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The undermentioned to be tempy. hon. Capt., Unattached List, R.M.:—
 Alfred James Servaes 20th Sept. 1920.

Admiralty, 27th September, 1920.

Lieut. John C. E. A. Johnson placed on the Retd. List at own request. 27th Sept. 1920.
 Lieut. Arthur M. Coleman, D.S.C., R.N., placed on the Retd. List at own request. 27th Sept. 1920.
 Act. Lieut. John H. Malley placed on Retd. List at own request. 27th Sept. 1920.
 Cdr. Robert A. Wilson, D.S.O., placed on Retd. List at own request. 23rd Sept. 1920.
 Pay. Cdr. Richard R. Hamer placed on Retd. List at own request. 30th Oct. 1920.

Air Ministry,
 1st October, 1920.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS.

The undermentioned officers resign their permanent commissions and are permitted to retain the rank of Flight Lt.:—

1st Oct. 1920.

Flying Officer Maxwell Hutcheon Findlay, D.S.C., D.F.C.

Flying Officer Frederick Raymonde Hockney.

The initials of Flying Officer K. A. Lister-Kaye (A.) are as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 1st Aug. 1919.

The name of Flight Lt. George Brindley Aufrere Baker, M.C. (A.), is as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 28th Oct. 1919.

The name of Flying Officer G. C. Gardiner, D.F.C. (A.), is as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 1st Aug. 1919.

SHORT SERVICE COMMISSIONS.

The following officers are granted short service commissions in the ranks stated, with effect from the dates indicated, retaining their seniority in the substantive rank last held by them prior to the grant of this commission, except where otherwise stated:—

Flight Lieutenants.

Douglas Leslie Blackford. 13th Sept. 1920.

Alfred William Clemson, D.S.C. 18th Aug. 1920.

Harold Jace Roach, A.F.C. 22nd Sept. 1920.

Flying Officer (from Flight Lieutenant).

George Hatfield Dingley Gossip. 14th Sept. 1920.

Flying Officers.

Alexander Nelson Appleford. 20th Sept. 1920.

William Roberts Kempton Atkinson. 21st Sept. 1920.

Humphrey William Baggs. 14th Sept. 1920.

Frank Henry Barton. 28th Sept. 1920.

Clifford Harrold Bird. 15th Sept. 1920.

Frank Edgar Bond. 27th Sept. 1920.

Kenneth Lenton Boswell. 14th Sept. 1920.

Cyril Ferdinand Briggs. 20th Sept. 1920.

James Charles Burney-Cumming. 25th Sept. 1920.

Christopher Guy Gilbert. 16th Sept. 1920.

Harold Alan Hamersley, M.C. 20th Sept. 1920.

Edwin Jackson. 28th Sept. 1920.

Wilfred Thomas Lewis. 17th Sept. 1920.

Vivian Steel Parker. 28th Sept. 1920.

Frederick Laurence Pearce. 15th Sept. 1920.

Walter Baldwin Eyer Powell. 13th Sept. 1920.

Archibald James Rankin. 27th Sept. 1920.

Herbert Brian Richardson, M.C. 23rd Sept. 1920.

Ian Charles Grant Simpson. 28th Sept. 1920.

Cyril Richard Smythe. 16th Sept. 1920.

Cyril Douglas Spiers. 13th Sept. 1920.

Leslie Gordon Spinney. 13th Sept. 1920.

Walter English Swann. 25th Sept. 1920.

Flying Officers (from Pilot Officers), with seniority of the dates indicated.

Colin Ward Silvester Chalmers. 20th Sept. 1920.

Harry Macmillan. 27th Sept. 1920.

Alfred Cuckson Meredith. 22nd Sept. 1920.

Sidney Allan Charles Newnham. 20th Sept. 1920.

Robert Harold Rose. 20th Sept. 1920.

NOTE.—Flying Officer Gossip will be placed at the head of the list of Flying and Observer Officers, and will retain seniority relative to officers who have been similarly gazetted to short service commissions in a rank lower than their previous substantive rank in accordance with his previous position on the gradation list.

Flying Officer John Edward Clancy Hammond resigns his short service commn., and is permitted to retain his rank. 20th June 1920.

Observer Officer Gordon Lawrence Nicholson resigns his short service commn., and is permitted to retain his rank. 1st Oct. 1920.

The second christian name of Flying Officer William Whitefield McConnachie is as now described, not Whitehead, as stated in the Gazette of 12th Sept. 1919.

Air Ministry,

1st October, 1920.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

FLYING BRANCH.

Lt. (actg. Capt.) Hubert Stanley Marten-Smith relinquishes his R.A.F. commn. on appointment to the T.F., and is permitted to retain the rank of Capt. (Notification in the Gazette of 18th July 1919 to stand.)

Lt. (Hon. Capt.) John Ramsay Stewart relinquishes his R.A.F. commn. on appointment to the T.F., and is permitted to retain the rank of Capt. (Notification in the Gazette of 4th Apr. 1919 to stand.)