

SENIOR APPOINTMENTS

Director of Medical Services, Far East Land Forces

Major-General Lewis Trevor Furnivall, C.B., D.S.O., Q.H.S., M.R.C.S., who has been posted as D.M.S., Far East Land Forces was born in Shoeburyness, Essex on 6th September, 1907. He was educated at Blundell's School and London University (St. Mary's Hospital) from where he graduated M.R.C.S. (England) L.R.C.P. (London) in 1931.

He was commissioned in the Royal Army Medical Corps in June 1931 and, following secondment to a civil appointment, joined for full duties in February 1932.

He has served in the United Kingdom, India, Middle East, North West Europe, B.A.O.R., Hong Kong and in France.

His senior appointments have been as Assistant Director of Medical Services, 43 Division, London District and Northumbrian District; Deputy Director of Medical Services, HQ B.A.O.R., DDMS Logistics Division SHAPE; Inspector of Training RAMC. His previous appointment was Deputy Director of Medical Services, Eastern Command.

He was awarded the D.S.O. in North Africa in 1943, Mentioned in Despatches in North West Europe in 1946 and appointed C.B. in 1964. He was appointed Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty the Queen in 1961.

He is married with four children.

Deputy Director of Medical Services, Eastern Command

Brigadier T. M. R. Ahern, C.B.E., Q.H.S., M.B., to be DDMS, Eastern Command in May 1965 with the rank of Major-General.

Timothy Michael Richard Ahern was born in Kasauli, India, on 16th August, 1908. He was educated at Ampleforth College and at Dublin University, from where he graduated in 1931.

He was commissioned in the Royal Army Medical Corps in July 1931 and, following secondment to a civil appointment, joined for full duties in July 1932.

He has served in the United Kingdom, India, Burma, Italy, Egypt, Palestine, Austria, Greece, France, the United States of America and in B.A.O.R..

His senior appointments have been as Assistant Director of Medical Services to 8th Army, 46 Infantry Division, 1st Armoured Division and British Military Mission (Greece): Chief of Medical Plans and Operations Section at SHAPE; Commandant, Field Training Centre RAMC; RAMC Exchange Officer with British Joint Services Mission (Army Staff), Washington; Deputy Director of Medical Services, 1 (British) Corps B.A.O.R. His previous appointment was Deputy Director of Medical Services, Northern Command, York.

He was appointed O.B.E. in 1945, to the Order of St. John of Jerusalem in 1958, and to C.B.E. in 1959. He was Mentioned in Despatches in Italy in 1945, and appointed Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty the Queen in 1961.

He is married with three children.