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REGULAR ARMY.

COMMANDS & STAFF.

Lt.-Gen. Sir Charles F. LOEWEN, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O. (17987), late R.A. is appointed Commander-in-Chief, Far East Land Forces, 13th Oct 1953.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS.

R.A.C.

Short Serv. Comms.

The undermentioned W.O.s Cl. I (R.S.M.s) to be Lts. (Qr.-Mr.), 2nd Nov. 1953:—

5881453 John Campbell Thomas Painter
 BESTLEY (431511).

7885969 Oswald Densham JOYCE (431785).
 407565 George Boyd SHAW (432080).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Capt. P. D. LEWIS, M.C. (140765), to be Maj., 7th Dec. 1953.

Lt. (D.O.) R. R. SANDELLS (423392) to be Capt. (D.O.), 6th Dec. 1953.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. M. BUDD (160105) to be Maj., 7th Dec. 1953.

Lt. J. D. D. REED (261731) to be Capt., 8th Dec. 1953.

2nd Lt. N. E. HILDITCH (407620) resigns his commn., 9th Dec. 1953.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. K. G. RANDALL (407587) relinquishes his commn. on completion of service, 8th Dec. 1953.

Postal Section.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. Alexander Albert ISAACS (335346) from Queens Emerg. Commn. to be Lt., 2nd Nov. 1953, with seniority 4th Aug. 1953.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Capt. (T.O.T.) H. N. RANSOME (227521) to be Maj. (T.O.T.), 6th Dec. 1953.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) W. R. PEARSE (226927) to be Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 7th Dec. 1953.

FOOT GUARDS.

Gren. Gds.

Lt. M. G. P. STOURTON (357602) to be Capt., 7th Dec. 1953.

INFANTRY.

Worc. R.

Lt. T. A. BATCHELAR (364603) to be Capt., 7th Dec. 1953.

Border.

Capt. A. FARRANT (156493) to be Maj., 6th Dec. 1953.

R. Sussex.

Capt. (Qr.-Mr.) F. W. HANN (328670) to be Maj. (Qr.-Mr.), 8th Dec. 1953.

Capt. J. R. ANDERSON (153258) to be Maj., 9th Dec. 1953.

S. Staffords.

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. B. J. RUSSELL (422281) to be Lt., 8th Dec. 1953.

K.O.Y.L.I.

Short Serv. Commn.

Capt. F. J. DOBBYN (160569) (Emp. List 3) to be Maj., 7th Dec. 1953.

K.R.R.C.

Lt.-Col. K. H. COLLEN (41105) on completion of period of service in command remains on full pay (superny.), 9th Dec. 1953.

R.U.R.

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. M. D. ANDREW (413847) to be Lt., 7th Dec. 1953.

Gen. List (Infantry).

Short Serv. Commn.

Nelson James COLEMAN (431229) late Lt. R.N.R. to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1953, with seniority 7th Aug. 1951.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Capt. R. A. NIGHTINGALE (232773) to be Maj., 6th Dec. 1953.

Short Serv. Commn.

Capt. G. CLAPHAM (160228) to be Maj., 7th Dec. 1953.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Lt. C. J. ISAAC (370737) to be Capt., 6th Dec. 1953.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. G. F. WARD (167110) to be Maj., 8th Dec. 1953.

7585711 W.O. Cl. I (Cdr.) Leslie DOWNS (432192) to be Lt. (O.E.O.), 4th Nov. 1953.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.

Short Serv. Comms.

Capt. (Hon. Maj.) K. O. JONES (113322) Res. of Offrs. is restored to the Active List in the rank of Capt., 2nd Nov. 1953, with seniority 13th Dec. 1950, relinquishing the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. C. G. STEADMAN (173058) to be Maj., 9th Dec. 1953.

Lt. J. P. ELKINS (379253) to be Capt., 9th Dec. 1953.