Essex.

Lt. M. S. SMYTH (362751) to be Capt., 10th Apr.

Northamptons.

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. (War Subs. Maj.) S. A. Welton, M.B.E. (116653), to be Maj., 5th Mar. 1953.

Capt. H. W. CLARKE (138423) to be Maj., 12th Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. B. A. Davis (354055) to be Capt., 12th Apr. 1953

K.O.Y.L.I.
Short Serv. Commn.
Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) R. Sissons (306653) to be Capt.
(Qr.-Mr.), 25th Nov. 1950. (Substituted for the (Supplement) dated 28th Nov. 1950.)

Short Serv. Commn. Lt. V. J. Howells (352914) to be Capt., 14th Mar. 1953

Lt.-Col. R. L. C. Rose, D.S.O., M.C. (39487), on completion of period of service in command, remains on full pay (superny.), 13th Apr. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) F. W. T. Keller (178902) having attained the age for retirement, is placed on ret. pay, 12th Apr. 1953.

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. W. McCafferty (359356) relinquishes his commn. on account of disability, 14th Apr. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Capt. Vincent Philip Tallon (248858) from Short Serv. Commn. (Admin. & Tech.), to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.), 15th Apr. 1953, with an antedate for seniority purposes only to 22nd Oct. 1952.

Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) V. P. Tallon (248858) to be Capt. (Qr.-Mr.), 15th Apr. 1953, with seniority 22nd Oct. 1952.

Short Serv. Commns.
Capt. P. C. Conlon, M.R.C.P. (399057) retires with a gratuity, 9th Apr. 1953.
Capt. B. McConkey, B.M. (384300) retires with a gratuity, 14th Apr. 1953
Lt. G. F. Harris, B.M. (421840) to be Capt., 14th

Apr. 1953.

Admin. & Tech.

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. E. Percy (125537) to be Maj., 6th Mar. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Lt. & Paymr. William Oldfield (406544) from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 13th Apr. 1953, with seniority 11th July 1950.

2nd Lt. W. Oldfield (406544) to be Lt. & Paymr.,

13th Apr. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS.
Lt. J. I. STURT (376389) to be Capt., 15th Jan. 1953.

Short Serv. Commns.
Lt. J. G. POTTS (138442) to be Capt., 2nd Mar. 1953, with seniority 2nd May 1952.
2nd Lt. C. H. Teall (419008) to be Lt., 1st Sept.

2nd Lt. W. G. TREADWELL (419607) to be Lt., 1st Sept. 1952.

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS.

Capt. P. W. AISTHORPE (327244). The surname is as now shown and not as stated in the Gazette (Supplement) dated 18th Nov. 1952.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS. Capt. M. FABIEN (208121) to be Maj., 10th Ap 1953, with seniority in the Corps, 1st Apr. 1952.

Short Serv. Commns.

Capt. E. L. F. Coates (206889) to be Maj., 6th Apr. 1953, with seniority in the Corps, 7th Apr. 1952.

Lt. M. Waddington (384988) to be Capt., 11th Apr. 1953, with seniority in the Corps, 15th Jan. 1952.

Lt. J. A. Blau (405478) née Scott, resigns her commn., 10th Feb. 1953.

Capt. E. Ferguson (350843) relinquishes her commn., 24th Mar. 1953, on completion of service.

Capt. E. FERGUSON (350843) relinquishes her commn., 24th Mar. 1953, on completion of service.

The notifn. concerning Lt. M. WADDINGTON (384988) in Gazette (Supplement) dated 8th Feb. 1952

is cancelled.

Women's Royal Army Corps.

Short Serv. Comm.
Lt. J. H. Parke (375522) to be Capt., 28th Feb. 1953.

MEMORANDA.

Lt. (Staff Dir. of Music) J. E. THIRTLE, A.R.C.M. (402205) Emp. List (2), to be Capt. (Staff Dir. of Music), 12th Apr. 1953.

Lt. R. J. Owen (326622) H.P. List (late Gren. Gds.)

retires on account of disability, 19th Mar. 1953, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

## **EMERGENCY COMMISSIONS.**

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commus., 15th Apr. 1953, and are granted the hon. ranks as shown:—

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

R.A.C.
Lt. The Earl of Harrington (243521)—Capt.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.
Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) P. F. MATTHEWS (249029)—

Mai. Lt. (War Subs. Capt.) G. W. STREET (277274)-

Lt. D. G. D. DUNLOP (126692)—Capt. Lt. G. V. S. DAVEY (219993)—Capt. Lt. K. J. Hilton (240761)—Capt.

Infantry.

'. *Yorks.* Lt, B. R. P. Edwards (377506)—Lt.

Lt. H. B. CUTHBERTSON (278592)—Capt.

Lt. K. R. GRAY (124232)-Capt.

Lt. E. McP. McCormick (354552) relinquishes his commn., 15th Jan. 1951, on appt. to the Australian Mil. Forces.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.
(Unemployed List.)
Lt. E. BLYTHE (342651) from A.E. Res. of Offrs., to be Lt., 15th Apr. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS.

Lt. E. HARTLEY (329461) relinquishes his commnon account of ill-health, 5th Mar. 1953, and is granted the hon, rank of Capt.

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS.

(A.C.F. Section.)
Lt. Y. PITCHEN (378202) relinquishes his commn., 29th Aug. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. F. A. Dunn (31069) relinquishes his commn., 15th Apr. 1953 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

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ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

R.A.C. 2nd Lt. I. H. N. YATES (415997) to be Lt., 26th Dec. 1952.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned Cadets to be 2nd Lts., 28th

22706618 John Anthony Gorst BANKS (427209). 22703956 Charles David Lawson CLA Lawson Clark (427211)

22706781 Michael Arthur Newcombe CLARKE (427197).

22708707 John Edward Carroll (427196).

22699147 Alexander Grant Gordon (427212). 22706622 Peter Richard Grenville La 22706622 (427213).

22627092 William Thomas Mason Luff (427193). 22697706 Robert Archdale Palmer (427216). 22628000 William John Robinson (427208). 22708719 John Robert Michael Thompson

John Robert Michael THOMPSON (427219).

22706619 John Edward BEHREND (427194) 22683311 Peter James BOOTH-SMITH (427195)

2270653117 Fetel James Booth-Smit (42/13). 2270679 Michael Christopher Cadge (427210). 22708708 John Mackenzie Carter (427192). 22684632 John Hornsby Clarry (426276). 22580068 Eric Edward Cliffe (427198).

22668593 Kenneth Anthony Cooper (427199). 22707102 Graham Albert John Gibbs (427200). 22708713 Anthony Richard Haysom GLOV GLOVER (427201).

22691278 Anthony Arthur John HARMAN (427202).