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GENERAL CARIAPPA LEAVES FOR UK

New Delhi, October 11.- General K.M.Cariappa, Commander-in-Chief, Army, accompanied by two Staff Officers, Brigadier Y.S.Paranjpe and Brigadier Harbaksh Singh, left Delhi this morning by air for the United Kingdom to attend the British War Office Exercise.

During his absence from India, Lieutenant-General Maharaj Rajendrasinhji, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command will act as Commander-in-Chief, Army.

Amongst those present at the airport to see off the Army Chief were Lieutenant-General S.M.Shrinagesh, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Western Command; Lieutenant-General D.R.Thapar, Director-General Armed Forces Medical Services; Major-General S.P.P.Thorat, Chief of the General Staff, Major-General Hira Lal Atal, Adjutant General, Major-General K.S.Thimayya, Quarter-Master General, Major-General Sant Singh, Master General of Ordnance and Major-General A.N. Sharma, Director of Medical Services.
