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*The War Office, 24th February, 1950.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following award in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Malaya.

*Military Cross.*

Second Lieutenant John Geoffrey STARLING (361898)  
The Suffolk Regiment.

*The War Office, 24th February, 1950.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the undermentioned award, in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Burma during the period 10th November 1944 to 15th February 1945, in lieu of a Mention-in-Despatches published in the London Gazette Supplement of 10th January 1946.

*Military Medal.*

No. 6411812 Sergeant William Gilbert LEECH, The  
Royal Sussex Regiment.

*The War Office, 24th February, 1950.*

REGULAR ARMY.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Maj.-Gen. J. C. O. MARRIOTT, C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O., M.C. (9506), late S. Gds., relinquishes the appointment as General Officer Commanding, London District, 18th Feb. 1950, remaining on full pay.

Maj.-Gen. J. A. GASCOIGNE, C.B., D.S.O. (27192), late Inf., to be General Officer Commanding, London District, 18th Feb. 1950.

HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY.

*Life G'ds.*

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. Simon George Robert The Viscount GALWAY (397434) from Emerg. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jan. 1950, with seniority 22nd Oct. 1948.

ROYAL ARMOURD CORPS.

*3rd D.G.*

Lt. J. N. R. HEARN, M.C. (251979), from R.A.S.C. to be Lt., 25th Feb. 1950, retaining his present seniority.

*R.A.C.*

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. J. S. SUTHERLAND (311963) to be Capt., 22nd Feb. 1950.

*National Serv. List.*

The undermentioned Cadets to be 2nd Lts., 7th Jan. 1950:—

22127722 Paul Francis Boydell COOPER (408424).  
22121982 Simon Fitzroy BRYAN (408422).

22111926 John Cecil McGregor CUTHBERT (408425).

22140114 Richard Stewart Mortimer GREEN (408427).

22153510 Francis Farquhar HIGGINS (408428).

22148807 Roderick William Douglas MCKELVIE (408426).

22111993 John Richard Woodman BURBIDGE (408423).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Maj. C. B. C. WARD (151381) takes rank and precedence in the Army as if his appointment as Maj. bore date 4th Mar. 1949.

Capt. E. WORTHINGTON (105943) to be Maj., 23rd Feb. 1950.

Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) B. C. MARTIN (269886) to be Capt., 25th Feb. 1950.

Lt. William Montague HOLMAN (373004) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Lt., 25th Feb. 1950, with seniority 28th Sept. 1944.

Lt. John Ralph PEARSON (334897) from Emerg. Commn. R.A.C. to be Lt., 25th July 1949, with seniority 28th Oct. 1947.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Lt. E. G. PETTIFOR (316804) relinquishes his commn. on completion of service, 1st Feb. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts.:—

J. B. BROWNE (390440), 8th Dec. 1949.

A. A. MITCHELL (390647), 2nd Feb. 1950.

D. G. W. START (390652), 2nd Feb. 1950.

A. D. MANGER (390636), 9th Feb. 1950.

M. J. DILNOT (390614), 10th Feb. 1950.

R. C. KINLOCH (390982), 19th Feb. 1950.

J. G. TURNBULL (390994), 19th Feb. 1950.

C. J. A. DIXON (390986), 19th Feb. 1950.

N. C. TURNER (390992), 19th Feb. 1950.

J. W. WEBB (390760), 25th Feb. 1950.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Lt.-Col. N. A. M. SWETTENHAM, O.B.E., B.A. (14746), on completion of tenure as Regimental Lt.-Col. remains on full pay (superny.), 21st Feb. 1950.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Capt. E. R. PROTHERO (182588) resigns his commn., 9th Feb. 1950.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) Frederick William CATCHPOLE (274384) from Emerg. Commn. to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1949, with seniority 13th Sept. 1945, relinquishing the appointment of Qr.-Mr.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) J. Lucas (366374) to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 23rd Feb. 1950.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) Francis Robert JAMES (359735) from Emerg. Commn. to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1949, with seniority 24th Nov. 1945, relinquishing the appointment of Qr.-Mr.