

Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:
 G. J. MERRET. 14th Feb. 1973 (1st Feb. 1971).
 A. G. C. BLACK. 26th Feb. 1973 (1st Nov. 1972).

Ty. Lt. I. R. YOUNG, placed on Retired List. 1st Apr. 1973.

Lt. (SD) (Ret'd) W. H. WEST, reverts to Retired List. 1st Apr. 1973.

Lts. (SL) promoted Lt. Cdrs. (SL) 1st Mar. 1973 with seny. 1st Mar. 1973:
 M. A. MILLER, C. A. WHEAL, K. H. BAINBRIDGE, R. H. GEALER.

Lt. (SL) J. E. BOWNS, transferred to General List (Engr'g Spec'n.) 1st Mar. 1973 in rank of Lt. Cdr. with seny. 1st Nov. 1972.

Lts. (Supplementary List) transferred to General List (Engr'g) 1st Mar. 1973. Delete entries (*London Gazette* (Supplement) dated 20th Mar. 1973 refers).

Lts. (SL) transferred to General List (Engr'g Spec'n) 1st Mar. 1973 in rank of Lt. with seny. stated:
 H. D. BENNETT. 1st Apr. 1969.
 D. N. BRITTEN. 1st Mar. 1970.
 R. M. PRYNN. 1st Dec. 1970.
 I. DRAYCOTT. 23rd Dec. 1970.
 G. J. CARRICK. 1st Dec. 1971.

Instr. Lts. placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commissions for period of 4 years on dates stated:
 C. HARLING, B.Sc. 29th Mar. 1973.
 B. L. CORDNER, B.Sc. 1st Apr. 1973.

Surgn. Lt. J. O. SOUL, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.M.S.S.A. (SSC) transferred to 16 year Pensionable Commission 16th Jan. 1973 with seny. 16th Aug. 1971.

Surgn. Lt. C. I. DORIS, M.B., Ch.B., placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 1st Apr. 1973.

To be granted 3 year Short Service Commission in rank of Surgn. Lt. 9th Apr. 1973 with seny. 9th Jan. 1971:
 A. H. RODERICK, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.Obst.R.C.O.G.

Actg. Surgn. Lt. C. J. CHURCHER-BROWN, to be granted 5 year Short Service Commission 24th Apr. 1973 and promoted Surgn. Lt. 24th Apr. 1973 with seny. 24th Apr. 1973.

Surgn. Lts. (D) (SSC) transferred to Permanent List 1st Apr. 1973 with seny. stated:
 I. L. KELLY, B.D.S. 15th Jul. 1968.
 J. HARGRAVES, B.D.S., L.D.S. 7th Jan. 1969.
 M. N. D. ROBERTS, B.D.S., L.D.S. 2nd Sep. 1969.

Sub Lt. D. LARKMAN, promoted Lt. 1st Mar. 1973 with seny. 1st Mar. 1973.

Sub Lts. promoted Lts. 1st Apr. 1973 with seny. 1st Apr. 1973:
 M. J. BAMBOROUGH, R. EDWARDS.

Actg. Sub Lts. confirmed Sub Lts. 1st Apr. 1973 with seny. stated:
 D. E. WESTERN. 14th Jun. 1971.
 M. A. HORTON, R. K. TRAPNELL. 27th Sep. 1971.
 R. TRITTON. 3rd Jan. 1972.

Ty. Sub Lts. placed on Retired List on dates stated:
 D. C. WILKINSON, B.E.M. 31st Mar. 1973.
 R. L. TICEHURST. 1st Apr. 1973.

Ty. Sub Lt. F. W. W. ANDREWS, to be placed on Retired List. 5th Apr. 1973.

Actg. Sub Lt. (SD) T. McCALL, confirmed Sub Lt. (MS) 3rd Jan. 1973 with seny. 3rd Jan. 1972.

Sub Lts. (SL) to be promoted Lts. (SL) on dates and with seny. stated:
 B. ALLCOCK. 4th Apr. 1973 (4th Apr. 1973).
 G. A. WRIGHT. 7th Apr. 1973 (7th Apr. 1973).
 L. MOORES. 10th Apr. 1973 (10th Apr. 1973).

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) N. TAYLOR, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL) 11th Mar. 1973 with seny. 11th Jun. 1971.

ROYAL MARINES

Majs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:
 R. FROST. 29th Mar. 1973.
 D. A. CARRIE. 30th Mar. 1973.

Maj. F. C. TOWNSEND, O.B.E., to be placed on Retired List. 8th Apr. 1973.
 Maj. M. H. DENYER, placed on Retired List (own request). 29th Mar. 1973.

Cpts. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

P. D. HAWKINS. 30th Mar. 1973.
 A. C. CHRISTIE. 31st Mar. 1973.
 Capt. P. BAXTER, to be promoted Maj. 8th Apr. 1973.
 Lt. (Loc. Capt.) R. I. S. HAWKINS, to be promoted Capt. 10th Apr. 1973.
 Lt. A. S. J. BAINES, placed on Retired List. 31st Mar. 1973.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Lt. Cdrs. (Sp) placed on Retired List on dates stated:
 A. S. C. HARRIS, R.D. 28th Feb. 1973.
 E. ARCHER, R.D., A. F. VYVYAN-ROBINSON, R.D. 7th Mar. 1973.
 Surgn. Lt. Cdr. J. A. H. BOOTES, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., placed on Retired List. 28th Feb. 1973.
 Lt. N. G. M. D'ARCY, to be placed on Retired List. 10th Apr. 1973.
 Lt. J. C. MENZIES, promoted Lt. Cdr. 5th Mar. 1973 with seny. 5th Mar. 1973.
 Actg. Lt. R. N. ADAMS, promoted Lt. 17th Feb. 1973 with seny. 26th Jul. 1971.
 Lt. (Sp) B. HAGGATH promoted Lt. Cdr. (Sp) 5th Feb. 1973 with seny. 5th Feb. 1973.
 Lt. (Sp) R. D. J. BAKER, promoted Actg. Lt. Cdr. (Sp) 1st Apr. 1973 with seny. 1st Apr. 1973.
 Sub Lt. M. K. EARP, promoted Lt. 1st Apr. 1973 with seny. 1st Apr. 1973.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

3rd April 1973.

Brig. George Holmes HOERDER, M.B.E., late R. Signals, is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 30th Mar. 1973, in succession to Brig. Thomas Ian Gordon GRAY, retired.

Brig. John Meredith BELLMAN, M.C., late R.A., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 31st Mar. 1973, in succession to Brig. Richard Mansfield BREMNER, O.B.E., retired.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Gen. Sir Cecil BLACKER, K.C.B., O.B.E., M.C. (67083), late R.A.C., relinquishes the appointment of Vice-Chief of the General Staff, Ministry of Defence, 2nd Apr. 1973.

Maj.-Gen. D. W. FRASER, O.B.E. (184424), late Ft. Gds., is appointed Vice-Chief of the General Staff, Ministry of Defence, and to be Lt.-Gen., 2nd Apr. 1973, with seniority 1st Jul. 1972.

Maj.-Gen. D. A. H. TOLER, O.B.E., M.C. (165027), late Ft. Gds., relinquishes the appointment of General Officer Commanding, East Midland District, 31st Mar. 1973, and retires on retired pay, 1st Apr. 1973.

Brig. (Acting Maj.-Gen.) J. G. R. ALLEN (245305), late R.A.C., to be Maj.-Gen., 1st Apr. 1973, with seniority 15th Dec. 1972.

The undermentioned Brigs. retire on retired pay on the dates shown:

J. D. MASTERS (180462), late R.A.C., 28th Mar. 1973.

T. I. G. GRAY (187852), late R. Signals, 30th Mar. 1973.

R. M. BREMNER, O.B.E. (105882), late R.A., 31st Mar. 1973.