entrances.

Sepoy Namdeo Jadhao was a Company runner and when his Company crossed the river he was with his Company Commander close behind one of the leading sections.

When wading the river and emerging on the west bank the party came under heavy fire from at least three German posts on the inner face of the east bank. The Company

commander and two men were wounded and the rest, with the exception of Sepoy Namdeo Jadhao, were killed.

This gallant Sepoy immediately carried one of the wounded men through the deep water and up the precipitous slope of the bank through the mine belt to safety. He then made a second trip to bring back the other wounded man. Both times he was under heavy mortar and machine gun fire.

He then determined to eliminate the machine gun posts, which had pinned down the Companies, and to avenge his dead comrades, so, crossing the exposed east bank a third time, he dashed at the nearest enemy post and silenced it with his Tommy Gun. He was, however, wounded in the hand and, being unable to fire his gun any further, threw it away and resorted to grenades. With these he successively charged and wiped out two more enemy posts, at one time crawling to the top of the bank to replenish his stock of grenades from his comrades on the reverse slope.

Having silenced all machine gun fire from the east bank, he then climbed on to the top of it and, in spite of heavy mortar fire, stood in the open shouting the Mahratta war cry and waving the remainder of the Companies across the river.

This Sepoy not only saved the lives of his comrades, but his outstanding gallantry and personal bravery enabled the two Companies to hold the river banks firmly, and eventually the Battalion to secure a deeper bridgehead, which in turn ultimately led to the collapse of all German resistance in the area.

*War Office, 19th June, 1945.*

REGULAR ARMY.

Col. (local Maj.-Gen.) S. ARNOTT, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.D. (4215), late R.A.M.C., to be a D.D.M.S. and is granted the actg. rank of Maj.-Gen., 12th Apr. 1945.

Col. O. SLATER, M.C. (12910), having attained the age for retirement, is retained on the active list, supern., 19th June 1945.

Lt.-Col. H. A. SANDIFORD, M.C., M.B. (15676), from R.A.M.C., to be Col., 20th June 1945, with seniority, 28th Apr. 1943.

Col. G. S. BRUNSKILL, C.B.E., M.C. (26738), retires on ret. pay, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.

ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS.

R.T.R.

Lt. J. ROGERS (123548) is placed on the h.p. list on account of disability, 20th June 1945.

FOOT GUARDS.

Gren. G'ds.

Capt. (War Subs. Maj.) J. E. HARRISON (40818) to be Maj., 20th June 1945 (with pay and alces. of a Capt. for the period 20th June 1945 to 15th July 1945 (incl.)).

INFANTRY.

King's Own R.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) (War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.)) Marshall DARKES (127398) from Emergency Commn. R.W. Fus., to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 17th June 1945.

Essex R.

Ret. Offr. re-empld.

Capt. J. D. BURROWS, M.B.E. (146929) is granted the hon. rank of Maj., 20th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

A. & S.H.

Maj. D. DARROCH (77) retires on ret. pay, 13th May 1945 and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) A. MUNCKTON (51493) retires on ret. pay on account of disability, 19th June 1945.

*Ret. Offy. re-empld.*

War Subs. Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) F. W. JACKSON, O.B.E. (45171), is granted the hon. rank of Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 13th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) T. F. M. WOODS, M.D., M.R.C.P.I. (38600) to be Lt.-Col., 20th June 1945.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) (War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.)) H. S. HILL, M.B.E. (92822), to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 17th June 1945.

## MEMORANDA.

Lt. J. R. O'B. STEWARD (13117), late Ind. Army, is restored to the rank of Capt., 3rd Mar. 1945.

Lt. G. O'B. HOURIHANE (14425), late Ind. Army, is granted the hon. rank of Capt., 20th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

## REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

## GENERAL LIST.

Maj.-Gen. Sir S. John P. SCOBELL, K.B.E., C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O. (12329), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 16th May 1945.

## 'REGIMENTAL LIST.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) A. E. WINN, M.C. (60863), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 5th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) A. WAKELING (60850), having exceeded the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

The undermentioned, having exceeded the age limit of liability to recall, cease to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 20th June 1945:—

Maj. G. F. T. HOPKINS, M.V.O., M.C. (10090).

Lt. G. A. MILLS (348652).

Lt. R. L. DIGHTON (348152).

## CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) H. E. HOPTHROW (32797) is granted the hon. rank of Brig., 15th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

## ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Lt. (now War Subs. Maj.) H. MOYSE-BARTLETT, M.B.E. (52547), from Supp. Res. of Offrs., to be Lt., 5th Sept. 1941, retaining his present seniority.

## INFANTRY.

*Somerset L.I.*

Capt. H. A. ROMILLY, M.B.E. (8301), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 18th June 1945.

*Hampshire R.*

Capt. (Bt. Maj.) V. C. E. SMITH (8748) is granted the hon. rank of Maj., 30th May 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

*K.S.L.I.*

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) R. BRYANS, D.S.O., M.C. (5335), having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 11th May 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Col.

*Seaforth.*

Capt. G. H. W. BAIRD (27150) to be Bt. Maj., 14th Sept. 1940.

*R.U. Rif.*

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) R. A. DAVIS (36504) to be Bt. Maj., 1st Jan. 1944.

## ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Rev. W. J. MCBRIDE (91350), Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl. (U.B.), relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl.

## REGULAR ARMY.

## EMERGENCY COMMISSIONS.

## ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

*Recce Corps.*

5179788 War Subs. R.S.M. Bertie Leslie RUMMINS (348515) from Gloster R. to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 5th Sept. 1944.

*R.A.C.*

War Subs. Lt. N. THOMPSON (219867) is placed on the h.p. list on account of disability, 18th June 1945.

War Subs. Lt. A. A. CHAPPELL (321954) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned to be Lts. (Qr.-Mrs.):—

9th Apr. 1945:—

1423861 Actg. W.O. Cl. II George MAURICE HALLORAN (348728).

24th Apr. 1945:—

1072485 War Subs. R.S.M. John Alwyn GEORGE (348639).

9th May 1945:—

835436 War Subs. R.S.M. Ernest GREENE (348651).

The undermentioned Cadets to be 2nd Lts.:—

19th May 1945:—

6108386 John Michael COGHAN (346969).

14498930 Guy Kenneth GREENWOOD (346970).

14497741 Francis Charles JOHNSTON (346971).

14498623 Roy POSTLETHWAITE (346972).

14498808 John Reginald WELLS (346973).

890740 Harold ALSTON (346974).

14497057 Gerald Brian FRANK CHARGE (346975).

1157221 David Selwyn EVANS (346976).

14709214 Cyril GERBER (346977).

14498156 Patrick Stanley GILSON (346978).

14691681 Sidney George GORRINGE (346979).

14681045 John Keith KYLE (346980).

1147034 John Joseph MCARDLE (346981).

14497885 Andrew Findlay MUIR (346982).

898261 Edward Alma OATES (346983).

7375076 Joseph Beck PHILIPSON (346984).

1158148 Robert Ernest WARREN (346985).

14498974 James Gordon Alastair YOUNG (346986).

14440313 Timothy Steuart BAYLEY (346987).

1116942 James Fortune SWINBANKS (346989).

War Subs. Lt. J. CROMPTON (154362) is granted the hon. rank of Capt., 19th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

War Subs. Capt. L. GARDNER (155832) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

War Subs. Lt. J. R. WINCHESTER (228286) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

The surname of War Subs. Lt. H. H. A. CHATFIELD-CLARKE (105576) is as now described and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 6th Mar. 1942.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts., retaining their present seniority:—

R. A. T. DICK (203814) from Hampshire R., 1st Feb. 1945.

H. H. BARNESLEY (190905) from R.A., 21st Apr. 1945.

W. HITCHCOCK (348660) from Ind. Army, 11th May 1945.

D. THIRSK (182896) from R.A., 16th May 1945.

K. D. BECK (333603) from R.E. (M.C.S.), 17th May 1945.

46840 War Subs. W.O. Cl. I Ernest PARKER (338523) to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 22nd May 1945.

The undermentioned Cadets to be 2nd Lts.:—

13th May 1945:—

14623890 Francis Patrick CURRY (346918).

14496947 Ralph Harry DIAPER (290649).

14721473 Raymond Percy James TAPP (346949).

1931037 Roy Charles ALLEN (346903).

13116447 George ATLAS (346904).

1986421 Patrick Alfred Dudley BRENNAN (346907).

14690164 William Anthony Bartlett BROWN (346908).

1942705 Lewis Eric BURGIN (346909).

14496674 Evelyn Frowd FERRABY (346921).

14682573 Bernard Maurice GRIFFITHS (346927).

14496883 Roderick Thomas Mathieson HAM (346929).

14438980 Kenneth James HARE (346930).

1881468 George Edward JINKS (346934).

1929909 Kenneth John JOYNER (346935).

14498375 Michael Edward PENNINGTON (346940).

14403870 Michael David ROSS (346945).

14444501 Ronald William George SETTER (346947).

2158858 William Rome TOCHER (346952).

14730482 Arthur BASHFORTH (346905).

14705720 John Dunbar BLYTH (346906).

14438619 Ronald Edward CARPENTER (346910).

1119012 Joseph Alan CHESTER (346912).

14442623 Paul Stuart CHESTER (346913).

14497879 Robert Fernand CLARK (346914).

14498704 Andrew Michael Smith CLELAND (346916).  
 14497890 Ian George CUMMING (346917).  
 14497651 Malcolm John Kenneth DAVIES (346919).  
 14597842 John Dainty DOLBY (346920).  
 14343209 James Houston FALCONER (346922).  
 14496846 Michael Edward FOXELL (346924).  
 14496876 David John Neville GENET (346926).  
 14496705 Anthony HALL-PATCH (346928).  
 14684886 Ivor Sidney HILL (346931).  
 14687293 Roy OKELL (346936).  
 2374361 Cedric Arthur PARKER (346938).  
 14443020 George Albert Henry PEARCE (349038).  
 14433774 Robert James PICKARD (346941).  
 14498861 John Edward Leslie RATTY (346942).  
 14700238 George Thomas ROBINSON (346943).  
 14498299 Craigie Ross (346944).  
 1507979 Stanley Frederick SAYERS (346946).  
 1931502 Ian Roy SUTER (346948).  
 1931393 Gilbert Wootton THOMAS (346950).  
 14498294 James Archer TOLSON (346953).  
 14444406 Douglas URWIN (346954).  
 14498193 John Frederick Cecil WHITE (346957).  
 14652790 John WHITELEY (346958).  
 14497896 Roger Arthur Edward WILSON (346959).  
 14706243 Dennis Frank WITHERS (346960).  
 14497515 Charles Barrington WOOKEY (346962).  
 1931583 Peter Thomas WRIGHT (346963).  
 14723472 Alan CHAMBERS (346911).  
 14499941 Kenneth Michael GAMMON (346925).  
 14757342 Arthur PARK (346937).  
 1128427 Leonard PARSONS (349039).  
 14447323 David PATTERSON (346939).  
 14600143 Raymond Charles THURLOW (346951).  
 14721476 Douglas Ashley WATSON (346955).  
 14447070 Albert Hammond WESTAWAY (346956).  
 6106723 Edmund Hugh WOOD (346961).  
 14712133 David Morgan JONES (346933).

War Subs. Capt. E. J. HALSTED-HANBY, G.M. (133324), is granted the hon. rank of Maj., 18th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

#### Movement Control Section.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts. retaining their present seniority:—

P. C. SCOTT (105710), from Lovat Scouts, 27th Jan. 1945.  
 P. G. FERGUSON (129523), from R.A., 27th Jan. 1945.  
 L. E. C. DAWSON (155215), from R.A., 19th Apr. 1945.  
 J. GILBERT (148584), from Black Watch, 21st May 1945.

#### Caribbean Section.

War Subs. Lt. F. B. SUTTON (230438), from R.A. (Caribbean Section), to be War Subs. Lt., 4th Sept. 1943, retaining his present seniority.

War Subs. Lt. B. V. McNAUGHT (305831), from Gen. List Inf. (Caribbean Section) to be War Subs. Lt., 2nd Nov. 1944, retaining his present seniority.

#### ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

2318137 War Subs. Serjt. George William DYKE (348650) to be Lt. (T.M.O.), 26th Aug. 1943.  
 War Subs. Lt. P. Walsh (320731) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th May 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

#### FOOT GUARDS.

##### Gren. G's.

War Subs. Lt. H. A. VERNEY (165006) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

#### INFANTRY.

##### The Queen's R.

War Subs. Lt. G. A. ROBERTSON (101908), from R.A., to be War Subs. Lt., 16th Nov. 1944, retaining his present seniority.

War Subs. Lt. R. W. MURPHY (233742), from R.A., to be War Subs. Lt., 9th May 1945, retaining his present seniority.

##### The Buffs.

War Subs. Lt. E. BLAKE (277074), from R.A., to be War Subs. Lt., 9th May 1945, retaining his present seniority.

War Subs. Lt. D. L. HARTLEY (184435) is placed on h.p. list on account of disability, 18th June 1945.

##### R. North's Fus.

War Subs. Lt. J. V. COSTELLO (336660) relinquishes his commn., 2nd Apr. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

##### Lan. Fus.

The Christian names of 2nd Lt. Ferdinand Garrett KEON (343573) are as now described and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 1st May 1945.

The personal number of 2nd Lt. Thomas Michael BROOM (346377) is as now described and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 22nd May 1945.

##### Green Howards.

The personal number of 2nd Lt. Raymond Russell APPEYARD (346371) is as now described and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 22nd May 1945.

##### R.S. Fus.

3125493 War Subs. R.S.M. Stanley Harold COOPER (348528) to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 16th Feb. 1945.

##### Oxf & Bucks L.I.

The date of appt. of Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) C. A. HEREDGE (338617) is 10th Jan. 1945, and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 17th Apr. 1945.

War Subs. Lt. O. S. MADREN (145865) is placed on the h.p. list on account of disability, 19th June 1945.

##### R. Ir. Fus.

War Subs. Lt. R. D. ROOM (180720) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

#### ARMY AIR CORPS.

##### G.P.R.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts., retaining their present seniority:—

A. Howes (315272), from R.A.C., 28th Dec. 1944.  
 J. H. O. GEORGE (327620), from R.W. Fus., 26th Feb. 1945.  
 J. W. OHLSON (285862), from E. Lan. R., 6th Mar. 1945.  
 W. GORE (255989), from R.A., 19th Mar. 1945.  
 G. D. WHITFIELD (330225), from E. Lan. R., 19th Mar. 1945.  
 J. E. BENNETT (281169), from Gloster R., 25th Apr. 1945.  
 M. HYDE (330187), from Y. & L.R., 25th Apr. 1945.  
 J. C. TAYLOR (323715), from R.A.S.C., 25th Apr. 1945.  
 E. D. STOATE (214409), from R. War. R., 25th Apr. 1945.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be 2nd Lts., retaining their present seniority:—

K. A. WARD (337073) from S. Lan. R., 3rd Mar. 1945.  
 P. A. L. FAIRLEY (335320) from Gordons, 14th Mar. 1945.  
 R. J. DEXTER (341182) from R.W.K. 25th Apr. 1945.  
 R. H. STRETTON (335775) from Suffolk R., 25th Apr. 1945.

##### P.R.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts., retaining their present seniority:—

N. CLARK (170759) from R.A., 4th Sept. 1944.  
 L. W. MACPHERSON (219548) from R.A., 6th Sept. 1944.  
 A. H. H. WOODMAN (247192) from Somerset L.I., 30th Nov. 1944.  
 B. WEBBER (324663) from Devon R., 30th Nov. 1944.  
 K. C. TYE (304793) from North'n R., 9th Jan. 1945.  
 O. J. GRAY (284443) from R.A.C., 19th Feb. 1945.  
 D. O. APPLETON (134672) from R.A., 19th Feb. 1945.  
 J. W. LLOYD (304927), from Border R., 19th Feb. 1945.  
 T. TIERNEY (265515) from R.A.S.C., 24th Feb. 1945.  
 J. J. R. O'BRIEN (267289) from Manch. R., 24th Feb. 1945.  
 J. A. WILLIAMS (126945) from Welch R., 3rd Apr. 1945.  
 J. L. W. BAXTER (302854) from Seaforth, 3rd Apr. 1945.  
 B. F. SMITH (326561) from Middx. R., 21st Apr. 1945.  
 N. W. FARREN (267616) from P. Corps, 28th Apr. 1945.

2nd Lt. K. G. HALL (341746) from Essex R. to be 2nd Lt., 17th Mar. 1945, retaining his present seniority.

## ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Rev. W. T. JONES, B.A. (127433) Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl. (U.B.) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Cl.

## ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

War Subs. Lt. G. S. DEE (97509) from R.A.C. to be War Subs. Lt., 4th Mar. 1945, retaining his present seniority.

War Subs. Maj. H. V. KITSON, O.B.E., T.D. (48615) is re-granted the hon. rank of Col. (T.A.), 14th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

War Subs. Capt. R. H. A. EDWARDS (105197) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

War Subs. Lt. J. F. SAVAGE (248030) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## E.F.I.

War Subs. Lt. J. F. YARDLEY (309270) to relinquish his commn., 19th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

War Subs. Maj. I. M. ORR, O.B.E., M.D., F.R.S.C. (246240) to relinquish his commn. on account of disability, 25th Apr. 1945, and to be granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 27th Apr. 1945.)

War Subs. Capt. D. Rumney, M.C. (195578) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 4th Jan. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 5th Jan. 1945.)

War Subs. Capt. N. Cowley, M.B. (260588) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June, 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

War Subs. Capt. P. TYTLER, M.B. (205936) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

The undermentioned War Subs. Lts. to be War Subs. Lts. and to retain their present seniority:—

J. R. NEWMAN (285487) from R.A., 16th Jan. 1945.

D. GORDON (143174) from R.A., 3rd Feb. 1945.

G. H. BRATLEY (256875) from R.A., 15th Mar. 1945.

R. D. GRAVELL (320537) from P. Corps, 2nd Apr. 1945.

War Subs. W.O. Cl. II Charles William GABY (338519) to be Lt. (O.E.O.), 28th Nov. 1944.

War Subs. Lt. R. N. C. BOYES (243268) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

War Subs. Lt. C. F. R. CAVE (167713) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

War Subs. Lt. H. F. GIBSON, M.A. (178446) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

War Subs. Lt. H. TERRY (278468) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.

848233 War Subs. Armt. S.M. Jack Leonard ALLEN (348263) to be Lt. (E.M.A.E.), 25th May 1945.

War Subs. Lt. P. WALKER (239941) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Lt. & Paymr. F. A. GOMMER (205635) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

## THE ARMY DENTAL CORPS.

War Subs. Capt. T. H. CHIGNELL (141376) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## PIONEER CORPS.

War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) C. F. BRISTOW, I.S.O. (325940) is granted the hon. rank of Maj., 18th Dec. 1944, on ceasing to be empld.

Lt. J. WELCH (142809) resigns his commn., 15th June 1945.

War Subs. Capt. W. F. IRVINE (99198) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 16th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

War Subs. Lt. R. J. TUCKER (249545) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 16th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

War Subs. Lt. W. CLARKE (203248) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 16th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) A. E. J. LANE (221617) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. (Qr.-Mr.).

## ARMY CATERING CORPS.

War Subs. Lt. H. G. McGRATH (177021) from R.A. to be War Subs. Lt., 27th Nov. 1944, retaining his present seniority.

## GENERAL LIST.

War Subs. Lt. G. NORNABLE (316441) receives pay and alices. from Army Funds, 9th Feb. 1945.

## TERRITORIAL ARMY.

## ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

*Warwickshire Yeo.*

War Subs. Capt. P. C. OLDFIELD (97456) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

## R.T.R.

War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) W. C. PACKHAM (87183) to be a Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 5th May 1945.

## ROYAL ARTILLERY.

2nd Lt. (now War Subs. Capt.) C. J. B. MANNING (78916) to take rank and precedence in his Corps, and in the Army as if his appt. as 2nd Lt. bore date 17th Dec. 1939.

Lt.-Col. A. M. RAMSDEN, O.B.E., T.D., A.D.C. (21976), is restored to the Bt. rank of Col. and is granted the hon. rank of Brig., 17th June 1945, on ceasing to be empld.

Capt. P. R. W. ROBINSON (63079) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 18th June 1945.

War Subs. Capt. J. G. SOUTHAM (96788) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## INFANTRY.

*Cheshire R.*

Capt. A. NICHOLL (28984) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 19th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

*Cameronians.*

War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) F. S. CROXFORD (77146) to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 11th Apr. 1945.

## R.W.K.

War Subs. Lt. J. W. KERR (97080) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 20th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## H.L.I.

War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) R. M. POTTER (76407) to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 17th Apr. 1945.

## ARMY AIR CORPS.

## P.R.

War Subs. Lt. P. COLLINS (77277) from R.A. to be War Subs. Lt., 3rd Apr. 1945, retaining his present seniority.

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

The undermentioned to be Maj.s. :—

11th Apr. 1945 :—

War Subs. Maj. S. P. WILSON, M.D. (16020).

War Subs. Maj. C. H. JOHNSON (62357).

1st May 1945 :—

War Subs. Maj. R. H. B. McCRAE, M.B. (65062).

Capt. J. S. LYLE, M.B. (74723), relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 16th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

## GENERAL LIST.

## TRAINING CORPS.

## SEN. TRNG. CORPS.

*Leeds University Contgt. (Inf. Unit).*

2nd Lt. D. C. DOUGLAS (230863) resigns his commn., 18th May 1945.

## JUN. TRNG. CORPS.

*Bradfield College Contgt.*

Maj. A. R. WATSON, T.D. (7009), resigns his commn., 26th May 1945, retaining the rank of Maj.

*Emanuel School Contgt.*

2nd Lt. T. E. HUGHES (238221) resigns his commn., 19th May 1945.

*King Edward's School (Birmingham) Contgt.*

Wilfred BARLOW (348731) to be 2nd Lt. for service with the contgt., 27th May 1945.

## TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

## INFANTRY.

*Herts. R.*

Capt. A. G. GRINLING, M.B.E., M.C. (46744), relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 15th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

## SPECIAL LIST.

(For Service with the Army Cadet Force.)

The undermentioned are granted commns. in the rank of 2nd Lt.:—

*Cambridge and Isle of Ely Comm.*

9th Mar. 1945:—

George Wilfred SUTTON (347524).

*Carmarthen Comm.*

9th Mar. 1945:—

Harold Septimus BURN, M.C. (2886).

*Cornwall Comm.*

27th Apr. 1945:—

George James BALL (347526). Ronald Clarence LANE (347525).

*Denbigh and Flint Comm.*

16th May 1945:—

Edward LLOYD (347596).

*Derby Comm.*

16th May 1945:—

Herbert John IRWIN (347597).

*Durham Comm.*

2nd Oct. 1944:—

Albert SNAITH (347594).

5th Oct. 1944:—

Frank STAPLES (347585).

7th Oct. 1944:—

Stanley Rose COLLITT (347589).

15th Oct. 1944:—

Donald Robinson STEWART (347595).

30th Oct. 1944:—

William Bryce GREENFIELD (347591). Frederick James MARTIN (347593).

19th Nov. 1944:—

John Maurice DUNN (347590).

30th Nov. 1944:—

Edgar Percival ROBINSON (310338).

19th Feb. 1945:—

James REDICAN (347587).

10th Mar. 1945:—

George Waddle USHER (347588).

12th Mar. 1945:—

Robert Hudspeth PARKIN (347586).

25th Mar. 1945:—

Richard Penny THOMSON (347549).

1st Apr. 1945:—

Alan THOMPSON (347550).

9th Apr. 1945:—

Harold Denis HARDIE (347584).

31st May 1945:—

Geoffrey Quinton HARLEY (347592).

*Edinburgh, City of, Comm.*

10th Apr. 1945:—

Donald Watt MACLEAN (347598). John David MURRAY (347600).

21st Apr. 1945:—

Alfred Annan WIGHTON (48535).

4th May 1945:—

Ronald Brodie MILLAR (347599). John Muter STEWART (347601).

*Essex Comm.*

14th May 1945:—

Peter William HOCKLEY (347551).

*Glamorgan Comm.*

9th Apr. 1945:—

Charles Harold Tom EMENY (347602).

7th May 1945:—

Joseph Frederick HUISE (347552).

*Hampshire and The Isle of Wight Comm.*

3rd May 1945:—

Ernest Albert DAVEY (347554). Alfred Gregory IMBER (347555). Albert Ernest Wareham MASLIN (347556).

5th May 1945:—

Albert James MAY (347553).

*Herts. Comm.*

11th May 1945:—

Percy Wain GILKS (347557).

*Inverness Comm.*

30th Apr. 1945:—

Alexander MACKENZIE, M.M. (347558).

*Lanark Comm.*

4th Feb. 1945:—

John Macpherson SANDERSON (347528).

*Lancashire (East) Comm.*

The date of relinquishment of Lt. D. P. ASHWORTH (275292) is 23rd Feb. 1945, and not as notified in Gazette (Supplement) dated 11th May 1945.

William MARLAND (347603) is granted a commn. in the rank of 2nd Lt., 16th Apr. 1945.

The undermentioned are granted commns. in the rank of 2nd Lt.:—

*Lancashire (West) Comm.*

7th May 1945:—

Daniel CREAGH (347530). Harry LOMAX (347529).

17th May 1945:—

Hugh Creighton HILL (347561).

18th May 1945:—

John CARR (180707).

*London, City of, Comm.*

1st Apr. 1945:—

Charles Joseph O'NEILL (347604).

*County of London Comm.*

7th May 1945:—

Anthony IVOR-JONES (347531).

Bernard Henry Alexander JOSKEY (347532).

Lawrence SCOTT (347533).

William Harold WOLFENDEN (347534).

16th May 1945:—

James Francis John ASSER (347563).

James McMURDY (347564).

Charles William George OCKELFORD (347562).

Bernard Alfred TOMLIN (347565).

*Middlesex, County of, Comm.*

24th Jan. 1945:—

Robert John HARRISON (347575).

Ralph SPENCER (347577).

25th Jan. 1945:—

Roy MITCHELL (347576).

13th Feb. 1945:—

Walter Arthur BLACKBURN (347568).

14th Feb. 1945:—

Edmund Joseph BALL (347572).

Gordon SWEET (347578).

28th Feb. 1945:—

Richard Leonard DOWNING (347566).

Cyril Henry MURPHY (347569).

Richard Woods (347570).

8th Mar. 1945:—

Harold CHIRKE (347581).

3rd Apr. 1945:—

Charles Albert THOMSON (347580).

4th Apr. 1945:—

Lee Ernest WIGGINS (347567).

2nd May 1945:—

Thomas Cameron ALLAN (347571).

Donald Frank BENNETT (347573).

Wilfred George Richard GREEN (347574).

Herbert George RIDES (347579).

*Norfolk Comm.*

13th Jan. 1945:—

George Herbert VASEY (216502).

5th May 1945:—

Cecil Andrew Foulis WINGFIELD (2278).

*Northern Ireland Comm.*

11th May 1945:—

Joseph VOGAN (347560).

4th May 1945:—

James Armitage SCOTT (347559).

*Northumberland Comm.*

3rd May 1945:—

Harold FARISH (347536).

Charles Harold GODWIN (347535).

Charles Stanley TODD (347537).

John TOULMIN (347539).

Edward Cunningham VERT (347538).

5th May 1945:—

Charles Robert BEAUMONT (347582).

*Pembroke Comm.*

9th Mar. 1945:—  
Thomas Edward TAMMAS (347605).  
14th Apr. 1945:—  
William James HACKETT (347606).

*Stafford Comm.*

12th Apr. 1945:—  
Martin Gerard GLYNN (347541).  
Peter Hulme HANCOCK (347540).

*Surrey Comm.*

23rd Apr. 1945:—  
William Herbert George RANDS (347542).

*Sussex Comm.*

11th Apr. 1945:—  
Benjamin Frank John BRADBEER, M.C.  
(121913).

*Warwick Comm.*

7th Mar. 1945:—  
Stanley Charles LOWE (347543).

*Wilts. Comm.*

14th May 1945:—  
Leonard Clarence WOODCOCK (347583).

*York (West Riding) Comm.*

4th May 1945:—  
Peter DAWSON (347544).

## WOMEN'S FORCES.

*Empld. with R.A.M.C.*

Lt. Mrs. F. FRENKIEL (263702) relinquishes her commn., 1st June 1945.

## QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S IMPERIAL MILITARY NURSING SERVICE RESERVE.

The undermentioned Sisters relinquish their commns.:—

15th May 1945:—  
Mrs. E. F. WIDDUP (257442).

17th May 1945:—  
Mrs. E. V. CLABBURN (297623).

5th June 1945.  
Mrs. J. M. TAYLOR (230777).

17th June 1945:—  
Miss O. M. L. DAVIES (206992).

## TERRITORIAL ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Sister Miss E. M. LUCK (213796) relinquishes her commn., on account of disability, 19th June 1945.

## AUXILIARY TERRITORIAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned are granted commns. as 2nd Subs.:—

25th May 1945:—  
W/199260 Miss Isabel Constance Catharine BURRELL (348597).

W/49320 Miss Elizabeth Audrey RICHES (348598).

W/136172 Miss Euphemia Henderson SMITH (348600).

W/232756 Miss Mae Ross CATHIE (348601).

W/159213 Miss Margaret Florence CHADWELL (348602).

W/141036 Mrs. Doreen CHRISTIE (348603).

W/135936 Miss Beatrice Annette GOUGH-COOPER (348604).

W/187888 Miss Margaret DAVIS (348605).

W/284076 Miss Barbara Lempriere DEBENHAM (348606).

W/251676 Miss Winifred Ada ELLIS (348607).

W/270827 Mrs. Honor May FRIEND (348608).

W/220100 Miss Clara Hildegard HOOPER (348609).

W/237262 Miss Susan JEFFERIS (348610).

W/289998 Miss Janis Douglas KIRKLAND (348611).

W/293449 Miss Margaret Jean MACKENZIE (348612).

W/716043 Miss Margaret McNeil McCLURE (348613).

W/92313 Miss Lorna Elizabeth MOLLER (348614).

W/271002 Miss Violet Barbara MYERS (348615).

W/139735 Miss Audrey SIDEBOTHAM (348616).

W/92823 Miss Elizabeth Ann STURRIDGE (348617).

W/57905 Miss Penelope Ann WHISTON (348618).

W/282260 Miss Elizabeth Marian WILKS (348619).

W/269496 Miss Betty Allison Jenner CROOK (348620).

W/103680 Miss Betty DUPE (348621).

W/251436 Miss Sheelah Winspeare FOLEY (348622).

W/217640 Mrs. Eleanor Elizabeth GILBERT (348623).

W/248599 Miss Henrietta GILDEA (348624).

W/661878 Miss Claire Mignon Doris GOOD (348625).

W/266418 Miss Sarah GOODMAN (348626).

W/274540 Miss Margaret Patricia HOLLAND (348627).

W/305775 Miss Helen Elizabeth HUTCHSON (348628).

W/247760 Miss Margaret Marion MACKIE (348629).

W/86588 Miss Catherine MACLEAN (348630).

W/151223 Miss Mary Catherine NICHOLS (348631).

W/210279 Miss Hazel Evelina OFFORD (348632).

W/13930 Miss Joan Mary ROGERS (348633).

W/251971 Miss Eve Rosamund SPARKES (348634).

W/640273 Miss Lorna Violet TURNER (348635).

W/33391 Miss Peggy Muriel YEOMAN (348636).

The undermentioned relinquish their commns.:—  
12th May 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. M. J. MATHER (192576).

16th May 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. A. R. WILLIAMS (305405).

19th May 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. J. M. McROBBIE (248428).

22nd May 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. J. P. BURDON-DAVIES (252236).

24th May 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. M. E. ALEXANDER (238949).  
War Subs. Sub. D. M. HOUNSFIELD (196975).

17th June 1945:—  
War Subs. Jnr. Comd. V. M. KNIGHTLEY-BURNE (196061) having attained the age limit

18th June 1945:—  
War Subs. Sub. P. J. BURRELL (260753) on account of disability.

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