

Maj. (Loc. Lt. Col.) H. N. COOPER, relinquished rank of Local Lieutenant Colonel 21st Feb. 1971, and placed on Retired List. 22nd Feb. 1971.

Maj. Sir Steuart R. PRINGLE, Bt., to be promoted Local Lieutenant Colonel. 1st Mar. 1971.

Lts. promoted Loc. Cpts. on dates stated:

A. C. LETCHFORD, M.B.E. 18th Jan. 1971.

M. N. McMULLEN. 19th Jan. 1971.

2nd Lts. withdrawn from training (own request) on dates stated:

J. STAGLES. 6th Jan. 1971.

D. F. W. BRADLEY. 13th Jan. 1971.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Capt. (E) F. R. MARRINER, placed on Retired List. 1st Jan. 1971.

The Reverend G. C. TAYLOR, V.R.D. and Clasp, Chapl'n, placed on Retired List. 24th Oct. 1970.

Lt. Cdr. (Sp) W. D. SHIPTON, to be placed on Retired List. 25th Feb. 1971.

Lt. Cdr. (Sp) F. J. BACKLOG, D.S.C., removed from Active List. 5th Feb. 1971.

Lt. Cdr. (L) F. F. THOMAS, V.R.D., placed on Retired List. 31st Jan. 1971.

Surgn. Lt. Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

G. W. HICKISH, V.R.D. 7th Oct. 1970.

R. A. GOODBODY, V.R.D. 30th Dec. 1970.

E. B. O. SMITH, V.R.D. 24th Jan. 1971.

Surgn. Lt. Cdr. J. P. WILLIAMS, R.D., placed on Retired List. 14th Feb. 1971.

Lts. promoted Lt. Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:

R. WICKS. 14th Jan. 1971 (14th Jan. 1971).

P. J. V. PAGET. 1st Feb. 1971 (1st Feb. 1971).

Lts. promoted Lt. Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:

J. G. BESANT. 15th Feb. 1971 (15th Feb. 1971).

M. J. CARTER. 16th Feb. 1971 (16th Feb. 1971).

S. W. J. PENNY. 18th Feb. 1971 (18th Feb. 1971).

Lt. J. BRUNSKILL, to be promoted Lt. Cdr. 25th Feb. 1971, with seny. 25th Feb. 1971.

Lt. (Sp) E. J. S. LAWRENSON, removed from Active List. 8th Feb. 1971.

Lt. (E) R. BROWN, promoted Lt. Cdr. (E) 1st Feb. 1971, with seny. 1st Feb. 1971.

Sub Lt. R. S. BARWISE, promoted Lt. 23rd Jan. 1971, with seny. 23rd Jan. 1971.

Sub Lt. A. M. ANDERSON, promoted Actg. Lt. 15th Jan. 1971, with seny. 22nd Dec. 1969.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

23rd February 1971.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY

Gen. Sir Michael CARVER, G.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C.(Gen.) (64649), late R.A.C., relinquishes his appointment as General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command, 22nd Feb. 1971.

Lt.-Gen. Sir Basil EUGSTER, K.C.B., K.C.V.O., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C. (65413), late Ft. Gds., is appointed General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command, and is granted the local rank of General, 22nd Feb. 1971.

Brig. (Acting Maj.-Gen.) R. M. SOMERVILLE, O.B.E. (126254), late R.A., to be Maj.-Gen., 4th Feb. 1971, with seniority 17th Oct. 1970.

HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY

R.H.G./D.

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. G. T. R. BIRDWOOD (485192) to be Lt., 17th Feb. 1971.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. J. F. St. G. AIREY (463306) 9/12 L., retires receiving a gratuity, 20th Feb. 1971.

Special Reg. Commn.

Capt. John Leslie THEOBALD (486367) R.T.R., from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 1st Feb. 1971, with seniority 16th Sep. 1964. To be Lt., 1st Feb. 1971, with seniority 16th Sep. 1966. To be Capt., 1st Feb. 1971 with seniority 16th Sep. 1970.

Short Serv. Commns.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts., 17th Feb. 1971:

R. W. BRUMMITT (485194) R.T.R.

W. M. HOLE (485202) Q.D.G.

T. P. MEHARG (485212) R.T.R.

C. M. L. PERRY (485215) 4/7 D.G.

J. R. THOROLD (485222) 9/12 L.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. R. A. S. LAURENCE (465575) from T. & A.V.R., R.Y.R., and at his own request, reverts to the rank of Lt., 1st Jan. 1971, with seniority 8th Feb. 1963.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. T. F. S. SOUTHGATE (109453) is appointed to the Special List, 21st Feb. 1971.

Lt. R. G. BLACKWELL (478070) to be Capt., 17th Feb. 1971.

Special Reg. Commns.

2nd Lt. R. JACKSON (485205) to be Lt., 17th Feb. 1971.

2nd Lt. Richard Kenneth WILLIAMS (481269) from Res. of Offrs. to be 2nd Lt., 18th Jan. 1971, with seniority 22nd Jun. 1968.

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. D. E. G. McLAREN (485210) to be Lt., 17th Feb. 1971.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. S. DOWLE, T.D. (460240) to be Maj., 7th Oct. 1970, with seniority 7th Oct. 1969.

Capt. R. G. BOWDEN (470787) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 19th Mar. 1971.

Lt. E. M. AGNEW (486268) resigns his commn., 1st May 1970.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III

Lt. D. F. THOMAS (451444) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. K. E. TURVER (461530) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 1st Dec. 1970.

Capt. R. H. KEELING (458944) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 14th Dec. 1970.

Capt. A. R. CRAM, T.D. (443009) from T. & A.V.R. (Unatt'd), to be Capt., 8th Dec. 1970, with seniority 2nd Mar. 1960.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. (Special List) P. S. BANBURY, M.B.E. (64665) retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1971.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Capt. J. H. RAW, T.D. (464611) from T. & A.V.R. to be Capt., 14th Jan. 1971.

Class III

Lt. N. W. H. ORMONDE (443117) resigns his commn., 4th Jan. 1971.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. M. H. MYERS, M.B.E. (430674) (Res. of Offrs., Class I, R.P.C.) at his own request reverts to the rank of Capt., 1st Nov. 1970, with seniority 21st Oct. 1962.

Lt. R. A. BROOMHEAD (475542) is granted the acting rank of Capt., 1st Jan. 1971.

Lt. F. J. P. WETTERN (486091) is placed on the Unatt'd List, 31st Dec. 1970.

Charles BAALHAM (480501) (formerly Capt., R. Signals) to be Capt., 6th Dec. 1970, with seniority 6th Dec. 1967.

Lt. (T.O.T.) A. D. PEEBLES (476913) to be Capt. (T.O.T.), 8th Jun. 1970.