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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

The following promotions have been made to date 31st Dec. 1969:

SEAMAN SPECIALISATION

Commander to Captain:

GREENSHIELDS, Robert.
WATSON, Keith C. D.
MANSERGH, Michael C. M.
MATTHEWS, Derek C.
STUART, Stephen A.
BESON, Peter I. F.
WEMYSS, Alistair F. C., O.B.E.
WEIR, Alexander F. R.
MCCRUM, Robert S.
GREENING, Paul W.
WHETSTONE, Anthony J.
HALLIFAX, David J.

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:

FERGIE-WOODS, Ian, M.V.O.
POWELL, Jeremy B.
PHILLIPS, Francis E. R.
KEOGH, Robert W.
MCLEOD, William H. H.
PHILLIPS, James M.
HAINES, Paul W.
BANYARD, Percy M. T.
THOMPSON, Hugh N. M.
GRANT, Colin.
HEIGHWAY, Donald G.
ENGLAND, Eric M.
COWARD, Peter H.
WHITE, Arthur J.
CAUGHEY, Clifford J.
MARK, Andrew J. L.
KING, Anthony D.
KETTLEWELL, Nigel I. C.
WAUGH, Andrew A.
DUNBAR-DEMPSEY, David J.
SNOW, Kenneth A.
HALE, Timothy J. W.
DIMMOCK, Roger C., A.M.B.I.M.
BUCHANAN, Colin A. F.
WILSON, Barry N.

ENGINEERING SPECIALISATION

Commander to Captain:

MOORE, William F., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Mar.E.
BASS, Paul E., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Mar.E.
DRING, Richard A. H., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Mar.E.
JONES, Peter S., B.A., M.I.E.E.
BARTLETT, Leslie W.
HOOD, John, M.I.Mech.E.

ENGINEERING (MECHANICAL) SPECIALISATION

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:

THOMAS, Michael B., M.I.Mar.E.
BYROM, Robert J.
ALF, Peter J.
CARPENTER, Arthur S., M.B.E., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Mar.E.
HARVEY, Brian H.
BELL, John R.
OSBORNE, Jeremy J.
BALE, William A. J., M.B.E.
BUXTON, George V.
BRINKLEY, Thomas E., M.B.E., M.I.Mech.E.

ENGINEERING (ELECTRICAL) SPECIALISATION

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:

DAY, Geoffrey, M.I.E.R.E.
WILTSHIRE, Donald, M.A.
HICKSON, John, M.I.E.R.E.
ANDREW, Peter W.
NORRIS, Alan R. B.
MASON, Thomas W.
STONER, Colin T., B.Sc., M.I.E.E.
JOHNSON, Russell P. H., B.A.
COOPER, John S., M.A.
WHEATLEY, Anthony.

SUPPLY AND SECRETARIAT SPECIALISATION

Commander to Captain:

WYATT, Denys S., O.B.E.
SMITH, Anthony T.
LANE, Michael E.

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:

SMITH, Ronald C.
WALLING, William J.
HOLLINRAKE, Ian H.
SUTHERLAND, Ian B.
ISARD, David C. V.
BROWN, Brian T.

INSTRUCTOR BRANCH

Instructor Commander to Instructor Captain:

WADDELL, William A., O.B.E., B.Sc., M.I.E.E.(Met.).

Instructor Lieutenant Commander to Instructor Commander:

CROOKS, Peter E., B.Sc.(Met.).
DAWSON, Ian K., B.Sc.(Met.).
CRISP, John, B.Sc.(Met.).
BERRY, Thomas P., B.Sc.(Met.).

MEDICAL BRANCH

Surgeon Commander to Surgeon Captain:

DALGLIESH, David G., M.V.O., O.B.E.,
M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.PUGH, Patterson D. G., O.B.E., M.B., B.Ch.,
F.R.C.S.RAWLINS, John S. P., O.B.E., M.A., B.M.,
B.Ch.Surgeon Lieutenant Commander to Surgeon Com-
mander:

BRADY, Michael P., M.B., Ch.B., D.A.

LAMMIMAN, David A., M.B., B.S.,

D.Obst.R.C.O.G., D.A.

HATFIELD, Michael, M.B., B.S.

WRIGHT, James A. M., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.

GORNALL, James B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

DENTAL BRANCH

Surgeon Lieutenant Commander (D) to Surgeon
Commander (D), GREGORY, William J., L.D.S.

ROYAL MARINES

Lieutenant Colonel to Colonel, BRISTOWE, Frank H.

Major to Lieutenant Colonel:

RICHARDS, John C. C.

GRIFFITHS, Patrick, M.C.

Captain to Major:

FROST, Raymond.

DOWNTON, Alan P., M.B.E.

ESTLICK, Nigel J. L.

PHILLIPS, Michael M.

BUCKINGHAM, Kenneth A.

ROYAL MARINES RESERVE

Captain to Major:

PATERSON, Hamilton T. S., V.R.D.

GILES, Michael L., V.R.D.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

The following promotions have been made to date
31st Dec. 1969:

SEAMAN BRANCH

Commander R.N.R. to Captain R.N.R.:

MCGOWAN, Gerald, R.D.

WEST, Basil J., V.R.D.

HANN, Reginald O., V.R.D.

Lieutenant Commander, R.N.R. to Commander,
R.N.R.:

HOBBS, Max H., R.D.

BENNEL, Alan C.

FLATAU, Peter L., R.D.

KENDALL, Peter J. T.

SIMMONS, Rex A. G., R.D.

LLOYD, Harold T., V.R.D.

FARRAND, John E., V.R.D.

WOODWARD, Alastair P. M., V.R.D.

SPECIAL BRANCH

Commander R.N.R. to Captain R.N.R., MCCARRAHER,
David, V.R.D.Lieutenant Commander R.N.R. to Commander
R.N.R., ALCOCK, Thomas K., V.R.D. and Clasp.

SUPPLY AND SECRETARIAT BRANCH

Commander R.N.R. to Captain R.N.R., SAINSBURY,
Anthony B., V.R.D.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Commander R.N.R. to Captain R.N.R., COPLAND,
William A., V.R.D., M.B., Ch.B., D.M.R.D.,
F.F.R.Lieutenant Commander R.N.R. to Commander
R.N.R., LLYWELYN-JONES, John D., M.B., B.Ch.,
M.R.C.O.C.G.

DENTAL BRANCH

Lieutenant Commander (D) R.N.R. to Commander
(D) R.N.R., DU PLESSIS, Alfred N., V.R.D., L.D.S.,
R.C.S.

ROYAL NAVY

Capts. to be promoted Rear Admirals with seny.
7th Jan. 1970:C. W. H. SHEPHERD, C.B.E., I. G. RAIKES,
C.B.E., D.S.C., J. P. K. HARKNESS, J. E. DYER-
SMITH, J. A. TEMPLETON-COTILL, P. WHITE, C.B.E.Capts. to be placed on Retired List, 7th Jan.
1970:J. W. MOTT, M.V.O., M.I.Mech.E., E. G.
GRIFFIN, P. KEITH-WELSH, A. G. SMALLEY, D.S.C.,
F. W. WATSON, M.B.I.M.Surgn. Capt. P. S. FULLER, M.D., B.S., F.C.Path.,
to be placed on Retired List (own request), 1st Jan.
1970.The Reverend T. H. BULLEN, Chapl'n placed on
Emerg'y List on release from Short Service Com-
mission (own request) for period of 4 years, 9th
Dec. 1969.Grant of 4 year Short Service Commission to the
Reverend R. McLAREN as Chapl'n on 7th Oct.
1969 with seny. 7th Oct. 1969 confirmed on com-
pletion of training, 29th Dec. 1969.

Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

F. N. STEPHENSON, 28th Dec. 1969.

G. W. GREET, 30th Dec. 1969.

Cdrs. to be placed on Retired List on dates stated:

W. E. HANDLEY, 1st Jan. 1970.

F. G. DAVEY, F.C.I.S., 4th Jan. 1970.

R. N. PAKEMAN, O.B.E., M.I.Mech.E., 6th Jan.
1970.M. A. J. M. HAYWARD, O.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S.,
M.I.Mech.E., 7th Jan. 1970.

A. S. SMITH, 8th Jan. 1970.

Cdr. A. O. F. VENTON, to be placed on Retired List
(own request), 3rd Jan. 1970.Lt.-Cdr. K. A. M. PRICE, placed on Retired List.
8th Sep. 1969Lt.-Cdr. K. H. R. THRESH, D.S.C. placed on Retired
List. 25th Dec. 1969.Lt.-Cdr. G. E. NEW placed on Retired List (own
request). 27th Dec. 1969.Lt.-Cdrs. to be placed on Retired List (own request)
on dates stated:

B. G. SMALLEY. 31st Dec. 1969.

L. J. YOUNG. 1st Jan. 1970.

C. A. M. COMINS, R. DATHAN, C. A. LAURENCE,
P. M. G. SPENCE, M.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. 3rd
Jan. 1970.Surgn. Lt.-Cdrs. (D) to be placed on Emerg'y List
on completion of Short Service Commissions for
period of 4 years:R. H. GEE, B.D.S., L.D.S., R.C.S., A. S.
SHUTTLEWORTH. 3rd Jan. 1970Engr. Lt.-Cdr. A. WORMELL, M.I.Mech.E.,
A.F.R.Ae.S., placed on Retired List (own request).
30th Dec. 1969.Lts. to be promoted Lt.-Cdrs. 1st Jan. 1970, with
seny. 1st Jan. 1970:D. A. McVEAN, B.A., J. M. SHARMAN, B.A.,
D. M. LING, B.Sc., I. P. WHATLEY, M. D. ADAMS,
W. D. C. INGLIS, C. H. D. COOKE-PRIEST, J. M.
HINES, D. HART-DYKE, J. F. LIGHTOWLERS, M.
SUTCLIFFE.Lt. R. I. WATSON, placed on Emerg'y List. 28th
Nov. 1969. (Delete entry in London Gazette
(Supplement) dated 23rd Sep. 1969.)Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny.
stated:

B. V. C. REEVES. 20th Jul. 1969 (1st May 1969).

T. J. YARKER. 19th Aug. 1969 (14th Feb. 1969).

K. J. BARR. 31st Oct. 1969 (1st Feb. 1969).

F. B. COCKFIELD. 13th Nov. 1969 (1st May
1969).T. M. MASTERMAN, B.A. 14th Nov. 1969 (15th
Jan. 1968).

J. A. RIMINGTON. 1st Dec. 1969 (1st Oct. 1969).

Lt. (SD) J. SHACKELL, placed on Retired List (own
request). 13th Dec. 1969.Lt. (SD) A. F. BROWN, placed on Retired List. 25th
Dec. 1969.Lt. (SD) D. MARTINDALE, placed on Retired List
(own request). 27th Dec. 1969.Lt. (SD) A. J. CARR, to be placed on Retired List
(own request). 3rd Jan. 1970.Ship't Lt. G. H. MITCHELL, placed on Retired List
(own request). 13th Dec. 1969.Lts. (SL) to be placed on Emerg'y List on comple-
tion of Short Service Commission for period of 4
years. 4th Jan. 1970:J. A. CARROLL, A. H. STEPHENSON, B.Sc.,
M.I.E.E., P. J. TINDLEY.Engr. Lt. W. D. G. RYDER, M.B.E., placed on Retired
List. 29th Dec. 1969.

Instr. Lt. C. S. LAKE, to be placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 2nd Jan. 1970.

Surgn. Lt. M. J. HARLEY, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., promoted Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. 26th Dec. 1969, with seny. 26th Dec. 1969.

Surgn. Lt. D. L. McCURDY, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.Obst.R.C.O.G., to be placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 3rd Jan. 1970.

Supply Lt. H. W. LLOYD, placed on Retired List. 26th Dec. 1969.

Supply Lt. N. W. STEAD, to be placed on Retired List. 1st Jan. 1970.

Sub-Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

M. E. RICKS. 1st Sep. 1969 (1st Sep. 1969).

D. L. HUGHES. 1st Oct. 1969 (1st Oct. 1969).

Sub Lt. (SL) I. JONES, promoted Lt. (SL). 31st Oct. 1969, with seny. 31st Oct. 1969.

Sub Lts. (SL) to be promoted Lts. (SL) on dates and with seny. stated:

S. D. D. ALLEN, M. S. LEWIS, T. MORTON, D. B. SMITH. 1st Jan. 1970 (1st Jan. 1970).

J. N. WHALEY. 8th Jan. 1970 (8th Jan. 1970).

B. J. P. HEALY. 10th Jan. 1970 (10th Jan. 1970).

Actg. Sub Lts. (SL) to be confirmed Sub Lts. (SL) on dates and with seny. stated:

B. B. HUNTER-INGLIS. 1st Jan. 1970 (1st Jan. 1969).

D. W. HILL, K. MEEHAN, N. C. ROSS. 6th Jan. 1970 (6th Apr. 1968).

D. J. BERRY. 8th Jan. 1970 (8th Apr. 1968).

Actg. Engr. Sub Lts. (SD) to be confirmed Engr. Sub Lts. (SD). 1st Jan. 1970, with seny. stated:

G. J. CROCKER, R. RAGER. 23rd Sep. 1968.

I. C. DAUN. 10th Nov. 1968.

P. C. LANGDON. 6th Jan. 1969.

ROYAL MARINES

Capt. R. P. RISING, to be promoted Local Major. 5th Jan. 1970.

Lts. to be promoted Capts. 1st Jan. 1970:

J. J. D. ASHDOWN.

J. V. ROWLAND.

Lts. to be promoted Local Capts. on dates stated:

H. W. D. LEICESTER. 4th Jan. 1970.

D. C. DOUGLAS. 6th Jan. 1970.

Lt. P. M. BROWN, transferred to R.N. Supplementary List (Air). 1st Dec. 1969, in rank of Sub Lt. with seny. 15th Feb. 1968.

Actg. Lt. D. A. NICHOLSON, commission to be terminated. 5th Jan. 1970.

2nd Lts. to be promoted Actg. Lts.:

1st Jan. 1970

S. J. D. BUSH, R. M. CHEW, S. FORD, D. M. GILLSON, G. E. HARTRIDGE, A. P. HOWARD, G. LANGFORD, W. R. de W. LASH, A. A. MILTON, D. V. NICHOLLS, D. A. NICHOLSON, S. J. SEFI, L. H. THRESH, M. S. TODD, C. P. P. BRANT, P. C. BURBRIDGE-KING, D. J. H. COLLINS, E. A. COOK, J. R. COOPER, T. C. D. CRAVEN-PHILLIPS, S. P. HILL, M. R. H. G. IRWIN, W. N. MARSHALL, I. A. MILNE, A. H. M. PATRICK, R. H. TAIT.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Capt. L. C. KINGWOOD, R.D., placed on Retired List. 30th Jun. 1969.

Capt. to be placed on Retired List. 31st Dec. 1969:

J. G. WILSON, D.S.C., R.D. and Clasp.

W. J. PARSONS, V.R.D. and Clasp.

Surgn. Capt. V. O. B. GARTSIDE, V.R.D., to be placed on Retired List. 31st Dec. 1969.

Capt. L. OLDROYD (S), R.D. and 2 Clasps, to be placed on Retired List. 31st Dec. 1969.

The Reverend J. T. WALKER, placed on Retired List. 2nd May 1969.

Cdr. B. T. JONES, V.R.D. and Clasp to be placed on Retired List. 31st Dec. 1969.

Lt.-Cdr. J. K. HUME, placed on Retired List. 10th Jul. 1969.

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. P. O. OLIVER, released from Active List. 30th Nov. 1969.

Lts. promoted Lt.-Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:

W. D. HUNTER. 11th Sep. 1969 (11th Sep. 1969).

C. C. H. PICTON. 26th Nov. 1969 (14th Nov. 1969).

K. A. MACKINNON. 28th Nov. 1969 (8th Jul. 1967).

J. CARDEN. 6th Dec. 1969 (8th Jan. 1969).

A. B. HYSLOP. 18th Dec. 1969 (18th Dec. 1969).

Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

M. E. EDGERTON. 1st Sep. 1968 (1st Aug. 1967).

A. DUNSTER. 22nd Nov. 1968 (27th Feb. 1966).

Sub Lt. C. F. RICHARDSON, promoted Lt. 11th Oct. 1969, with seny. 11th Oct. 1969.

Actg. Sub Lt. A. G. SHAW, confirmed Sub Lt. 25th Mar. 1967, with seny. 26th Sep. 1966, and promoted Actg. Lt. 6th Jul. 1967 with seny. 6th Jul. 1967.

Actg. Sub Lt. P. de V. BEAUCLERK-DEWAR, confirmed Sub Lt., 29th Nov. 1967, with seny. 29th Nov. 1966, and promoted Actg. Lt. 29th Nov. 1969, with seny. 29th Nov. 1969.

Actg. Sub Lt. F. P. L. ONSLOW-FREE, confirmed Sub Lt., 1st Dec. 1969, with seny. 13th Oct. 1969.

Sub Lt. A. D. KIRBY (S), promoted Lt. 24th Nov. 1969 with seny. 15th Sep. 1969.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

30th December 1969.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class IV

Col. J. C. MONCRIEFF, T.D. (247167), late Inf. from T. & A.V.R., Category III, to be Col., 1st Apr. 1969.

ROYAL ARMoured CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. R. M. BREWER (174031) R.T.R. retires on retired pay, 29th Dec. 1969.

Maj. (Q.M.) C. J. ROGERS, M.B.E. (429599), R.T.R. retires on retired pay, 27th Dec. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. (Q.M.) C. J. ROGERS, M.B.E. (429599), R.T.R., is appointed to Res. of Offrs. in the rank of Maj. (Q.M.), 27th Dec. 1969.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. H. L. GULLIDGE (166469) is appointed to the Special List, 26th Dec. 1969.

Capt. M. S. GREEN (469009) retires receiving a gratuity, 24th Dec. 1969.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Tfc. Offr.) G. H. COWSILL (457848) to be Maj. (Tfc. Offr.), 28th Dec. 1969.

Short Serv. Comms.

Maj. J. COOPER (428361) relinquishes his commn. on completion of service, 28th Nov. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. E. P. HUGHES (311970) relinquishes his commn. on completion of service, 14th Nov. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. D. N. THORNEWILL (470855) Coldm. Gds. to be Capt., 28th Dec. 1969.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. A. W. DUNCAN (479794) Gordons resigns his commn., 9th Dec. 1969.

KING'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. R. M. H. WEEKS (390559) P.W.O. retires on retired pay, 31st Dec. 1969.

PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.M.) G. W. MUIRHEAD (468032) R.R.W. to be Maj. (Q.M.), 24th Dec. 1969.

PARACHUTE REGIMENT

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. A. R. HONEY (474860) to be Capt., 26th Dec. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Section B

Rev. A. F. ANDREW (444100) Chapln. to the Forces 4th Class (C. of S.) having attained the age limit ceases to belong to T. & A.V.R., Section B and is granted the hon. rank of Chapln. to the Forces 4th Class, 24th Dec. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. F. K. BUCKLAND, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (471830), to be Maj., 28th Dec. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. I. RENWICK (226990) is appointed to the Special List, 30th Dec. 1969.

Capt. (O.E.O.) C. BARNETT (472746) to be Maj. (O.E.O.), 29th Dec. 1969.

Special Reg. Commn.

Capt. P. C. SWADDLING (343371) retires on retired pay, 25th Dec. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Maj. D. C. MURPHY, T.D. (431233), from T. & A.V.R. to be Maj., 25th Dec. 1969.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. W. R. HUTCHISON (75107) retires on retired pay, 27th Dec. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. Christopher Francis BUDD (478103) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 31st Oct. 1969, with seniority 29th Nov. 1964. To be Lt., 31st Oct. 1969, with seniority 29th Nov. 1967.

Capt. (Asst. Pmr.) J. A. GENT (471502) to be Maj. (Asst. Pmr.), 27th Dec. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. D. A. THOMAS (218984) having attained the age limit relinquishes his commn., 11th Dec. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Maj. D. PRYKE, T.D. (233061) having attained the age limit relinquishes his commn., 23rd Dec. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. R. CLARKE-HALIFAX (322692) having attained the age limit relinquishes his commn., 22nd Dec. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY VETERINARY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III

Short Serv. Commn.

Capt. M. T. S. HEALD (480634) from Active List to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1969.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. J. WALLACE (482993) to be Capt., 22nd Dec. 1969.

Lt. M. J. BRUNT (482011) to be Capt., 24th Dec. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. (Acting Maj.) S. M. TYLER, T.D. (416736) is granted the acting rank of Lt.-Col., 11th Nov. 1969.

GENERAL LIST

ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Section B

Essex

2nd Lt. A. D. M. STANDING (485344) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 30th Dec. 1967. To be Lt., 30th Dec. 1969, with seniority 30th Dec. 1967.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

30th December 1969.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service in the Air

Squadron Leader John William CANNING (607619), Royal Air Force.

X4264927 Sergeant Michael William PARSONS, Royal Air Force.

For their skill, courage and devotion to duty as members of the crew of a helicopter which went to the rescue of three firemen, at night, from the roof of a fifteen storey burning building, in Hong Kong. Sergeant Parsons, the winchman, was lowered into the very hot and smoky atmosphere and rescued the first man by double lift, but as it was impossible to rescue the remaining men, quickly, by this means, since they were wearing heavy breathing apparatus, Squadron Leader Canning, the pilot, re-positioned the aircraft with one wheel resting on the roof of the building, and the firemen were assisted into the cabin.

30th December 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List):

Aircraftman John Stewart KIRK (8022682). 31st Oct. 1969.

Appointment to Commission (Permanent) (D.E.C.(A))

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List):

Flight Sergeant Humphrey Antony BEBBINGTON (588301). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 1st May 1963).

Corporals

31st Oct. 1969

David Arthur Charles WHITE (3529075) (Seniority 5th Apr. 1967).

Alan DITCHBURN (1939126) (Seniority 23rd Oct. 1967).

Donald Gibson AVERY (688632) (Seniority 7th May 1969).

Michael Robin NICHOLS (687625). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 19th Sep. 1968).

As Acting Pilot Officers (Supplementary List):

Aircraftmen

31st Oct. 1969

Alan Dennis BERRIDGE (8025185).

Stephen Patrick DEVINE (8025189).

Geoffrey DICKINSON (8025171).

Roger William Howard NORTH (8025184).

Martin David TONES (8025195).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

S. FILLINGHAM (4232041). 25th Dec. 1969.

M. L. SCHOFIELD (4232325). 30th Dec. 1969.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

D. J. GUYATT (1961133). 26th Dec. 1969.

Transfer Between Branches

Pilot Officer P. T. BRIGHT (608917) is transferred to the Equipment Branch (General List), retaining his existing rank and seniority. 28th Dec. 1969.

Acting Pilot Officer S. M. ROBSON (8025164) is transferred to the Engineer Branch on a Short Service Commission (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) in the rank of Pilot Officer. 13th Oct. 1969.

Retirement

Air Commodore I. N. MACDOUGALL, C.B.E., D.F.C. 27th Dec. 1969.

Squadron Leader W. B. B. NAPLES (132012). 25th Dec. 1969.

Flight Lieutenant R. K. C. MELVILLE (607992) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 28th Dec. 1969.

Commission Terminated**Pilot Officers :**

3rd Dec. 1969

A. MARTYN-SMITH (4233572).

C. C. G. PEACHMENT (8024800).

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (On Branch Officer Terms) :

Flight Sergeant Leslie Dennis WOOD (3110234). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 31st Oct. 1968).

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) :

Aircraftman Andrew Frank Vincent POOLEY (8022681). 31st Oct. 1969.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :

R. W. L. COOPER (8022663). 14th Nov. 1969.

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. :

K. C. EADE (8031534). 14th Nov. 1969.

15th Nov. 1969

C. A. MACTAGGART (8031515).

J. I. RIDLEY (8031517).

Transfer Between Branches

Flying Officer N. J. FURNISS (4335426) is transferred to the General Duties Branch (Supplementary List), retaining his existing rank. 17th Oct. 1969 (Seniority 25th Mar. 1969).

Transfer to Reserve

Flying Officer J. SOMERVILLE (2797308), W.R.A.F. 30th Nov. 1969.

Retirement

Squadron Leader E. BAIRSTOW (55571) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 30th Dec. 1969.

Flight Lieutenants :

R. C. J. CAREY, D.F.M. (182118) (at own request). 30th Nov. 1969.

G. R. M. POWELL, D.F.C. (54411). 27th Dec. 1969.

ENGINEER BRANCH**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) :

Chief Technician Michael KENNEDY (586961). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 11th May 1962).

Sergeant Michael Richard POND (681614). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 28th Sep. 1963).

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) (On Branch Officer Terms) :

Chief Technicians

31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 31st Oct. 1968)

Henry Edward ATKINSON (4033089).

Peter Stuart BRYAN (1922886).

Walter John STAFF (4166716).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

S. R. HILL (508322). 28th Dec. 1969.

P. B. MURPHY (685268). 29th Dec. 1969.

Transfer Between Branches

Flying Officer P. S. CLARKE (609402) is transferred to the General Duties Branch on a Per-

manent Commission (D.E.C.(A)) (Supplementary List) in the rank of Pilot Officer. 7th May 1969 (Seniority 26th May 1967).

Acting Pilot Officer :

A. J. GILCHRIST (608793) is transferred to the Education Branch. 12th May 1969.

Retirement**Squadron Leaders :**

29th Dec. 1969

K. BRIDGEWATER, M.A., C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (503470).

J. I. D. DE'ATH, C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (503442).

E. L. BAINES (50389). 30th Dec. 1969.

Notification Amended

18th Nov. 1969 Concerning D. E. HILLIARD, M.B.I.M. (46746). For Retirement (at own request) read Retirement.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :

Sergeant Michael John SALE (4220192). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 20th Feb. 1968).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :

Aircraftman Hugh Richard BUTCHER (3524206). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 1st Aug. 1967).

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :

Aircraftman Henry James EDWARDS (8022667). 31st Oct. 1969.

Transfer to the General List Conditions of Service

Flying Officer A. J. PYE (4335566) is transferred to the General List, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 1st Apr. 1969.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :

Corporal Philip MANNING (593940). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 7th May 1967).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :

Senior Aircraftman Neil McKenzie CROFT (1947730). 31st Oct. 1969 (Seniority 15th Nov. 1968).

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :

I. R. COOPER (8022636). 14th Nov. 1969.

A. S. PINK (8022656). 15th Nov. 1969.

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. :

M. H. SMITH (8031494). 21st Sep. 1969.

14th Nov. 1969

S. J. M. DOWNES (8031553).

W. A. FEWRELL (8031487).

S. STRUTHERS (8031552). 15th Nov. 1969.

Transfer to Reserve

Flying Officer A. D. SIMPSON (2797415), W.R.A.F. 29th Nov. 1969.

Retirement

Squadron Leader H. E. BREWER, D.F.C. (132027) (at own request). 28th Nov. 1969.

Flying Officer J. M. SWEETING (nee BOWEN) (2839391), W.R.A.F. (at own request). 29th Nov. 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

As Acting Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) :

Aircraftmen

31st Oct. 1969

Peter Stephen Christopher COMINA (8025188).

Martin Richard HOOKER (8022659).

MEDICAL BRANCH**Promotion**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

G. R. MAJOR, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (508180). 17th Nov. 1969.

Retirement

Group Captain W. C. BAIRD, M.R.C.S.,
L.R.C.P. 25th Dec. 1969.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(Medical Section)

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Pilot Officer :**

Flight Sergeant Robert BROWN (4091265). 31st
Oct. 1969 (*Seniority 1st Dec. 1967*).

Promotion**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :**

A. R. WILLIMENT (4148409). 24th Dec. 1969.

DENTAL BRANCH**Transfer to Reserve**

Flight Lieutenant P. LAVER, B.D.S. (507298).
23rd Dec. 1969.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(Dental Section)

Retirement

Squadron Leader F. W. BRIANCE, M.B.E.
(537756) (at own request). 14th Dec. 1969.

EDUCATION BRANCH**Extension of Service**

The period of service on the Active List of
Flight Lieutenant A. J. K. MCKINLAY, M.A.
(8950), W.R.A.F., is extended until 29th Feb. 1972.

Retirement

Squadron Leader J. T. W. FINDLEY, B.A.
(173687). 29th Dec. 1969.

PROVOST BRANCH**As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :**

Christopher Wallace PENNELL (4267557). 31st
Oct. 1969 (*Seniority 20th Jan. 1968*).

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) :**

Michael Alec FITZGERALD (4287765). 31st Oct.
1969 (*Seniority 8th Sep. 1968*).

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH**Promotion****Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :**

C. DAVISON, D.Phys.Ed. (5201001). 26th Sep.
1969.

Transfer Between Branches

Flight Lieutenant J. W. POCOCK (3106055) is
transferred to the Equipment Branch (Supple-
mentary List), retaining his existing rank and
seniority. 28th Dec. 1969.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE
RESERVE OF OFFICERS****ENGINEER BRANCH****Commission Relinquished**

Flying Officer L. S. CAMPBELL (507004), re-
taining his rank. 27th Dec. 1969.

EDUCATION BRANCH**Commission Relinquished**

Flight Lieutenant F. A. MELTON (53435). 28th
Dec. 1969.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE
VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

(Reconstituted Section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**Commission Relinquished****Acting Pilot Officers :**

B. FITCHETT, B.A. (2616159). 31st Jul. 1969.
J. M. SHAW (2616345). 12th Dec. 1969.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE
VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

(TRAINING BRANCH)

Appointment to Commission**As Flying Officer (Four Years) :**

George Wesley CULHAM (196143). 21st Sep.
1969.

As Pilot Officers (Four Years) :

Anthony David STRONG (208418). 25th Sep.
1969.

Ian BOWYER (3154712). 30th Oct. 1969.

Extension of Service

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying
Officers is extended by four years from the dates
stated :

R. C. COLLIER (5012769). 21st Sep. 1969.
C. L. THATCHER (207700). 16th Nov. 1969.
J. A. SYME (1573022). 25th Nov. 1969.
C. E. WICK (3150376). 29th Nov. 1969.

Commission Relinquished

Flying Officer D. L. CORRE (206949). 9th Aug.
1969.

Commission Resigned

Flying Officer J. W. ABBOTT (1209684). 31st
Oct. 1969.

Pilot Officer A. C. M. WATSON (4249114). 16th
Oct. 1969.