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PROMOTIONS, OFFICERS
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1	13 Aug	244/HQ	To chief staff officer
2	19 "	-	From: SCAO Syracuse
3	21 "	233/HQ	Li. SCAO, Syracuse.
4	23 Aug	-	S.C.A.O. Trapani
5	23 "	-	S.C.A.O. Trapani } To US PER SEC.
6	- Aug	Call Prov/S	SCAO Galin isetta
7	28 Aug	-	From S.C.A.O. Trapani
8	6 Sept	2-23 F.	from C.F.O.
9	20 Aug	201/HQ.	from SCAO
10	10 Sept	5016/CS.	D.E.S. & R. To 7752/6
11	15 "	229/HQ.	G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon
12	15 "	233/HQ.	Canadian Military H.Q. London
13	1 "	-	M.G.S. A.F.H.Q.
14	19 "	201-Simpson H.B.	From: Maj. H.B. Simpson
15	24 "	233/HQ.	A.F.H.Q. M.G.S.
16	24 "	-	To: Angot: RCAO, Region 3
17	28 "	-	From: SCAO Messina
18	30 "	-	Extract from CCAO's report
19	6 Oct	233/HQ.	From: SCAO Palermo
20	13 Oct	233/HQ	From: " Messina
21	14 "	3006/HQ	To Major Price
22	30 Sept	-	From D. P.H. to promotions
23	20 "	-	pending file
24	15 Oct	233/HQ.	" SCAO Palermo
25	17 "	233/HQ	" Lt. Weyfield
26	17 "	233/HQ	To: SCAO
27	17 "	233/HQ	To MGS. AFHQ 211
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PROVINCE OF AGRIGENTO

CIVIL AFFAIRS OFFICE
(UFFICIO DEGLI AFFARI CIVILI)

25 October 1943

CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Recommendations for promotions of British Officers

TO : Chief Staff Officer

1. Reference MCOT, 233, H. Dated 18 October 1943, regarding above subject, your attention to Confidential letter to CCAO, dated 30 September 1943, Subject, "Promotion of officers" from Lt. Col. G. H. McCaffrey is requested. The recommendations for British officers contained therein are intimated heartily.

2. The recommendations referred to in paragraph #1 are as follows:

- a. Capt. R. I. B. DeTherry to rank of Major.
- b. Capt. J. J. Kelgill (This officer has since been made SCAO of Inns and it is presumed he will be promoted from his present rank of Major to Lieutenant Colonel.)
- c. 1st. Lt. G. Noble to rank of Captain.
- d. 1st. Lt. D. W. Hobbs to rank of Captain.

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3. 1st. Lt. L. A. E. Bidings was not included in the above mentioned list but Lt. Col. McCaffrey verbally recommended before his transfer that this officer be recommended by me for promotion. In this I fully agree. Lt. Bidings has been a conscientious and hard worker and of those officers who have done C&O and C&O work in Cannes, he is second only to Lt. G. Noble in this Province.

Ray Ashworth

RAY ASHWORTH
Major, Inf.
SCAO

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT, Sicily Region Headquarters, 11/3/43
10/25/43
TO: Chief Staff Officer - AMGOT HEADQUARTERS.

Forwarded for your attention. I concur strongly for these recommendations.

Charles Poletti

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Regional Civil Affairs Officer

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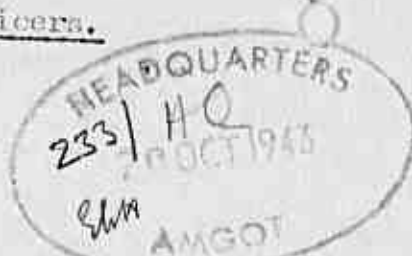
Subject:- Promotions - Officers.

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H.Q.,
Amgot.
Palermo.



I wish to bring the following Officer to your notice:-

2/Lieut. R.K.Bryant - 01795857. date of commission 9.10.42.

He has done and is doing an excellent job. He is filling, in fact, a Captain's appointment and has 9 commences under him. He well deserves promotion which in my opinion should be antedated to the date of his arrival in Sicily.

Siracusa.
15 Oct 43.

PA by Capt
Shawcross

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Lt-Col.
S.C.A.O.
A.M.G.O.T.

[Signature] Shawcross

SUBJECT:- Promotions - Officers.

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H.Q.
Amgot.
Palermo.



It is a pleasure for me to recommend for promotion 2/Lieut. Seymour Pinchefsky. Date of commission 26.3.43.

Lieut. Pinchefsky has displayed considerable ability and his work in my opinion, fully justifies advancement.

Siracusa.
15 Oct 43

[Signature]
Lt-Col. S.C.A.O.,
A.M.G.O.T. 3211

Capt Steward

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S.C.A.O. Palermo
Trapani
Gallianisetta
Agrigento
Messina

Catania
Siracusa
Enna
Ragusa

AMCOT/253/HQ
AMCOT HQ SECRET
18 October 1943

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Please submit most urgently any recommendations for the promotion of
British officers which you may wish to make.

W.A. Sherrill
for *Case NE*
WILLIAM B. SHERRILL
Colonel, G.S.C., 3210
Chief Staff Officer.

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Promotions, Officers.

AMCOT/233/EO

Lt. Col. Charles Poletti

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With reference to your OP/nr dated 30 Sept. 43 — 22

If you will please submit specific recommendations for the promotion of individual officers I will see that they are considered by the appropriate authority.

Yours, *~*

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ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
Palermo Province

CP/nr

30 September 1943

233/HQ.

MEMORANDUM:

TO : Chief Staff Officer - AMGOT HEADQUARTERS

1. At the conclusion of last Sunday's C.A.O. conference, a number of British officers, and in particular those recruited from the British Police Force expressed dissatisfaction and discontent that, with the creation of the Armistice Control Commission, information had reached them to the effect that officers junior to them in the police service are now in the Army much higher rank to themselves.

2. They referred to verbal promises made by the War Office on posting them to AMGOT that they could count on early promotions which have remained unfulfilled and they feel very strongly that their interests have been neglected.

3. The officers concerned have done a very fine job so far and are worthy of every consideration and that something should be done for them is warmly recommended.

4. I wish especially to recommend Major Hancock. He is an exceptionally able Civil Affairs Officer. He is thoroughly experienced, has sound judgement, tact and cordiality in treating with Italian officials and civilians.

CHARLES POLETTI
Lt. Colonel
Senior Civil Affairs Officer

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AMCOT H.Q. SICILY

AMCOT/233/11.

13 October, 1943.

Dear Major Pine

I am sending you herewith a few notes on recommendations for promotion of officers. If there is no immediate prospect of the General's return, perhaps you would be good enough to obtain his approval of any promotions which he wishes to have effected, and send the papers back to me.

I believe it is intended that Major Gayre should assume the appointment of Educational Adviser (Lieut-Colonel), and I should be grateful of the General's approval of my own transfer to Education in accordance with Major Gayre's letter and Col. Spofford's note thereon.

Yours, *W.A.J.*

W.A.J.

Original sent by hand.

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6. Personal. Should Wellesley go home, I want French appointed to Catania in his place. Turbun should then go to Syracuse and any of the following can be appointed to Ragusa:-

Reigwin
Croft
Rives

Fricker
Corliss
? Americans

*Extract from CCA's
report dated 28.9.43
filed on 220/HW 7-16.*

The vacancy created by Wellesley and consequent promotion to (B) W.B. are to be held up pending any consideration. But if there is a Major's vacancy now, Reigwin is to be promoted forthwith. He is in any event to have the first vacancy available.

SUBJECT: Promotion - Officers.

AMGOT/253/HQ.

AMGOT H.Q. SICILY.

24 Sept 43.

AMGOT, R.C.A.O.
Region 3.

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The attached application from
Major H.B. SIMPSON is forwarded as this
officer would appear to be on your strength.

Major General,
R.C.A.O.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
Military Government Section

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19 September 1943

201 - SIMSON, H.B.

SUBJECT: Your AMGOT/233/HQ dated 15 Sept.

TO : AMGOT HQ SICILY.

1. Major H. B. Simson is on the strength of AMG Region 3 which is at present under your command.

2. It would appear that this application should have been submitted to RCAF Region 3 in the first instance. No promotion, however, can be made unless RCAF Region 3 is prepared to recommend this officer to fill a vacancy in a Lieut. Colonel's appointment on the establishment of Region 3.

3. Application is therefore returned herewith for onward transmission to AMG Region 3.

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DALRYMPLE
Lt. Colonel
Military Government Section

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11.
SUBJECT: Postings & Assignments - 1st Lt.

AMCOT/229/100.

AMCOT HQ. STOLE.

15 Sept 43.

General Military H.Q.
General St. LONDON. S.I.I.

T/Capt. A.W. ABE has acted as
S.I.O.S. in the rank of Captain since 10th
May 43, may this officer please be confirmed
in his rank and the appropriate authority
notified to this H.Q.

(Sgd) *L. M. Davis*
Capt
Major-General,
S.I.O.S.

Copy to:- S.I.O.S. Caltanissetta.
(Your GALT PROV/5 of Aug. 43 refers)
⑥ Capt. Abel's personal file.
File 233/100.

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SUBJECT: Promotion - Officers. 12

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ANGOT H.Q. SECTION.

15 Sept 43.

H.Q.S.
A.F.H.Q.

The attached application from
Major H.B. SIMPSON is forwarded as this
officer would appear to be on your strength.

Major-General,
C.G.A.O.

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G.M.Q. 2ND ECHELON - NORTH AFRICA.

Part 14 Orders (Officers) Royal Engineers Serial No. 1049(X>List) (Sheet 1).
dated, 5 Sep 43. (Last Order (R.E.) published - Serial No. 1046 (X>List).
dated, 5 Sep 43.

Rank and Name.	Personal Number.	Unit.	Particulars of Casualties Dates and Authorities.
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1. Appointments and Promotions.

Capt. D.A. Boyd.	163541	A.M.G.O.T. (X(1))	Appointed G.S.O.2. A.M.G.O. T. and granted the A rank of Major pending receipt of T/rank wef 15 May 43. Authy Appx "1" to A.F.G.I.C. No. 274 d/d 16 Jun 43.
Lieut. J.A. Adlerley. (T/Capt).	134600	H.Q. First Army. (X(1))	Retains T rank of Capt on posting to H.Q. 141 force wef 28 Mar 43 (Authy as above).
W/Lieut. N.P. Lind.	220972	H.Q. 6 Armd. Div. (X(1))	Relinquishes appt of F.O. R.E., H.Q. 6 Armd Div wef 12 Apr 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.I.C. No. 28 d/d 25 Jun 43.
Capt. E.W. Proctor. (T/Major).	125703	C.T.C. (X(1))	Relinquishes appt of Master Beach Organisation Task Wing C.T.C. retaining T/rank of Major wef 24 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.I.C. No. 299 d/d 2 Jul 43.)
Capt. E.W. Proctor. (T/Major).	125703	C.T.C. (X(1))	Appt A.M.G. (Nov) C.T.C. and granted the A rank and paid a rank of Lt. Col wef 24 May 43. (V.O. A/Lt. of F.F. Unborne, Authy: as

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Capt. D.A. Boyd,	163541	A.M.G.O.T. (X(1))	Appointed G.S.O.2, A.L.G.O. T. and granted the A rank of Major pending receipt of T/rank ref 15 May 43. Authy Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 274 d/d 18 Jun 43.
Lieut. J.A. Adderley, (T/Capt).	134600	H.Q. First Army. (X(1))	Retains rank of Capt on posting to H.Q. 141 Force ref 28 Mar 43 (Authy As above).
W/Lieut. N.P. Lind.	220972	H.Q. 6 Armd. Div. (X(1))	3201 Relinquishes apt of T.O. R.E., H.Q. 6 Armd Div ref 12 Apr 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 28 d/d 25 Jun 43.
Capt. E.W. Proctor, (T/Major).	125793	C.T.C. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt of Inter Beach Organisation T/O Wing C.T.C. retaining T/rank of Major ref 24 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R. O. No. 299 d/d 2 Jul 50.)
Capt. E.W. Proctor, (T/Major).	125793	C.T.C. (X(1))	Appx A.M.G. (Mov) C.T.C. and granted the A rank and paid A rank of Lt. Col ref 24 May 43. (V.O. A/Lt. Col F.T. Wynborne, Authy: As above.)
Capt. F.T. Wynborne, (T/Major) (A/Lt. Col).	119876	C.T.C. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt of A.L.K. G. (Mov) C.T.C. and appx A.M.G. (Mov) Movement Control N.A.T. (Public and Phillipville Area) ref 24 May 43 retaining A rank of Lt. Col (Authy: As above).
Capt. A.J. Millman, (T/Major).	15411	A.F.R.O. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt of A.L.K. G. (Mov) A.F.R.O. to be A.M.G. (Mov) Movement Control N.A.T. (Bouge and Phillipville Area) retain ing the T/rank of Major ref 20 Mar 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 299 d/d 2 Jul 43.

Seen by Capt Davis

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Part 11 Orders (Officers) Royal Engineers (X>List) Serial No. 1019 (Sheet 2)
 Dated 5 Sep 43. (Last Order (R.E.) (X>List) Published - Serial No. 1015
 Dated 5 Sep 43.

Rank and Name.	Personal Number.	Unit.	Particulars of Casualties Dates and Authorities.
1. Appointments and Promotions (Contd).			
Capt. H.R. Clements. (T/Major).	72219	A.F.H.Q. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt as D.A.D. Works A.F.H.Q. to be D.A.D. Works H.Q. 141 Force retain T/rank of Major wof 5 Jun 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R. No. 229 d/d 2 Jul 43.
Capt. W.C. Harvey. (T/Major).	112572	A.F.H.Q. (X(4))	Apt D.A.D. D.S. A.F.H.Q. Retaining T/rank of Major wof 28 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/d 2 Jul 43.
Capt. C.G. Omond. (T/Major.)	99540	A.F.H.Q. (X(1))	Apt D.A.D. D.S. A.F.H.Q. retaining T/rank of Major wof 31 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/d 2 Jul 43.
Capt. J. Kelly. (T/Major.)	146021	H.Q. First Army. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt as S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. First Army to be S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. 141 Force retaining T/rank of Major wof 4 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/d 2 Jul 43.
Major. J.O. Dwyer.	31536	H.Q. First Army. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt as S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. First Army to be S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. 141 Force retaining T/rank of Major wof 16 Jun 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/d 2 Jul 43.
Lieut. P.P.J. Williams. (T/Capt).	45031.	A.F.H.Q. (X(1))	Relinquishes apt as Staff Capt. (Works) A.F.H.Q. to be

Capt. W.C. Harvey. (T/Major).	112572	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Appt D.A.D.S. A.F.H.Q. Retaining T/rank of Major wof 28 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/a 2 Jul 43.
Capt. C.G. Osmond. (T/Major).	99540	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Appt D.A.D.S. A.F.H.Q. retaining T/rank of Major wof 31 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/a 2 Jul 43.
Capt. J. Kelly. (T/Major).	146024	H.Q. First Army. (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. First Army to be S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. 141 Force retaining T/rank of Major wof 4 May 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/a 2 Jul 43.
Major. J.O. Dwyer.	31536	H.Q. First Army. (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. First Army to be S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. 141 Force retaining T/rank of Major wof 16 Jun 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/a 2 Jul 43.
Lieut. B.P.J. Williams. (T/Capt).	45031.	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as Staff Capt. (Works) A.F.H.Q. to be S.O.R.E. 2, H.Q. 141 Force retaining T/rank of Capt wof 16 Jun 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 229 d/a 2 Jul 43.
Major. C.A. Bridgland. (T/Lt. Col).	5672	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as A.A.G. to be A.D.A.G. A.F.H.Q. and granted the unpaid and paid A/rank of Col wof 7 Jun 43 (Vice T/Col. W.G. Pidsley) (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/a 9 Jul 43).
Capt. C.G. Haythorn-Thwaites. (T/Major).	78605	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Appt D.A.D. Works (Stores) A.F.H.Q. retaining T/rank of Major wof 5 Jun 43 (Authy: Appx "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/a 9 Jul 43.

G.H.Q. 2ND ECHELON - NORTH AFRICA.

Part 11 Orders (Officers) Royal Engineers (X.List) Serial No. 1019 (Sheet 3).
 Dated, 5 Sep 43. (Last Order (R.E.) (X.List) published - Serial No. 1016.
 dated, 5 Sep 43.

Rank and Name.	Personal No. Unit. Number.	Particulars of Casualties Dates and Authorities.
<u>1. Appointments and Promotions (Contd).</u>		
Capt. D.I. Burnett. (T/Major).	49785	Apt D.A.D. Svy A.F.H.Q. retaining T/rank of Major wef 17 Jun 43 (Authy: APPZ "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
T/Capt. D.H. Chaplin.	235947	A.F.H.Q. (X(i)) Relinquishes apt as Staff Capt (T.N.) to be D.A.D. Tn A.F.H.Q. and granted the w/aid and paid A/rank of Major wef 16 Jun 43 (Vice T/Major G.F. George) (Authy: APPZ "I" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
Lieut. W.A. MacFadyen.	180380	Apt Staff Capt Works A.F. H.Q. and granted the w/aid and paid A/rank of 32nd Inf 16 May 43 (Authy: APPZ "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
Lt. Col. A.D. Campbell, R.E. (T/Brig).	5768	A.F.H.Q. Corps. (X(i)) Relinquishes apt as C.E. 9 Corps on posting to No. 1 G.R.T.D. retaining the T/ rank of Brigadier wef 2 Jun 43 (Authy: APPZ "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
2. Hospital Discharges. W/Lieut. C.A. Munro.	130868	(X(ii)) Discharged from 72 Gen Hosp. on 21 Jul 43 and proceeded to No. 1 G.R.T.D. Posted to X. (iv) List.

Relinquishes appt as Staff Capt (T.M.) to be D.A.D. Tn A.F.H.Q. and granted the u/paid and paid A/rank of Major wef 15 Jun 43 (Vice T/Major G.F. George) (Authy: Annex "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	188330	Lieut. W. MacFadyen.	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as Staff Capt (T.M.) to be D.A.D. Tn A.F.H.Q. and granted the u/paid and paid A/rank of Major wef 15 Jun 43 (Vice T/Major G.F. George) (Authy: Annex "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
Appt Staff Capt Works A.F.H.Q. and granted the u/paid and paid A/rank of Major wef 16 May 43 (Authy: Annex "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.	A.F.H.Q. (X(i))	5768	Lt. Col. A.D. Cambell, N.C. (T/Tric).	H.Q. 9 Corps (X(i))	Relinquishes appt as C.E. 9 Corps on posting to No. 1 G.R.T.D. retaining the T/rank of Brigadier wef 2 Jun 43 (Authy: Annex "A" to A.F.G.R.O. No. 313 d/d 9 Jul 43.
Discharged from 72 Gen Hosp on 24 Jul 43 and proceeded to No. 1 G.R.T.D. Posted to X.(iv) List.	(X(ii))	130868	2. Hosmitel. Discharges. W/Lieut. C.J. Munro.	(X(ii))	Discharged from 72 Gen Hosp on 24 Jul 43 and proceeded to No. 1 G.R.T.D. Posted to X.(iv) List.
Posted to 694 A.V. Coy wef 15 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.	No. 1 G.R.T.D. (X(iv))	267974	3. Postings. 2/Lieut. D.W. Watson.	- do -	Posted to 694 A.V. Coy wef 15 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.
Posted to C.R.D. Algiers Area wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.	- do -	179443	T/Capt. E.A. Clouter.	- do -	Posted to C.R.D. Algiers Area wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.
Posted to 625 Fd Sqn wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.	- do -	271143	2/Lieut. R.D. Ardagh.	- do -	Posted to 625 Fd Sqn wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.
Posted to 586 A Fd Coy wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.	- do -	271162	2/Lieut. A.D. Freeman.	- do -	Posted to 586 A Fd Coy wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.
Posted to 271 Fd Coy wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.	- do -	271755	2/Lieut. S.L. Droug.	- do -	Posted to 271 Fd Coy wef 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X. List.

G.H.Q. 2ND ECHOLON - NORTH AFRICA.

Part 11 Orders (Officers) Royal Engineers (X.List) Serial No. 1019 (Sheet 4 & Last)
 Dated, 5 Sep 43. (Last Order (R.E.) (X.List) published - Serial No. 1016,
 dated, 5 Sep 43.)

Rank and Name.	Personal Number.	Unit.	Particulars of Casualties Dates and Authorities.
3. Postings (Contd). W/Lieut. J.M. Bland.	233360	Allied School of Infantry. (X(i))	Posted to H.Q. R.E. 1 Div wof 19 Jul 43 and S.O. X.List.
A/Lt. Col. E.W. Proctor.	125105	H.Q. C.T.C. (X(i))	P/A to A.F.H.Q. wof 10 Jul 43
W/Lieut. J. Gleave.	232458	No. 1 G.R.T.D. (X(iv))	Posted to 699 L.W. Coy wof 14 Jul 43 and S.O. X.List.

[Signature]
 (J.E. HENDON)
 for Brigadier,
 D.F.G.
 G.H.Q. 2nd Echolon, N.A.

Subject:- Promotions - Finance Division.

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AMGOT/2023/F.

AMGOT H.Q. SICILY.

6 September. 43.

C.S.O. ✓

(Through: Staff Captain 'A')

1. Lt-Col. Gunston arrived at Chrea on 26th May. As an instructor at the Civil Affairs School Wimbledon, he had the local rank of Lieut Colonel.

2. A signal from F.5. (94498, 30 June 1943) stated that Mideast had been informed that Gunston was posted to their establishment, but that he was on loan to AMGOT. We have subsequently been informed that his services may be retained in AMGOT.

3. Since his arrival he has fulfilled the functions of a Lieut Colonel and has served as Acting Chief of AMFA - a Lieut Colonel's position for over 3 months. I strongly recommend that he should be promoted Acting Lieut Colonel from the date of his arrival; and confirmed in his temporary rank three months later.

*Lt Col Gunston is attached
and not on our strength.*

*REG. He has no previous
correspondence re Lt Col Gunston's
attachment etc.*

A.P. Graftey-Smith
A.P. GRAFTHEY-SMITH.
Colonel.,
Chief Finance Officer.

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CALT Nov/5
Promotions: Officers, British

To HQS AMGOT

A/Capt. E.W. ABEL
Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders of Canada
Canadian Army Overseas

A/M Officer has carried acting rank since 10 May 1943. May a request be forwarded to C.M.HQ. that this officer be confirmed in his rank and that the appropriate routine order advised to us please.

Caltanissetta

Lt. Col.

August 1943

S.C.A.O., Caltanissetta Prov

yes
Action
11 3198

SUBJECT: Promotion - Officers.

AMCOT/233/HQ.

21 Aug 43.

S.C.A.O.

AMCOT. SYRACUSE.

Ref. your note JW dated 19 Aug 43.

It is regretted that there is at present no vacancy on the W.E. into which to promote Capt. Zervudachi. If, however, there is room on the Pool W.E., full details of which are not to hand, your recommendations will certainly be given consideration.

AMCOT. H.Q.
15 Army Co.
C. M. F.

Lt-Col.
C. S. O.

PA
12/8
3197

SUBJECT:- Promotions.

Chief Staff Officer.
(Attention Capt. Davis)

In view of the death of Sen. Ldr. Green - C.20 - I recommend the following promotions and moves:

(a) The post of Finance Officer (British) C.20, be filled by Major Raddock.

(b) The post of Accounting Officer Major (British) C.5, be filled by Capt. Wright (C.6.)

(c) The post of Accounting Officer Captain (British) C.6, vacated by Capt. Wright, be filled by Lieut. Scott, C.7.

ARROT HQ.
15 Army Group.
13 Aug. 43.

Chief Finance Officer.

COLONEL 3196

*Agreed: W.O. 15
indicated small
as 2nd Schuler
crossed out.*

C.C.A.O I imagine that there is no objection
to these promotions. Could I have your
approval for publication, please.
Approved by C.O. - C.C.A.O. to be sent.

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