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*The War Office, 11th March, 1949.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve that the following be awarded the Military Medal in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Malaya:—

21133055 Corporal MANBAHADUR THAPA, 2nd Bn. 2nd Gurkha Rifles, The Brigade of Gurkhas.

*The War Office, 11th March, 1949.*

REGULAR ARMY.

Maj.-Gen. E. HAKEWILL-SMITH, C.B., C.B.E., M.C. (13349), late Inf. retires on ret. pay, 10th Mar. 1949.

Col. (Temp. Maj.-Gen.) E. B. MARSH, M.C., M.B., M.R.C.P. (8717), late R.A.M.C. retires on ret. pay, 10th Mar. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.-Gen.

Col. H. BARTLETT, C.B.E. (15118), late R. Signals retires on ret. pay, 10th Mar. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.

Col. J. WEDDERBURN-MAXWELL, D.S.O., M.C. (8472), late R.A. retires on ret. pay, 11th Mar. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.

Lt.-Col. M. BIRCH, O.B.E. (12600), Special List (ex Ind. Army) ret'd. is granted the hon. rank of Col., 1st Jan. 1949.

Col. J. BIGGAM, M.C., M.B., K.H.S. (5079), late R.A.M.C. on completion of four years in the rank is retained on the Active List supern. to Establ., 11th Nov. 1948. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 12th Nov. 1948.)

Col. J. BIGGAM, M.C., M.B., K.H.S. (5079), late R.A.M.C. retires on ret. pay, 1st Jan. 1949. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 31st Dec. 1948.)

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

10th H.

Lt. C. B. TOLLER (237986) to be Capt., 12th Mar. 1949.

R.A.C.

*Short Serv. Comms.*

Lt. F. C. BISHOP (353464) to be Capt., 29th Aug. 1948.

The undermentioned Lts. to be Lts., 30th June, 1948, retaining their present seniority:—

S. E. HARRISON (314453) from 10th H.

R. I. A. HUGHES (354935) from 16th/5th L.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lt.-Col. K. S. BELLAMY, O.B.E. (5972), having exceeded the age limit for retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 11th Mar. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Col.

Maj. (D.O.) A. E. FLEETWOOD (74209) retires on ret. pay, 11th Mar. 1949.

The undermentioned Capt. to be Maj., 10th Mar. 1949:—

(War Subs. Maj.) J. P. G. LEWIS (56461).

P. N. CROSS-BROWN, M.C. (130204).

The undermentioned Lts. to be Capts.:—

S. E. STURLEY (220228), 1st Mar. 1949, with precedence next above T. J. B. Hook (380347).

P. N. M. ROLLES (293111), 9th Mar. 1949.

B. W. SALT (251633), 9th Mar. 1949.

J. WILSON (214712), 12th Mar. 1949.

Lt. Jesse DUTTON, A.M.I.E.E. (169514) (now R.E.M.E.) from Emerg. Commn. to be Lt., 28th Sept. 1946 with seniority, 14th Oct. 1940. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 27th Sept. 1946.)

Capt. (D.O.) A. MILLER, M.B.E. (131713), to be Maj. (D.O.), 13th Sept. 1948. (Substituted for the notfn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 21st Dec. 1948.)

*Short Serv. Comms.*

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) L. C. O'BRIEN (137617) to be Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 13th June 1948.

The undermentioned Lts. to be Capts.:—

G. R. THOMAS (229909), 31st Oct. 1948.

E. C. WEST-WATSON (92945), 1st Nov. 1947.

J. LAVERY (262271), 6th Feb. 1949.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. N. BODDINGTON, O.B.E. (793), on completion of tenure as Regtl. Lt.-Col. remains on full pay (supern.), 12th Mar. 1949.

Lt.-Col. E. L. PARKES, O.B.E. (15282), having exceeded the age limit for retirement is placed on ret. pay, 11th Mar. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Col.

Maj. (I.R.E.M.) P. A. M. SIMPSON, A.M.I.E.E., A.M.I.Mech.E. (70108), having exceeded the age limit for retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 12th Mar. 1949.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) E. C. HARRINGTON (131643) to be Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 2nd Mar. 1949.

Lt. Peter Edmond de WAELE (369401) from Emerg. Commn. to be Lt., 12th Mar. 1949 with seniority, 1st Nov. 1947.

*Short Serv. Comms.*

The undermentioned Capt. relinquish their comms. on account of disability, 10th Mar. 1949, and are granted the hon. rank of Maj.:—

G. E. POOLE (100080).

A. J. LUMSDEN (129818).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Lt. Derek HALL (360127) from R. Norfolk R., Emerg. Commn. to be Lt., 12th Mar. 1949 with seniority, 1st Nov. 1947.