

13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Ministry of Fuel and Power,
7, Millbank, London, S.W.1
15th March, 1949.

Air Ministry, 18th March, 1949.

The KING has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decoration conferred upon the officer indicated in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with the war:—

CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE
KING OF DENMARK.

Order of Dannebrog, Degrée of Knight.

Squadron Leader Edward Barnes SISMORE, D.S.O.,
D.F.C. (130208), R.A.F.V.R.

Amendments.

In promulgation in London Gazette dated 8th June, 1944 (mentions-in-despatches), page 2618, column 1, under the heading "Acting Squadron Leaders", amend E. W. J. MALONEY (46158) to read E. W. J. MOLONEY (46158).

In promulgation in London Gazette dated 17th January, 1947 (mentions-in-despatches), page 353, under the heading "Flying Officers", amend W. H. MOORE (Aus.2608) to read W. Mcl. MOORE (Aus.262608).

*Commonwealth Relations Office,
18th March, 1949.*

The KING has approved the following promotions, retirements and relinquishments:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Emergency Commissions.

War subs. Lieut. G. G. McMORRAN (EC.5574) relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health, 14th July 1946.

War subs. Lt. F. D. G. BRITAIN (EC.15957), relinquishes his commn., 5th Aug. 1947, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Capt. (D.C.) E. A. T. BINGE (ST/81) to be Maj. (C.), 24th July 1947.

Lts. (A.C.) to be Capt. (D.C.).

War subs. Maj. W. THOMPSON (ST/80), 25th May 1947. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 27th Feb. 1948.)

War subs. Capt. A. T. WEBSTER (ST/74), 19th June 1947. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 27th Feb. 1948.)

War subs. Capt. A. J. CLARK (ST/113), 24th July 1947.

Lts. (A.C.) (E.C.) to be Lts. (A.C.).

War subs. Maj. E. J. HIGGS (ST/115), 25th May 1947. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 27th Feb. 1948.)

War subs. Maj. L. R. COSH (ST/124), 19th June 1947. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 27th Feb. 1948.)

J. E. R. FRANCKE (ST/129), 24th July 1947.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Emergency Commissions.

War subs. Maj. H. R. CARA (MZ/24814) relinquishes his commn., 4th Dec. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Lieut.-Col.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capt. H. L. W. HARDAKER (RO/181) on the relinquishment of his commn., 30th Apl. 1948, is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

SPECIAL LIST (EX-ROYAL INDIAN NAVY).

ROYAL NAVY.

Lt.-Comdr. G. B. TORRENS retires 1st Jan. 1949.
Capt. J. W. JEFFORD, O.B.E., retires 1st Sept. 1948, but continues to be borne on the Special List (ex-Royal Indian Navy) Royal Navy while employed with the Pakistan Armed Forces.

SPECIAL LIST (EX-INDIAN ARMY).
BRITISH ARMY.

The undermentioned officers retire:—

Lt.-Col. E. A. HAYES-NEWINGTON, D.S.O., O.B.E. (IA 743), 22nd Apl. 1948.

Lt.-Col. J. W. T. WOOLDRIDGE (IA 805), 1st Jan. 1949.

Lt.-Col. M. C. WALSH (IA 645), 4th Jan. 1949.

Lt.-Col. W. SOUTHERN (AI 60), 6th Feb. 1949.

Lt.-Col. M. HURFORD-JONES (AI 601), 1st Mar. 1949.

Maj. H. G. WHEELER (IA 393), 29th Sept. 1948.

Maj. J. V. G. BLYTH (519AI), 7th Oct. 1948.

Maj. R. P. PRENTICE, M.C. (498AI), 1st Jan. 1949.

Maj. H. J. POWER (IA 423), 20th Jan. 1949.

Maj. A. CLYDE-SMITH (AI 271), 22nd Feb. 1949.

The undermentioned officers retire and are granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.:—

Maj. R. N. P. COLE (824IA), 1st Jan. 1949.

Maj. J. P. WOLFE (AI 756), 17th Jan. 1949.

Maj. R. O. JERMYN, O.B.E. (IA 682), 22nd Jan. 1949.

Maj. R. A. SHEBBEARE (IA 188), 31st Jan. 1949.
17th Feb. 1949.

Maj. P. E. SALKELD (AI 64).

Maj. H. M. WILLIAMS (210 AI).

22nd Feb. 1949.

Maj. W. J. M. SPAIGHT (IA 122).

Maj. C. F. H. WALTER (IA 2).

Maj. C. C. OWENS (AI 53), 25th Feb. 1949.

Capt. P. B. SANDFORD (IA 1130) retires 21st Dec. 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Maj. D. G. M. WRIGHT (AI 504) retires 2nd Jan. 1949, but continues to be borne on the Special List (ex-Indian Army) British Army while employed with the Pakistan Armed Forces.

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commns. on appt. to T.A.:—

War subs. Lt. P. D. W. MEAKINS (EC.114), 9th Nov. 1948.

War subs. Lt. C. A. HODGKINSON (EC.10129), 24th Nov. 1948.

War subs. Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) F. COLLINGE (EC.6363), 28th Oct. 1948.

War subs. Capt. B. O. P. WALSH (EC.1593) relinquishes his commn., 1st Oct. 1947, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Departments.

Lt. (A.C.) (War subs. Maj.) H. B. GRIMLEY, M.B.E. (ST/82), retires 8th Mar. 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

The undermentioned officers retire and are granted the hon. rank of Maj.:—

Capt. (D.C.) E. STEPHENSON (ST/66), 24th June 1948.

Lt. (A.C.) (War subs. Capt.) W. J. PRIEST (ST/143), 4th July 1948.

Capt. (D.C.) T. YOUNGMAN (ST/112), 10th July 1948.

Lt. (A.C.) L. E. SEYMOUR (OS/140) retires 24th Feb. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Medical Service.

Maj. W. J. F. YOUNG, D.S.O., M.B.E. (MZ/15202), retires 25th Feb. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Maj. F. W. WHITEMAN, O.B.E. (MZ/12128), retires 1st Jan. 1949, but continues to be borne on the Special List (ex-Indian Army) British Army while employed with the Pakistan Armed Forces.

THE NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT, 1946.

The Minister of National Insurance has made the undermentioned regulations:—

The National Insurance (New Entrants Transitional) Regulations, 1949, dated 4th March, 1949. (S.I. 1949 No. 352.)

Ministry of National Insurance,
6, Carlton House Terrace, London, S.W.1.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT, 1947.

The Minister of Transport in connection with his proposal to make an Order under Section 49 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947, authorising the stopping up of the highways consisting of parts of three greenways and two footpaths at Totternhoe, in the county of Bedford, and requiring the provision of highways consisting of two new greenways hereby gives notice that a public inquiry will be held.