

23rd Lond. R.—Lt. Francis Ernest Warran, M.C., ceases to hold a commn. in the T.A. 17th Mar. 1926.

#### ROYAL TANK CORPS.

23rd (Lond.) Armd. Car Co.—Maj. Percy Shaw, O.B.E., Res. of Off., to be Maj. 15th Feb. 1926.

#### ROYAL ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Maj. P. M. Edgar, O.B.E., having attained the age limit is ret'd. and retains his rank with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. 17th Mar. 1926.

#### GENERAL LIST.

##### OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS.

2nd Lt. F. E. S. Bowlby (University Candidate) to be appointed for duty with the Cavalry Unit, Cambridge Univ. Contgt., Sen. Div., O.T.C. 1st Mar. 1926.

Glasgow Academy Contgt., Jun. Div.—2nd Lt. A. Todd resigns his commn. 17th Mar. 1926.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

##### GENERAL LIST.

##### INFANTRY.

Lt. A. W. Marsden, from 6th Bn. R. Warwick R., to be Lt. 17th Mar. 1926.

##### REGIMENTAL LIST.

##### ROYAL ARTILLERY.

92nd (5th Lond.) Field Bde.—Lt. R. S. Wildash, from Active List, to be Lt. 17th Mar. 1926.

##### ROYAL ENGINEERS.

47th (2nd Lond.) Divl. Engrs.—Lt. P. S. Hudson, from Active List, to be Lt. 17th Mar. 1926.

##### INFANTRY.

6th/7th Bn. Manch. R.—Capt. W. A. E. Vass, from Active List, to be Capt. 17th Mar. 1926.

#### MEMORANDUM.

The announcement regarding Lt. H. F. Williams, late 16th Lond. R. which appeared in the Gazette of the 22nd Dec. 1925, is cancelled.

Air Ministry.  
16th March, 1926.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE

##### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer:—

John Frederick YOUNG. 15th Dec. 1925.  
Dermot Alexander BOYLE. 31st Jan. 1926.  
Lascelles Spence BIRT. 15th Feb. 1926.

Flight Lt. Stanley Edward ADAMS is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health and is granted permission to retain the rank of Squadron Leader. 17th Mar. 1926.

Observer Officer William James HARRIS is placed on the retired list. 14th Mar. 1926.

Flight Lt. John Henry BENTHAM is transferred to the Reserve, Class A. 14th Mar. 1926.

Flying Officer Roderick Fearon de Rede READ relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 17th Mar. 1926.

##### STORES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in rank. 10th Feb. 1926:—

Philip Patrick Strachan RICKARD.  
Leonard TAYLOR.  
James Edward WELMAN

##### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Graham Scott STRACHAN, M.B., is granted a short service commission as a Flying Officer, for three years on the active list, with effect from and with seniority of 1st Mar. 1926.

Group Capt. Nelson Joseph ROCHE, O.B.E., is placed on the retired list at his own request (from half-pay). 1st Mar. 1926.

##### RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

Cyril Vivian HICKS is granted a commission in Class A, General Duties Branch, as a Pilot Officer on probation. 16th Mar. 1926.

The undermentioned are confirmed in rank:—

Flying Officer Francis William MARSHALL. 8th Mar. 1926.

Pilot Officer Antony Berthon ROCHE. 4th Feb. 1926.

Flying Officer Eric BRADLEY is transferred from Class A to Class C. 3rd Mar. 1926.

The commission of Pilot Officer on probation William John OVERY is terminated on cessation of duty. 26th Feb. 1926.

#### Civil Service Commission, March 16, 1926.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships will be held in London in July and August, 1926.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 15th May, an application in the candidate's own handwriting on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

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