

Highlights of 1965

Remedial Typing Course for some of Dec 64 Output – now Signalmen living in the Junior Squadron Spider



1 - 2 - J 'Spider' Bell - Frank Pierpoint - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 - Trevor Bough  
Geoff Jackman - 11 - 12

Exercise "Knock Down" – January 1965





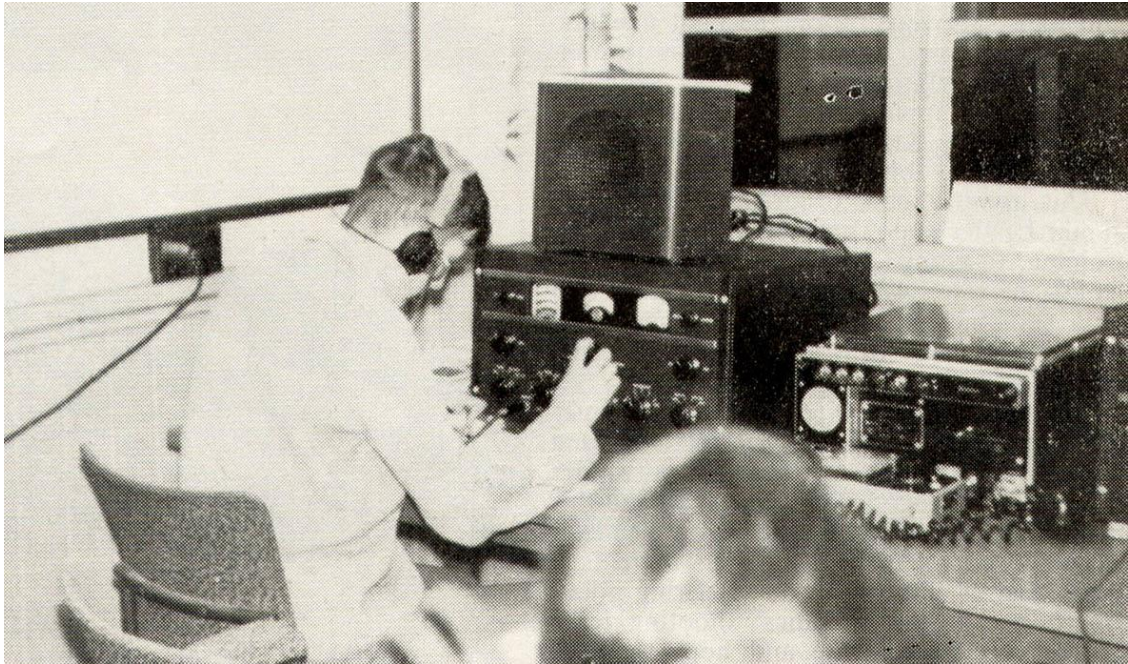






**Roy Gordon** tries it another way





**Peter Reynolds** operating Radio Station G3PZY

**Exercise "Humpit or Lumpit" – March 1965**



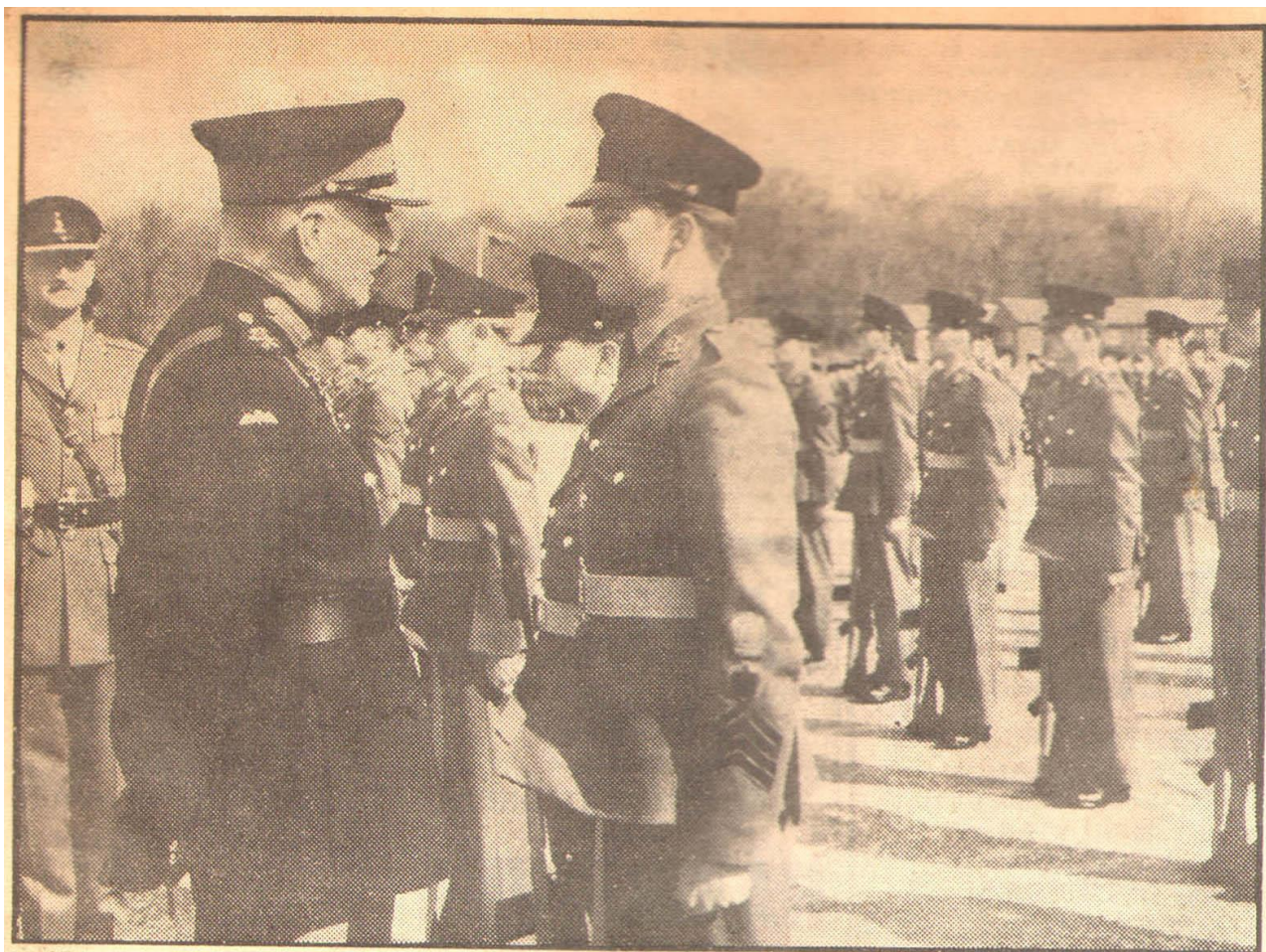
The Humpits begin the long drag of the one-ton Merlin engine



The Lumpits



## Graduation Day – Thursday 13th April 1965



The reviewing officer, Maj.-Gen. R. J. Moberly, talks to Junior Drum Major A. K. Whillock, during the graduation parade of the Junior Leaders' Regiment, Royal Signals, at Denbury Camp, Newton Abbot.

This is the outgoing Drum Major **JSSgt AK Harper** - **Ken Whillock** was the new Drum Major with the band

## 'Sky limit' for junior leaders

MORE than 500 boys of the Junior Leaders' Regiment, Royal Signals, Denbury, were told yesterday by Maj.-Gen. R. J. Moberly, a former Signal Officer-in-Chief, that "the sky is the limit" as far as their future was concerned.

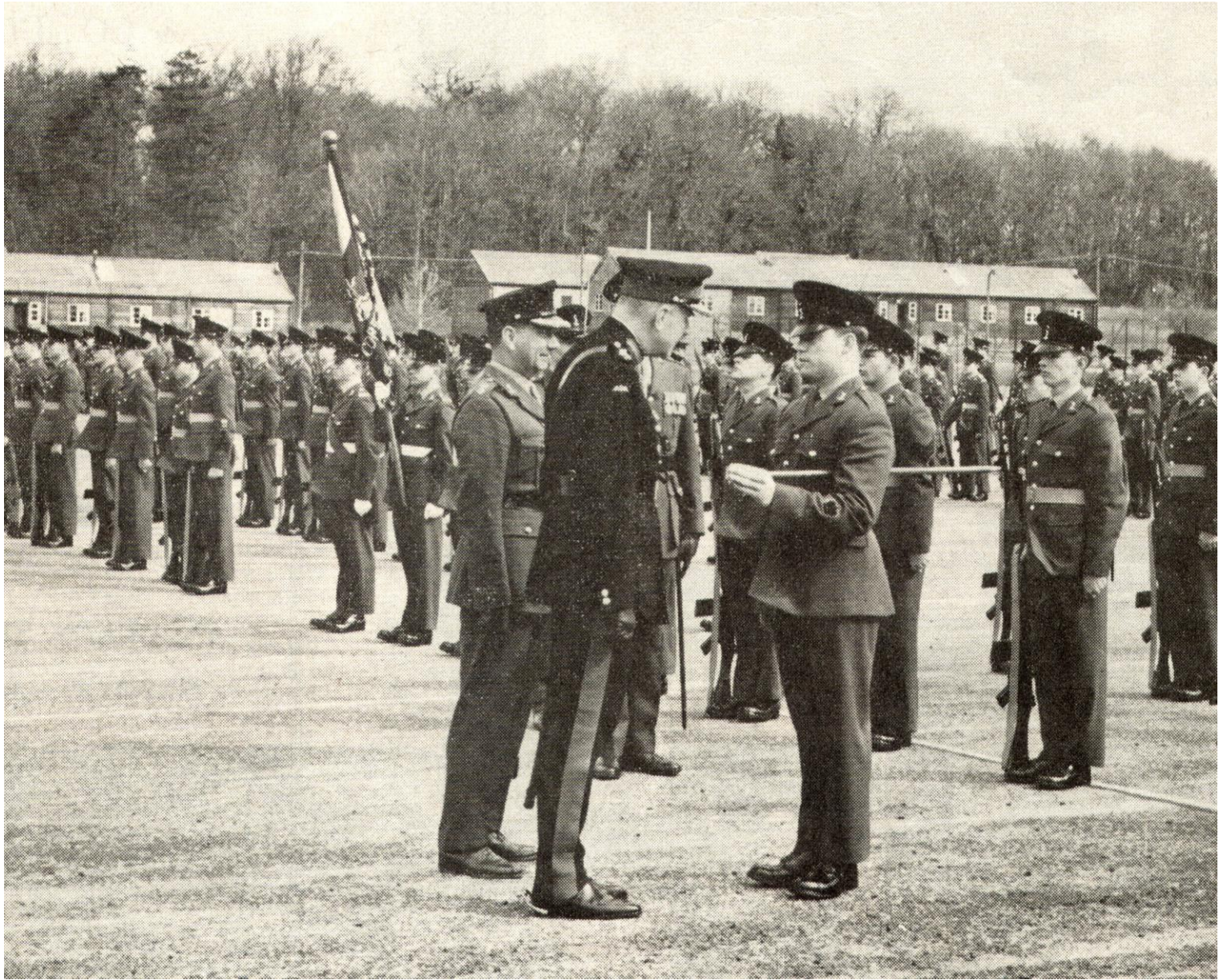
The general told them: "It is an amazing thing to see the number of junior leaders now serving in the Corps. There are ten majors, six captains, six subalterns; ten R.S.M.s; 64 warrant officers; and some 350 N.C.O.s."

The Corps of Drums and Pipers of the regiment added a vivid splash of colour to the parade in their scarlet and blue full dress uniforms. Watched by a large audience of friends and parents—many of whom stayed at the camp overnight—the general took the salute and inspected those graduating to man's service.

These included three Cornishmen—Derek Bennetts and Barrie Grace, of St. Ives; and Anthony Feegan, of Helston.

During the parade Gen. Moberly presented long service and good conduct medals to Warrant Officers Gordon James, of Truro, now living at Teignmouth; and Norman Salter, of Birmingham, now at Milber, Newton Abbot. In the afternoon the Commanding Officer, Lieut.-Col. D. E. Higgins, gave his report, and the prizes and awards were presented by his wife.





Major General RJ Moberley CB OBE talks to **JSSM John Spencer**



Output Party with **JRSM Tony Feegan**





Output Party – right marker **JCpl Royland ‘Tiny’ 6’ 7” Enoch**



Alexander Squadron formed in two halves march past



Slim Squadron formed in two halves march past with Capt Carl Pearce RAEC





Montgomery Squadron formed in two halves march past with Lt PE Bruce followed by **JSSM Steve Watson**



WOII Norman Salter and WOII Gordon James receive their Long Service and Good Conduct Medals



**JSSM Steve Watson** receives the Education Prize from Mrs Higgins



## Information for parents attending Graduation Day – Thursday 13th April 1965

INFORMATION SHEETYour accommodationMaleFemale

Block 61	Block	Junior Squadron
Room .....	Room	.....
Bed No's .....	Bed No's	.....

Please park your car on car park at rear of NAAFI.

Meal times

Meals will be served in the small dining hall at the following times.

Monday 12 April	Supper	1900 - 2200 hrs
Tuesday 13 April	Breakfast	0800 - 0900 hrs
"	Lunch	1230 - 1330 hrs
"	Tea	1700 hrs (In NAAFI)
"	Supper	1900 hrs
Wednesday 14 April	Breakfast	0800 - 0900 (Last meal)

NOTE: Sergeants Mess Bar is available to Parents/Adults as follows:

Monday from 1800 hrs

Tuesday from 1200 hrs

General Information

1. Junior Squadron Staff at home to Junior Squadron Parents in block 43 at 1800 hrs, Tuesday.
2. There will be an end of term "Camp Show" in the Cinema at 2000 hrs on Monday 12 April and Tuesday 13 April. (Tickets to book seats 3d each on sale at Reception Centre).

Tuesday

3. Parade (please be seated by 1045 hrs) ... 1100 hrs. (Ask for programme of the days events).
4. Parade reviewing officer is: .....

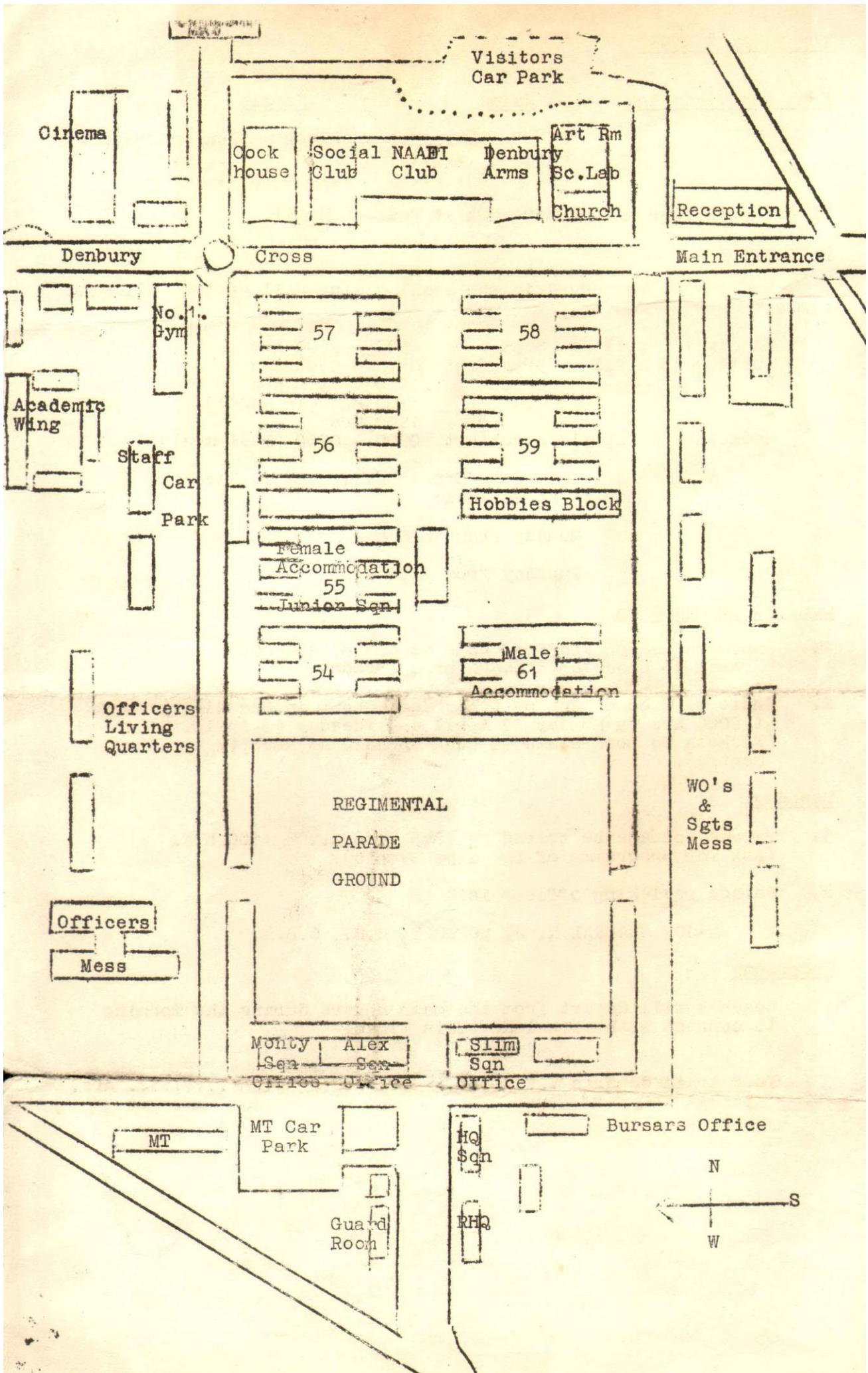
MAJOR GENERAL R. J. MOBERLY, G.B., O.B.E.

Wednesday

Coaches will depart from the main square during the morning to connect with main line train times:-

Your train departs ..... hrs/Coach..... hrs.







Camp Show - Easter 1965

ON THE FRONTIER

by NORMAN COLLINS

CAST

(in order of appearance)

Private Nikolay Linka .....	Gordon Cross
Mania Broska .....	Bobbe Watson
Sergeant Valentin Stolza .....	Sam Ward
Buhla Rader .....	Marjorie Coleman
Lieutenant Givgor Bryusov .....	Denis Hodson
Lupka Tiek .....	Pam Ward
Countess Elena Markas .....	Joan Joyner

Produced by SE Miller

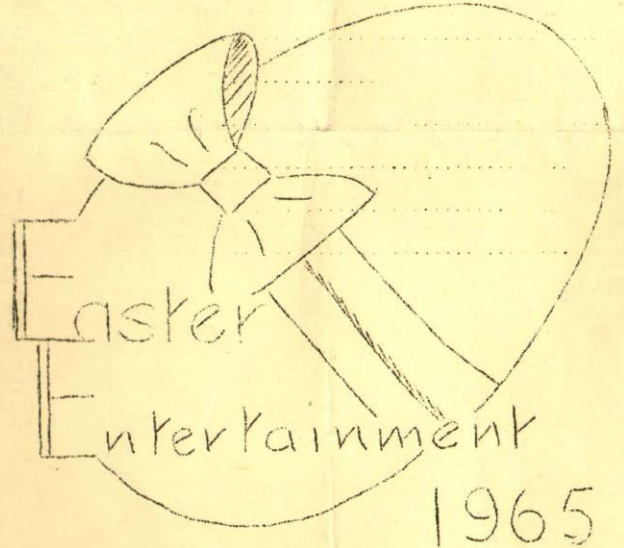
FOR ALL PRODUCTIONS

Stage Manager .....

Carl Pearce	
Assistants .....	Alan Cooksey, Carl Rogers
John Curthill, Horace Coleman	
Lighting .....	Paddy McMahon
Costumes .....	Babs Rogers, Joyce McMahon
Low Benner	
Scenery .....	Jack Woodcock, Peter Tysoe

And many other helpers

JUNIOR LEADERS REGIMENT  
ROYAL SIGNALS  
presents



THE MAN IN THE

BOWLER HAT

by

A.A. MILNE

CAST

(In order of appearance)

Mary.....	Ann Pearce
John.....	Chris Endean
Man in the Bowler Hat.....	"Charlie" Drake
Hero.....	Dick Heard
Heroine.....	Carol Braund
Chief Villain.....	John Hartley
Bad Man.....	Richard Levett

Produced by Jim Walters

VARIETY

"LONDON LIFE"

The Girls

Brenda Jones  
Shirley McManus Jan McManus  
Brenda Freeman Jean Carpenter  
Maureen Bowdidge Doris Crook

The Boys

Tony Veal  
Arthur Young Stephen Sparnon  
Dave Ross Basil Branson  
Dick Heard Trevor Walley  
Ken de la Haye

Pianist.....Graham Saunders

"NIGHT LIFE"

Jan McManus and Gordon Cross

"TOP OF THE POES"

(THE CELTS)

Lynn Bygrave, Jenny Cuthill and Ann Pearce

"LIGHT REFRESHMENT"

Harry Dobson

"MY FIRST WIFE"

John Brown

"INTERESTING FACTS"

Gordon Cross and Graham Saunders

Variety produced by Mike Grant and Gordon Cross



### Nijmegen Marches – July 1965



Slim Squadron Team lead by QMSI AHR 'Chippy' Carpenter

Left side - **Pete Marvin** - 2 - 3 - **Scouse Black** - 5 - Roger Sparks - 7 - 8

Right Side - **Bernie Temmen** - **Dave Denning** - **Mark Gardner** - **Jim Waddingham** - **Andy Smith** - Steve Walls - S Jones







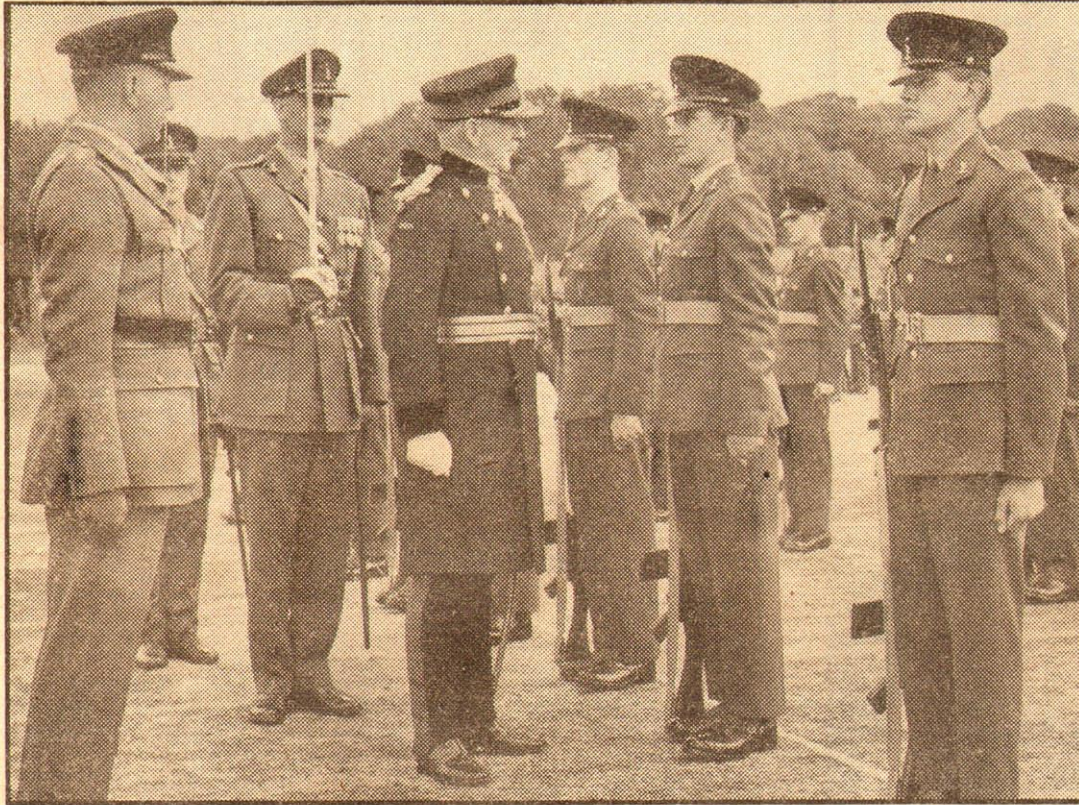
Joint Alexander and Montgomery Squadron Team lead by Sgt Jock Mathieson

Left side - 1 - **Frank 'Jock' Bell** - 3 - **Tom Burgess** - 5 - **Dave Ward**  
Right Side - **Pete Sherwin** - **D Hind** - **John Fishwick** - 10 - **Phil Rumsey** - **Ted Hewson**

**Graduation Day – Tuesday 10th August 1965**







Lieut.-Gen. Sir Kenneth Darling, G.O.C.-in-C., Southern Command, inspects the graduation parade at Denbury, Newton Abbot, yesterday.

## GENERAL INSPECTS JUNIOR LEADERS

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In his address, Sir Kenneth said that some people liked to decry young Englishmen of today. "I see a lot of young men in my travels and I think they are tremendous chaps, the equal of their forebears. All they require is leadership, for they are ready to accept any challenge."

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The oath of allegiance was administered by the regimental chaplain, the Rev. W. B. M. Hale, after which the regiment marched past in review order, together with the Junior Leaders' Band.

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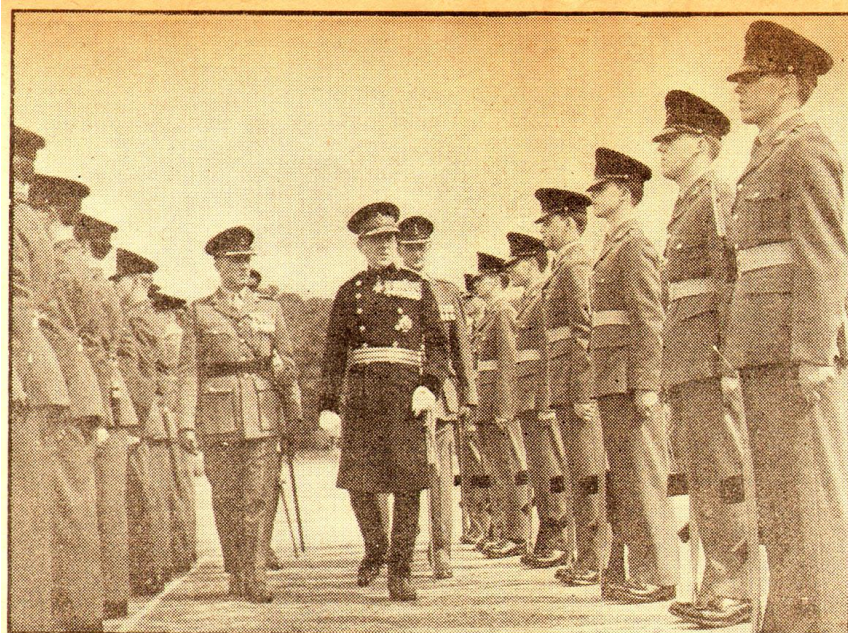
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Displays were given by instructional and hobby groups and the Junior Squadron held its own parade. There were also displays by the gymnastics team; pipers and Highland dancers and the Junior Squadron drill squad, and beating "Retreat" was given by the Corps of Drums.

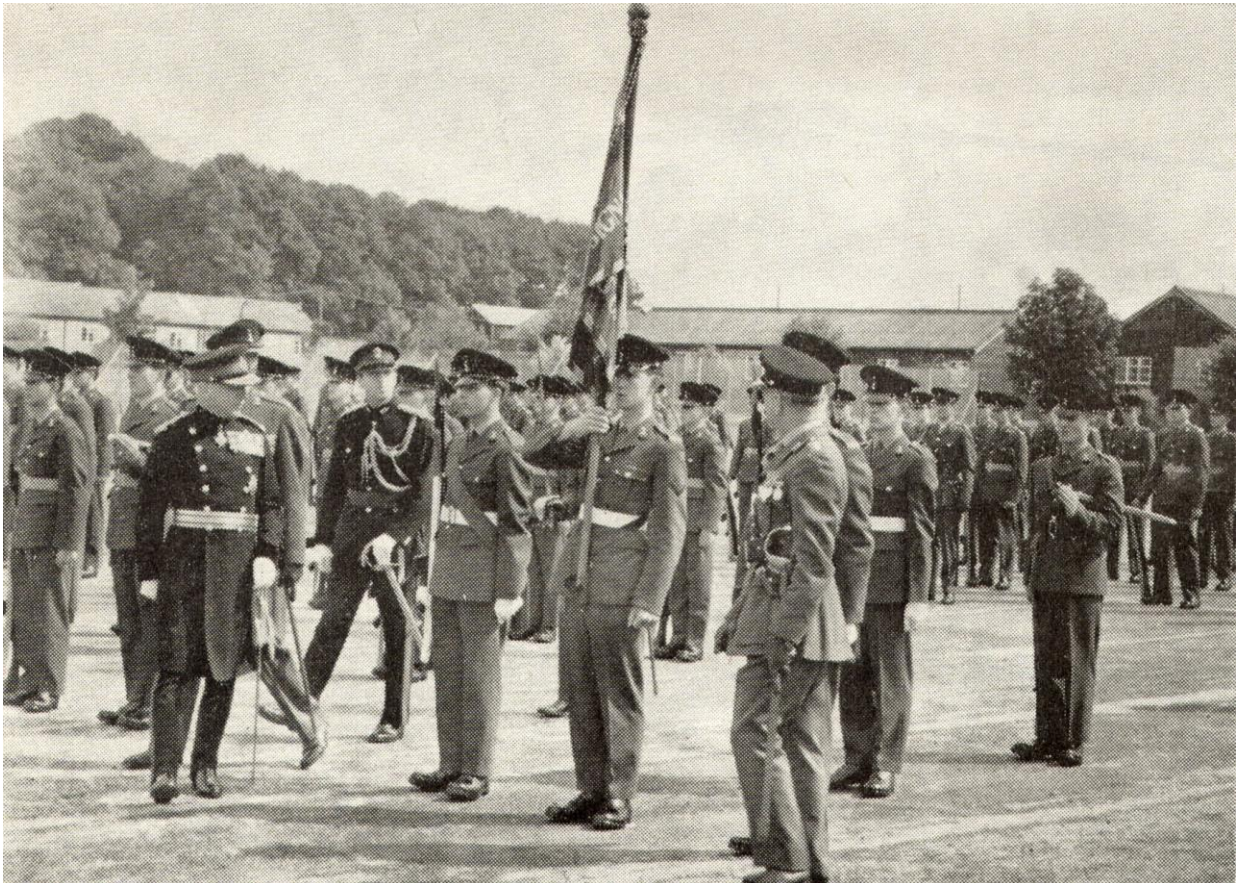


Lieut.-Gen. Sir Kenneth Darling, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command, inspecting the Junior Leaders' Regiment, Royal Signals, graduation parade at Denbury, Newton Abbot.









Output and Beaufighter Troop Colour Party with **JRSM Steve Watson**





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Output party march past

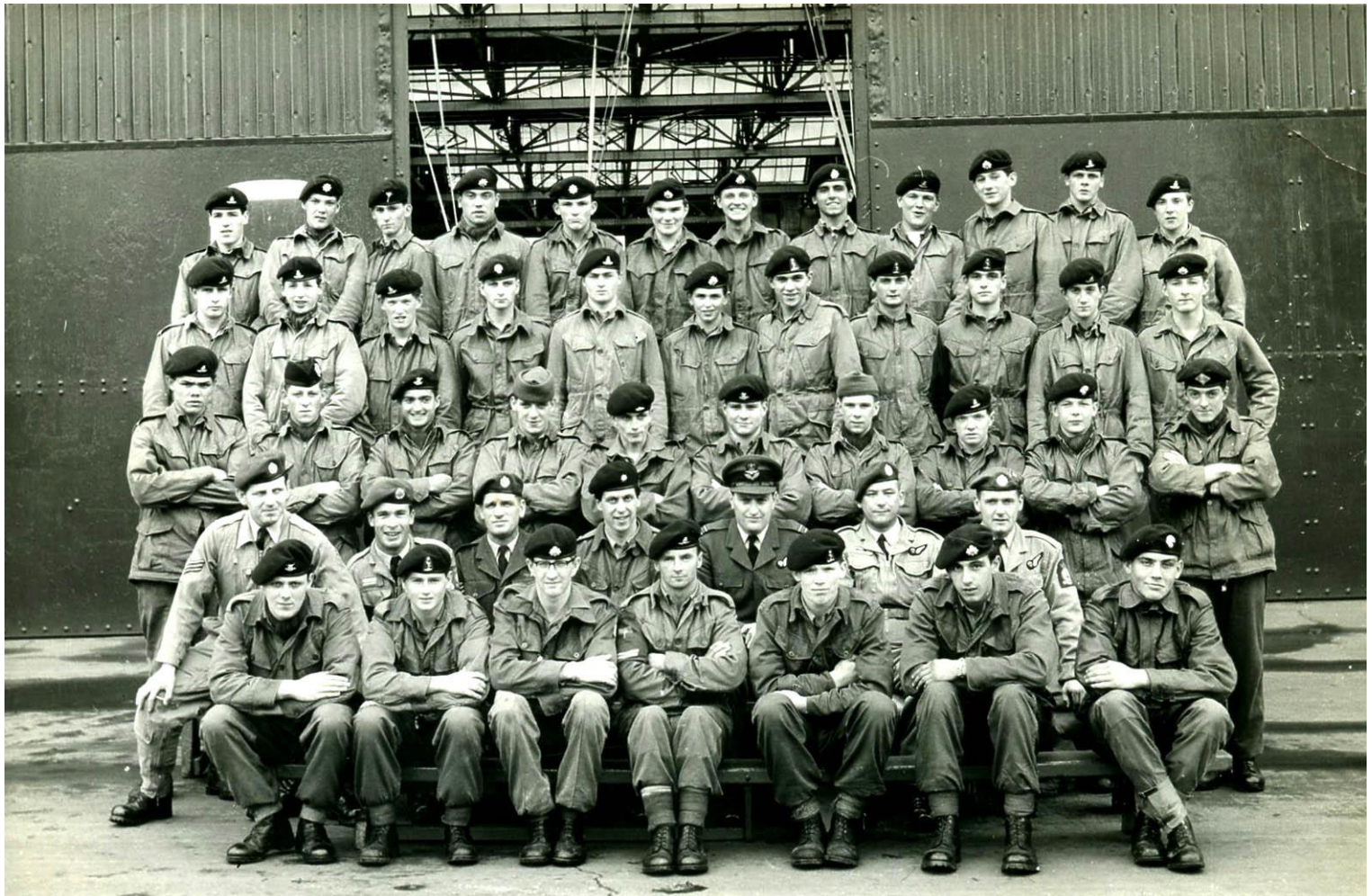


Public Relations Education Photo taken Summer 1965



Harry Harris - John Bird - 3

Parachute Course for the first time ever six members of the Regiment attended a 14-day course at Abingdon



4th row from left – 7th **Pete Sharp** – 8th **Taff Doig** – 9th?

Front row from left – 2nd **Alan De La Haye** – 5th **Dave Flay**

**Bernie Madsen** not in photo was in hospital with broken femur and tibia



Graduation Day – Tuesday 14th December 1965



Air Vice Marshal J Baraclough CBE DSC AFC talks to **JSSM Mick Smith** – Alexander Squadron



Air Vice Marshal J Baraclough CBE DSC AFC talks to **JSSM Eric Blake** - Junior Squadron



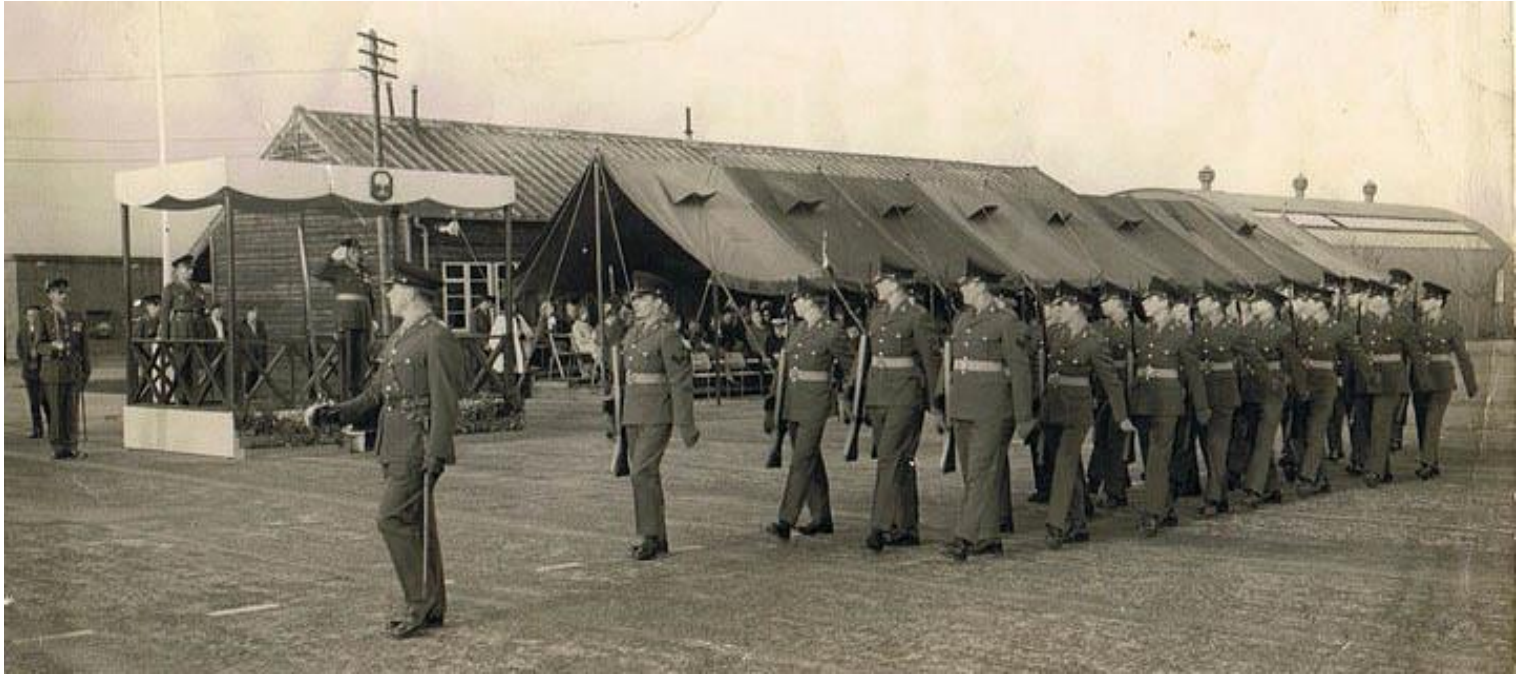


Second in Command - Maj DJ Strong and Commanding Officer - Lt Col DE Higgins MBE



Kukri Troop march past image taken from a Royal Signals Recruiting Brochure





Javelin Troop march past



Chris Turner receives the Shooting Cup for best individual shot from the CO's wife Mrs DE Higgins

**PROMISING  
YOUNG  
MARKSMAN**

**J**UNIOR Signalman C. J. Turner from Kettering is developing into a first-class marksman.

Signalman Turner, who came home on leave today, became the best individual shot at the junior leaders' graduation day at Rawlinson Barracks, Denbury, Devon, on Monday.

He received his prize from the wife of the commanding officer, Mrs. D. E. Higgins. He is now entering his third year of training to be a junior leader.

Signalman Turner, who is a former pupil of Kettering Secondary School for Boys, is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner, 16 Neale Avenue.



Can you help with more photos?