

Lord, Lord Shinwell, referred—an uncommitted Reserve.

My noble friend asked me about uniforms. Certainly it is our aim to provide the new units with their uniforms as soon as possible, but I hope he will appreciate that there are some administrative difficulties about this. However, we shall do what we can.

Lastly, he asked me whether it would be possible for there to be some practice of rapid reinforcement

exercises to Germany—for example, that one unit or another might fly out for the week-end. This is an interesting idea, because I am sure that reinforcement is one of the most important problems that we have to face.

I should like to look at the suggestion my noble friend has made, and I will communicate with him later on.

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## EXPANSION OF THE TAVR

### *First List of new Commanding Officers*

**F**OLLOWING is a first list of the Commanding Officers who have so far been selected to command the new Units.

May we offer them our congratulations and best wishes for a successful tour in command in the challenging and rewarding circumstances which face them:

WESSEX YEO.

**Maj. The Hon. T. M. Ponsonby**  
(from OC RGH Cadre)

2/52 LOWLAND (V)

**Maj. R. Barnes**  
(from 2 i/c 52 Lowland (V))

6 QUEENS (V)

**Maj. (B/Lt. Col.) D. G. Wilson, TD**  
(from OC 6 Queens Cadre)

2/51 HIGHLAND (V)

**Maj. D. J. A. Grant (QO Hldrs)**  
(from Coy. Comd. Scottish Inf. Depot (Bridge of Don))

6 R ANGLIAN

**Maj. (B/Lt. Col.) P. W. Raywood, TD**  
(from OC R Norfolk Cadre)

DLOY (RTR)

**B/Lt. Col. N. M. Phillips (TAVR)**  
(from Cadre DLOY (RTR))

MERCIAN YEO.

**B/Lt. Col. C. A. Eade (TAVR)**  
(from Shrops Yeo. Cadre)

7 QUEENS

**Lt.-Col. J. B. Oglivie, TD Queens (RARO)**  
(from late QORWK)

2 YORKS (V)

**Maj. W. P. Sheppard, MC (TAVR)**  
(from Cadre PWO)

3 YORKS (V)

**Maj. L. H. Tattersall, TD (TAVR)**  
(from OC Cadre SAVRA)

5 R IRISH

**Maj. J. A. Creaney, TD (TAVR)**  
(from R IR F Cadre)

LI & MERCIAN (V)

**Maj. P. Shaw, TD (TAVR)**  
(from LI (V))

2 LANCES (V)

**Maj. F. A. Kelly (TAVR)**  
(from Lances (V))

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE and DERBYSHIRE REGT

**Maj. P. T. S. Bowlby (TAVR)**  
(from RAC Cadre LDY)

7 R ANGLIAN (V)

**Maj. W. G. Wallace, TD (TAVR)**  
(from 5 R Anglian (V))

NORTHUMBRIAN VOLUNTEERS

**Maj. C. A. F. Baker-Creswell, TD, RAR0II**  
(from The Light Div.)

3 RWF (V)

**Maj. J. P. Lloyd, TD**  
(from Welsh (V))

4 RRW (V)

**Maj. G. R. Miles, TD**  
(from Cadre 4 Welch)

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#### SOCCER SEMI-FINALS

The following teams were semi-finalists in the TAVR Soccer Competition:

225 Fd. Sqn. RE v. 64 Sig. Sqn.  
(Warley, Worcs.) (Sheffield)

51 Ord. Fd. Pk. RAOC v. C Coy. N. Irish Militia  
(Glasgow) (Armagh)

It is hoped to report the matches fully next month.