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The War Office, 11th April, 1950.

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

Distinguished Service Order.

- Lieut.-Colonel (temporary) Edward Phillip TOWNSEND (384321), 1/6th Gurkha Rifles, The Brigade of Gurkhas.
- Major (temporary) Peter RICHARDSON (380874), 1/2nd Bn. King Edward VII's Own Gurkha Rifles, The Brigade of Gurkhas.

Distinguished Conduct Medal.

21132012 Warrant Officer Class II BHIMBAHADUR Pun, 1/2nd Bn. King Edward VII's Own Gurkha Rifles, The Brigade of Gurkhas.

The KING has been graciously pleased that the following be Mentioned in recognition of gallant and distinguished services in Malaya:---

21131376 Corporal UDILAL Pun, 1/2nd Bn. King Edward VII's Own Gurkha Rifles, The Brigade of Gurkhas.

The War Office, 11th April, 1950. **REGULAR ARMY.**

COMMANDS & STAFF.

Maj.-Gen. B. C. H. KIMMINS, C.B., C.B.E. (1294), late R.A., relinquishes the appointment as Director of Quartering, 11th Apr. 1950, and remains on full

pay. Maj.-Gen. G. N. WOOD, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. (13820), late Inf., is appointed Director of Quartering, 11th Apr. 1950.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

R.A.C.

Short Serv. Commn. Capt. R. H. BRABIN (165684) resigns his commn., 11th Apr. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Mai:

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY. Lt.-Col. J. M. L. CRAWFORD (20490) retires on ret. pay, 9th Apr. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supple-ment) dated 30th Dec. 1949.)

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS. Lt.-Col. G. R. RICHARDS (14831) having exceeded the age limit, retires on ret. pay, 10th Apr. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Col. Lt.-Col. H. R. P. HUTCHINS (18501) on completion of tenure as Regtl. Lt.-Col., remains on full pay (superny.), 11th Apr. 1950.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Short Serv. Commns. 2nd Lt. P. W. HEWITSON (397542) to be Lt., 11th Apr. 1950.

2nd Lt. D. H. BRIGGS (393555) to be Lt., 12th Apr. 1950.

INFANTRY.

The Queen's R. Short Serv. Commn. Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) J. T. NICHOLLS (316962) to be Capt., 10th Apr. 1950.

S. Lan. R. Lt.-Col. H. A. BATESON, O.B.E. (20768), on com-pletion of period of service in command, remains on full pay (superny.), 10th Apr. 1950. Maj. C. H. BOWKER (34573) to be Lt.-Col., 10th

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS. Lt. R. M. PRATT (292312) to be Capt., 12th Apr. 1950.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. H. RAWCLIFFE (355515) to be Capt., 10th Apr. 1950.

Lt. J. B. WILES (308730) to be Capt., 11th Apr. 1950

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS. Short Serv. Commn. Capt. P. H. HARFORD (98447) from R. Sigs., to be Capt.; 12th Apr. 1950, retaining his present seniority. ROYAL PIONEER CORPS.

Short Serv. Commn. Lt. J. A. McC. BATCHIN (276657) to be Capt., 12th Apr. 1950.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS. Sub. A. F. F. RADCLIFFE (309373) resigns her commn., 20th Feb. 1950, and is granted the hon.

commn., 20th Feb. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Sub. J. Comd. A. M. TROUNSON (206041) resigns her commn., receiving a gratuity, 4th Mar. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of J. Comd.

Short Serv. Commn. Sub. M. M. JAMES (371194) resigns her comm., 21st Feb. 1950, and is granted the hon. rank of Sub. WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS.

Short Serv. Commns. Capt. K. M. LAURENCE (196916) relinquishes her commn., 1st Apr. 1950, on completion of service, and is granted the hon. rank of S. Comd.

The undermentioned Capts. relinquish their commns. on completion of service, 1st Apr. 1950, retaining the rank of Capt.

E. D. FREWIN (216162) M. E. L. N. BECHER (248406). H. LEA (305452).