

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bute.*

William MacCulloch Brown-Fullarton of Kilmichael, Brodick, Arran;  
 Hon. Lt.-Col. Archibald Crerar, D.S.O., M.C., of West Fernbank, Millport;  
 Major James Hamilton Hicks, T.D., of Krithia, 39 Crichton Road, Rothesay, all in the County of Bute, to be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated 11th November, 1949.  
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*Commonwealth Relations Office,**2nd December, 1949.*

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

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

The undermentioned officers retire:—

Lt.-Col. H. S. SKINNER (916 IA), 1st May 1948.  
 Maj. S. F. M. HOWE (IA 925), 1st Jan. 1949.  
 Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) R. GUTHRIE (IA 616), 1st Jan. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.  
 Capt. J. M. E. WAINWRIGHT (796 AI) is restored to the Special List (ex-Indian Army) British Army, 8th July 1949, while employed with the Pakistan Armed Forces.

*Emergency Commissions.*

War Subs. Lt. F. J. HARVEY (EC 6064) relinquishes his commn., 7th Sept. 1948, on enlistment in ranks (T.A.).  
 War Subs. Lt. F. J. TURNER (EC 11718) relinquishes his commn., 7th Nov. 1949, on appt. to Short Serv. Commn.

*Departments.**Emergency Commission.*

War Subs. Capt. (D.C.) P. A. WIMBLE (OS/351) relinquishes his commn., 14th Aug. 1949, on appt. to T.A.

**BOROUGH OF HARROGATE.**

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Harrogate (hereinafter called "the Corporation") have made application to the Minister of Health (hereinafter called "the Minister") for the issue of a Provisional Order under section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875 partly to repeal, alter or amend the Harrogate Corporation Act, 1935 (hereinafter called "the local Act") so as:—

(1) to substitute for section 117 of the local Act (which authorised the Corporation to establish a capital reserve fund, limited the expenditure in any one transaction to £5,000, the appropriation from the General Rate Fund in any one year of the equivalent of a rate of twopence in the pound, and fixed the maximum amount of the fund as £25,000) a provision authorising the Corporation to establish a capital fund with a maximum of £75,000, the payment to the fund of an annual amount of the equivalent of three times the product of a penny rate and to expend from the fund moneys not exceeding £10,000 in any one transaction and authorising the Minister to increase the various limits to be prescribed,

(2) for the several purposes of this application or for purposes connected with, incidental to or consequent on these purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the said local Act or of any other local Act, or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875 and in force in the Borough, as may be necessary or desirable:

Notice is hereby given that the Minister will consider any objections or representations made to him in writing before the thirty-first day of December, 1949 by any person or body interested in the subject-matter of the said application. Such objections or representations should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.1, and copies of them should at the same time be sent to the Town Clerk, Municipal Offices, Harrogate.

G. J. M. Gray, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health,  
 Whitehall, S.W.1.  
 29th November, 1949.

**WATER ACT, 1945.****STATUTORY ORDERS (SPECIAL PROCEDURE) ACT, 1945.**  
*County of York, West Riding.*

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act, 1945, that it is the intention of the Minister of Health to lay before Parliament the Wath-upon-Deerne (Conservation of Water) Order, 1949, made by him on the 24th day of November, 1949, under section 14 of the Water Act, 1945.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 1949.

Ministry of Health,  
 Whitehall, S.W.1.

**MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.****TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT, 1947.**

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under Section 49 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947, authorising the stopping up of part of Knebworth Road in the Metropolitan Borough of Stoke Newington.

Copies of the draft Order and of the plan referred to therein may be inspected by any person free of charge at the offices of the Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1, and at the offices of the Stoke Newington Borough Council, Town Hall, Church Street, N.16 at all reasonable hours during a period of three months from the date of the publication of this notice.

During a period of three months from the date of publication of this notice any person may by notice to the Minister of Transport object to the making of the Order.

Any objection to the making of the Order should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1, and should quote the reference number H(TS)9/241/01.

G. V. Hole,

An Assistant Secretary of  
 the Ministry of Transport.

Berkeley Square House,  
 London, W.1.  
 9th November, 1949.

**MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.****TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT, 1947.**

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under Section 49 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947, authorising the stopping up of part of the footpath known as Woodlands Road, at Stone, near Dartford in the County of Kent and requiring the provision of a new footpath.

Copies of the draft Order and of the plan referred to therein may be inspected by any person free of charge at the offices of the Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1, and at the offices of the Dartford Rural District Council, Council Offices, West Hill, Dartford, Kent, at all reasonable hours during a period of three months from the date of the publication of this notice.

During a period of three months from the date of publication of this notice any person may by notice to the Minister of Transport object to the making of the Order.

Any objection to the making of the Order should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1, and should quote the reference number H(TS)9/19/02.

G. V. Hole,

An Assistant Secretary of  
 the Ministry of Transport.

Berkeley Square House,  
 London, W.1.  
 8th November, 1949.

**MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.****TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT, 1947.**

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that he has made an Order under section 49 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947 entitled "The Stopping up of Highways (Bedfordshire) (No. 1) Order, 1949" authorising the stopping up of parts of three greenways and two footpaths at Totternhoe