Maj. F. H. R. FRENCH (608) retires on ret. pay, 5th Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) F. G. CORDER, M.B.E. (101206), is placed on the h.p. list on account of disability, 5th Jan. 1949.

Short Serv. Commn.
War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) J. A. HARRIS (309872) to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 12th Dec. 1948.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Maj.-Gen. Colwyn Henry Hughes VULLIAMY, C.B., D.S.O., late R. Signals, is appointed Colonel Commandant, 1st Jan. 1949, vice Gen. Sir Henry Colville Barclay Wemyss, K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., who has resigned the appointment.

Lt.-Col. R. J. N. Solly (12022) retires on ret. pay, 2nd Let. 1949.

-2nd Jan. 1949.

The undermentioned Lt.-Cols. on completion of tenure as Regtl. Lt.-Cols. remain on full pay (supern.):

D. W. BURRIDGE, C.B.E. (31534), 27th Dec. 1948. J. W. GORDON (31944), 31st Dec. 1948.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) J. M. C. Hoblyn (36680) retires on ret. pay, 2nd Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.
Capt. R. Barnes (194069) resigns his commn., 5th Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

FOOT GUARDS.

Gren. G'ds.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. Louis Defrance Stephenson Clarke (335134) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority, 17th May 1945.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) Arthur George Barnard (42712) from Reg. Army Res. of Offrs., to be Capt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority, 15th Oct. 1942.

Maj. J. D. B. PACKE-DRURY-LOWE (38695) retires on ret. pay, 3rd Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. (War Subs. Maj.) Keith Rutherford BRIANT (255171) from Emerg. Commn., to be Maj., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 25th July 1947.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. John Clayton Pugh (233196) from Emerg.
Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority,
2nd Nov. 1942.

The Queen's R.
Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. Gerrard Harold SLICER (391994) from Gen.
List, Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority 22nd June 1948.

The Buffs.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. Richard Douglas Sherwood (179370) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 22nd Sept. 1942.

Lt. Agnus James Hannan (265361) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 6th Sept. 1943.

R. North'd Fus.
Short Serv. Commns.
Lt. Kenneth Claude Addy (134661) from Emerg.
Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority,
15th Dec. 1941.

The undermentioned Lts. from Emerg. Commns. to be Lts., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority as shown:—
John Turland (268117), 20th Sept. 1943.
Antony John Graves (278687), 12th Dec. 1943.

R. War. R.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. Desmond Michael O'Neill Brittain (288839) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority, 1st Feb. 1944.

R. Fus.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. (War Subs. Maj.) Herbert Hodson (151637) from Emerg. Commu., to be Maj., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 8th Dec. 1945.

The King's R.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. George Smith (339356) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority, 7th June 1945.

R. Norfolk R.
Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) Peter Morden Carthew
WAKEFIELD (198184) from Emerg. Commn., to be
Capt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 6th Feb. 1944.

Devon R.
Short Serv. Commns.
Lt. Bertram George Dillon (124889) from Emerg.
Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 9th Sept. 1941.

Lt. Alan Thorp (253630) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1948, with seniority, 28th May

1943.

Lt. Francis Edward Cartwright (364491) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 16th Mar. 1946.

Suffolk R.

Supore A.

Short Serv. Commn.,

Lt. Leslie Joseph George Tedder (153885) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 26th Apr. 1942.

Somerset L.I.

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Short Serv. Commns.
Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) John Leigham Howes (186998) from Emerg. Commn., to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 12th Nov. 1945.
Lt. Ronald Anthony Biggs (197131) from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority, 1st

Oct. 1942. W. York R.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) Terence Adrian Spencer Tryon (318949) from Gen. List (Inf.) Emerg. Commn., to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1948, with seniority, 30th Dec. 1945.

E. York R.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) Harry Leslie Birtles (92239) from T.A., to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1948, with seniority, 16th Aug. 1946.

Bedf, & Herts. R.

Lt.-Col. A. C. Young (27662) on completion of period of service in command, remains on full pay (supern.), 2nd Jan. 1949.

Lt.-Col. G. A. Anste, O.B.E., M.C. (13430), having exceeded the age limit for retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 2nd Jan. 1949.

Green Howards.

Short Serv. Commns.

The undermentioned Lts. from Emerg. Commns. to be Lts., 1st Jan. 1949 with seniority as shown:—
Claude Clarence Orme SLOCOMBE (53564), 2nd June 1941.

Douglas Anthony Lawson (324300), 15th Jan.

R.S. Fus.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. Wallace William Kenneth CAMPBELL (322349), from Emerg. Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949 with seniority 16th Mar. 1945.

Lt.-Col. E. Wodehouse (8253) having exceeded the age limit for retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 5th Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.

S. Wales Bord.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) Peter John Roe (145435), from Emerg. Commn., to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority 23rd Dec. 1945.

Worc. R.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. Roland Henry Deakin (331617), from Emerg.

Commn., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1949, with seniority

6th Feb. 1945.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) (War Subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.)) Louis

SIEBERT (325669), from Gen. List (Inf.) Emerg.

Commn., to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 1st Dec. 1948, with

seniority 13th May 1947.

D.C.L.I.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) R. T. S. Kitwood (14303) having exceeded the age limit for retirement is placed on ret. pay, 5th Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Col.