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War Office,

13th January, 1922.

His Majesty the KING has directed that the award of the Military Cross to Cecil Henry James Caudell (late Lieutenant, Regular Army Reserve of Officers (The Essex Regiment)), which was gazetted on the 15th February, 1919, shall be cancelled, and that his name be erased from the Register in consequence of his having been convicted by Field General Court-Martial.

Air Ministry,

13th January, 1922.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The following decorations have been conferred by the President of the French Republic in recognition of valuable services rendered during the War:—

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission to the officers concerned to wear the decorations awarded.

Croix de Guerre.

Capt. Charles Arthur Taylor.
Lt. Robert John Rodwell.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Henry George CROWE, M.C., is granted a permanent commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority. 17th Nov. 1921.

Flying Officer Hubert Everitt RANSON is granted a permanent commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority. 19th Dec. 1919. The notification in the Gazette of 19th Dec. 1919, appointing him to a short service commission, is cancelled.

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions as Pilot Officers on probation, with effect from, and with seniority of, the dates indicated:—

*Herbert Victor ALDER. 31st Dec. 1921.

29th Dec. 1921.

Arthur Kenneth CROWTHER.
Charles Frederick Hallyburton GRACE.
Eric MARLER.

*Robert Lester PALMER.

John Sever PHILLIPS.

Horace John WYKES.

William Arthur Charles Allison
YEARSLEY.

*Denotes previously served in R.A.F.

Flight Lt. Leonard Horatio SLATTER, O.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., is placed on half-pay, Scale B, from 11th Mar. 1922 to 20th Mar. 1922, inclusive.

Flying Officer James Henry JEPSON resigns his permanent commission, and is granted the rank of Capt. 2nd Nov. 1921.

Flying Officer Edward George GAFF resigns his permanent commission, and is permitted to retain the rank of Lt. 7th Jan. 1922.

Flying Officer Robin Fraser WALLAS resigns his short service commission, and is permitted to retain the rank of Lt. 11th Jan. 1922.

Flying Officer Lionel Gordon SHIPCOTT is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health, and is permitted to retain the rank of Lt. 11th Jan. 1922.

STORES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Leslie George STEVENSON is granted a permanent commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority, with effect from 12th Sept. 1919, and is transferred to the Stores Branch, with effect from 17th June 1920. The notification in the Gazette of the 12th Sept. 1919, appointing him to a short service commission, is cancelled.

Flying Officer Frederick Charles WORTON is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health, and is permitted to retain the rank of Lt. 11th Jan. 1922.

MEDICAL SERVICE.

Guy KINNEIR is granted a short service commission as a Flying Officer, with effect from, and with seniority of, 19th Dec. 1921.

Flight Lt. Raymond William RYAN is granted a short service commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority. 1st Jan. 1922.

Capt. John Sidney SMITH, Army Dental Surgeon, is granted a temporary commission as a Flight Lt. while attached for duty with the R.A.F., with effect from 1st Nov. 1921, and with seniority of 27th Jan. 1919. He will continue to receive emoluments from Army funds. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 27th Dec. 1921.)

MEMORANDUM.

177897 Cadet Harold Douglas Moffatt is granted an honorary commission as a 2nd Lt., with effect from the date of his demobilisation.

Capt. William Ralph Baldwin-Wiseman relinquishes his temporary commission on ceasing to be employed, and is permitted to retain his rank. 1st Jan. 1922.

ERRATUM.

Gazette of 15th Nov. 1921, page 9058.

For Leslie Bernard James BUNSTEAD,

Read Leslie Bernard James BUMSTEAD.

India Office,

13th January, 1922.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officer of the Indian Army:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

J. H. V. Barr. 24th Sept. 1921.

The KING has approved the grant or the relinquishment of temporary rank as shown below:—

Lieut. B. D. E. Donovan, attd., 1st Bn., 129th Baluchis, is granted the temp. rank of Capt.