M. H. CAREY (467538). B. R. COOPER (468970). M. S. HEATH (469016). С. М. Р. Тномрзом (475792). CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE D. A. WAYGOOD (458645). P. B. Hewlett-Smith (467957). **ROYAL PIONEER CORPS** Special Reg. Commn. E. R. Elliott (352907) with seniority 30th Jun. 1972. INTELLIGENCE CORPS M. T. J. BOURNE (465729). D. J. WATERS (468712). C. G. HOOK (469023). M. D. DURMAN (463831). J. J. MCMULLEN (478599). T. L. PARR (483541). **ARMY CATERING CORPS** R. J. Stringer (468458). N. 'S. Nash (468708). Special Reg. Commn. D. B. NELSON (441149), with seniority 30th Jun. 1972. HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY

R.H.G./D.

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. J. W. WYBURD (482881) to be Capt., 16th Dec. 1972.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Gen. Sir Allan TAYLOR, K.B.E., M.C., is appointed Colonel Commandant, Royal Tank Regiment, 1st Jan. 1973, in succession to Gen. Sir Michael CARVER, G.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., tenure expired. Capt. The Hon. G. E. I. MAITLAND-CAREW (467986) 15/19 H., retires receiving a gratuity, 31st Dec. 1972. Capt. J. J. IRWIN (469029) 5 Innis. D.G., retires receiving a gratuity, 1st Jan. 1973. Lt. William Stephen HowARD (493227) Q.O.H. from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 1st Dec. 1972. 2nd Lt. Nicholas Simon COOMBE (489894) R.T.R. from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 2nd Oct. 1972, with seniority 25th Jul. 1970.

Special Reg. Commn.

Lt. Adrian George Raymond CARROLL (488785) R.T.R. from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 6th Oct. 1972, with seniority 28th Apr. 1971. To be Lt., 6th Oct. 1972, with seniority 2nd Jul. 1972.

Short Serv. Commns. 22788030 W.O. I Brian Aisthorpe LEGGETT (494808) Q.D.G. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Dec. 1972. To be Lt., 1st Dec. 1972. 22560264 W.O. I Robert Ernest HARRIMAN (494597) R.T.R. to be 2nd Lt., 4th Dec. 1972. To be Lt., 4th Dec. 1972.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Lt. R. S. D. FORWOOD (472267) R.Y. from T.A.V.R. to be Lt., 24th Aug. 1972.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Gen. Sir Terence Douglas Herbert McMEEKIN, K.C.B., O.B.E., is appointed Colonel Commandant, Royal Regiment of Artillery, 5th Dec. 1972, in an existing vacancy.

Vacancy. Capt. Fintan Patrick RIORDAN (482199) from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (T.I.G.), 25th Oct. 1972. Lt. Michael O'DONOGHUE (483538) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 2nd Oct. 1972, with seniority 23rd Apr. 1969. To be Lt., 2nd Oct. 1972, with seniority 15th Apr. 1970. Capt. (T.I.G.) B. A. COOK (479850) to be Maj. (T.I.G.), 30th Dec. 1972

30th Dec. 1972.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III Capt. D. L. SLADE, T.D. (464358) from T.A.V.R. to be Capt., 30th Sep. 1972.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt.-Col. C. J. BUCKINGHAM, T.D. (399129) retires 20th

Lu-Col. C. J. BUCKINGHAM, T.D. (399129) retires 20th Oct. 1972, retaining the rank of Lt-Col. Maj. C. S. HARVEY, M.B.E., T.D. (320597) to be Bt. Lt-Col., 1st Jan. 1973. Maj. J. P. HOLDEN, T.D. (423327) to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) D. M. SEAL (492113) from T.A.V.R., General List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 31st Jul. 1972, with seniority 8th Jun. 1971.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Albert Norman Hill (485965) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 2nd Dec. 1972. Lt. G. S. LUCAS (479439) to be Capt., 31st Dec. 1972.

Postal & Courier Section Lt. Donald BRAMLEY (491756) from SI Commn. to be Capt. (P.E.O.), 23rd Nov. 1972. Short Serv.

Special Reg. Commn.

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. P. EVANS (487334) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 7th Apr. 1972.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II Maj. H. A. LOVETT, T.D. (441934) from T.A.V.R. to be Maj., 30th Sep. 1971.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Lt. R. A. C. GOODWIN (488024) is granted the acting rank of Capt., 21st Nov. 1972. Lt.-Col. (Q.M.) James TIERNEY (453354) (formerly A.C.C.) at his own request reverts to the rank of Capt., 10th Nov. 1972.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Leslie Thomas WAUMSLEY (481068) from Special Capt. Leslie Thomas WAUMSLEY (481068) from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (Tfc. Offr.), 1st Nov. 1972. Capt. Reginald COCKCROFT (488917) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 1st Nov. 1972. Lt. Mark Evan WILSON (491637) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 17th Nov., 1972. Lt. Rodney GOODMAN, B.E.M. (491095), from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (T.O.T.), 1st Dec. 1972. Lt. Howard Ernest WRIGHT (492529) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Tfc. Offr.), 1st Dec. 1972.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt. C. P. STENNING (480622) to be Capt., 1st Oct. 1972.

2nd Lt. (on probation) R. M. G. MCNAUGHT (489154) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 6th Mar. 1970, with seniority 6th Mar. 1968. To be Lt., 1st Aug. 1972, with seniority 6th Mar. 1970.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. J. H. JAMES (451272) Coldm. Gds. retires on retired pay, 29th Dec. 1972. Lt. E. H. HOUSTOUN (476876) Gren. Gds. to be Capt.,

2nd Jan. 1973. Lt. H. M. P. D. HARCLERODE (483799) I.G. resigns his commn., 31st Dec. 1972.

Special Reg. Commn.

Lt. J. LOUDON (490746) S.G. to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1973.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

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Maj. D. G. M. MOWATT, T.D. (466330) from T.A.V.R., 1/51 Highland to be Maj., 31st Aug. 1972. Lt. R. B. SMITH (471443) from T.A.V.R., 1/51 High-land to be Lt., 23rd Oct. 1972.