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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 9th April, 1946.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be Additional Members in the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

ight Lieutenant Gustaf Hemnan Lonnberg (104393), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 15, O.T.U.

(104393), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 15, O.T.U.

Flight Lieutenant Lonnberg was the pilot of an aircraft which crash landed on a mountain in Sicily on 31st May, 1942. He, with another member of the crew, was captured by the Italians on the following day. They were taken to a camp near Rome where they were interrogated and kept in solitary confinement; their only food whilst in this camp was soup twice daily and any bread they could obtain by bribes. From 28th June, 1942, to August, 1943, Flight Lieutenant Lonnberg was imprisoned at Camp 35, Padula. He was eventually transferred to Camp 19 at Bologna where, on 9th September, 1943, he, with about 75 others, made an attempt to escape, but was soon recaptured. On 20th September, 1943, Flight Lieutenant Lonnberg, with about 1,400 other officers, was entrained for Germany. During the journey he crawled through a ventilating shaft and jumped into a ditch full of water where he remained until the train had passed on. Two of the guards opened fire but he escaped injury. He eventually reached Switzerland. After a stay in Switzerland Flight Lieutenant Lonnberg re-crossed the frontier, joined up with the Maquis and was ultimately able to reach the Alkied Forces.

Flight Lieutenant Bertie Brown (122365), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Force Volunteer Reserve.

Flight Lieutenant Brown was a member of a party engaged on a special operation involving reconnaissance work behind the Japanese lines. He completed his mission and was at large in enemy tenritory for seventeen days without food, evading enemy search parties. On two occasions Flight Lieutenant Brown successfully fought his way out of difficult situations. Throughout these hazardous circumstances he showed great bravery and determination. It was only lack of food and sickness that forced him to take shelter in a village where his presence was betrayed to the in a village where his presence was betrayed to the Thai authorities and he was taken prisoner. The whole operation was carried out under imminent

danger of capture and involved night marches through the jungle. After the fifth day the party had no food. They daily got weaker and suffered from jungle sores in addition to wounds and sick-

Lieutenant Frank Christian Lorentz (103131) ,South African Air Force, No. 4 Squadron.

Lieutenant Lorentz was captured by the Italians on 13th December, 1941, after having abandoned his aircraft and being wounded in both legs. doned his aircraft and being wounded in both legs. He commenced his efforts to escape while in hospital at Parma, by filing through barred windows, but this attempt was unsuccessful. This officer made a further attempt by tunnelling at Padula but little came of it. His next effort was during a train journey from Padula to Gavi in July, 1942, when he jumped from the train, but his liberty was short lived. Lieutenant Lorentz was later imprisoned at Camp 5. Gavi and when the Gerwas short lived. Lieutenant Lorentz was later imprisoned at Camp 5, Gavi, and when the Germans took over the camp he with other officers hid in the cellars. They were discovered within 48 hours and on 18th September, 1943, were entrained for Germany. When some 20 miles from Trento, Lieutenant Lorentz jumped from the train and made his escape. After getting civilian clothes he made his way to the Swiss frontier which he crossed on 25th September, 1943.

Varrant Officer Ernest George Stephen Monk (552507), Royal Air Force, No. 21 (P) A.F.U.

On the night of 7th January, 1946, Warrant Officer Monk was a member of the crew of an aircraft that crashed on high ground in South Wales at 2300 hours. The captain of the aircraft was seriously injured, the wireless operator was killed and Warrant Officer Monk received severe facial and other injuries. Despite his injuries Warrant Officer (Monk struggled down the mountainside for several hours in very severe weather. He eventually reached a farmhouse and sent help to the surviving member of the crew. Warrant Officer Monk displayed outstanding endurance and fortitude and he undoubtedly contributed to saving the life of the captain of the aircraft.

arrant Officer Dudley James Crimp (640695), Royal Air Force, No. 1 Glider Training School, No. 23 Group.

On 6th November, 1945, Warrant Officer Crimp was giving night flying dual instruction in a Hotspur glider when the towing aircraft experienced engine failure. Warrant Officer Crimp, with great coolness and presence of mind, immediately released the glider from the tug and skilfully landed it, almost without damage, in a field where the towing aircraft had crashed and was hurning fiercely. He aircraft had crashed and was burning fiercely. He

immediately ran to the blazing wreckage where he observed the instructor in the aircraft lying seriously injured under the main plane. Warrant Officer Crimp promptly dragged him to a safe distance and administered morphia. Throughout the incident this Warrant Officer displayed a high standard of courage, initiative and tenacity of purpose. He undoubtedly saved the injured man's life.

Warrant Officer Derek Bert Thrower (904944) Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 405 Squadron.

Warrant Officer Thrower was shot down over Holland on 15th July, 1941, and captured. On 28th July, 1941, whilst in transit to Stalag IXC, he escaped from the train by squeezing through a escaped from the train by squeezing through a fanlight in a lavatory, the screws of which had been removed with the help of other prisoners. He landed safely and hid in some bushes for awhile before setting out to walk across country in the hope of reaching the Swiss frontier. For four days he walked, living mainly on turnips. On the evening of the fourth day he was observed but managed to elude his pursuers. During a storm Warrant Officer Thrower sheltered in the washhouse of a farm where he was discovered. Owing house of a farm where he was discovered. Owing to weakness, he was unable to get clear again and he was taken to the barracks at Saalfeld. In April, 1942, Warrant Officer Thrower made a further attempt to escape by crawling through a window, the iron bars of which he had sawn through with hack-saw blades he had secreted. He walked to keep and received the Autobaba running to 40 km. and reached the Autobahn running to Munich, but was arrested soon by the civil police. His last and successful escape was made during a march to Lubeck when, owing to weakness, he and two others lagged behind. Although threatened with shooting if they did not keep up with the party they managed to elude their captors and took shelter in the loft of a barn, in which they hid for six days whilst enemy troops were sheltering below. They eventually made contact with British Forces in April, 1945, and they then led the British troops to the barn in search of some S.S. troops.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the undermentioned appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be an Additional Member in the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

Flight Lieutenant Edward Solomon Adolph SNIDERS (106028), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 139 (Jamaica) Squadron.

Flight Lieutenant Sniders was the pilot of a Flight Lieutenant Sniders was the pilot of a Mosquito aircraft engaged on a bombing sortic on 27th July, 1943, when engine trouble developed on the way to the target. He continued, however, and completed his mission. During the return journey he had to abandon his aircraft, being unable to maintain height. He landed in a field in Holland, hid his parachute harness and lay in a ditch until dark. His method of avoiding capture was to hide by day and travel by night, living on food given him by friendly Dutch folk. Flight Lieutenant Sniders evaded being taken prisoner until 22nd August, 1943, when he was arrested by the Germans at the moment he was making his way across the Belgian-French frontier. He was taken to Stalag Luft III at Sagan where, on 14th October, 1943, he dressed as a Luftwaffe airman and crossed the warning and outer fences, pretending that he was working on them. As he walked away he was recognised by a German and arrested, receiving a sentence of 10 days in the cells. In November, 1943, he made another attempt to escape, by tunnelling, but the tunnel was discovered before the escape materialised. He eventually escaped on 21st April, 1945, from Stalag VIIA when, dressed as an airman, he left with a working party bound for Moorsburg. Here he and others hid until contact was made with the Allied Armies. He returned to the United Kingdom on 12th May, 1945. Mosquito aircraft engaged on a bombing sortie on 12th May, 1945.

Air Ministry, 9th April, 1946. ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
As Sqn. Ldr. (permanent)*:—
John Anthony O'NEILL, D.F.C. (37117). 29th Dec. 1945.

As Plt. Offs. on prob. short service (four years on the active list). 22nd Feb. 1946:—
Acm. 2nd Cl.

3035163 Charles Leonard Alfred Borley (57720). 3012460 Walter Ormrod (57743). 3032973 Ronald Dennis Thornton (57748).

3032909 David Hugh ALEXANDER (57718).

1899401 Patrick FAWKES (57731).

3051830 Frederick Mandeville (57739). 3023019 Geoffrey Crerar Cairns (57721).

3001527 John Richard Hargreaves (57733). 3012783 William Horace Dalgleish (57726). 3013592 Eric Ernest Reynolds (57744). 3012753 John Victor Eric Patrick Carter (57722)

3051850 Philip John DIGHT (57727). 3033473 Neville Owen CORNWALL (57725). 3225120 George Robert BAXTER (57719). 3032884 Herbert George Peter HINE (57734).

3032884 Herbert George Peter HINE (57734).
3225060 Herbert MINNIS (57740).
3034412 Leslie Alan Jolliffe MacLean (57738).
1819998 Peter Anthony Latham (57736).
3052089 Mervyn James Fortune (57732).
3225147 Donald Joseph MITCHELL (57741).
3023161 John Raymond Leask (57737).
3034768 Dennis Aitchison Dunlop (57728).
3038598 Dion Arthur Raymond Edwards (57729).

3031618 Michael Owen SEARLE (57746). 3035177 Gordon Harold Hunter Robinson

3035177 (57745)

3001815 David Langford (57735). 3034198 Patrick Michael Knox Ellerton (57730).

3023330 Donald William Fraser Muir (57742).

3042112 Roy Colbeck (57723). 3002151 Arthur Edward Shephard (57747).

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
576844 Flt. Sgt. Raymond Hodge (57935). 4th

Jan. 1946.

654682 Sgt. John Keith Hudson (57610). 24th Feb. 1945.

Retirement.

Gp. Capt. (temp. Air Cdre.) J. L. Kirby, C.B., C.B.E. (at own request), retaining the rank of Air Cdre. 4th Mar. 1946.

Gp. Capts.:—
J. OLIVER, A.F.C., retaining the rank of Air Cdre. 26th Mar. 1946.

24th Mar. 1946. G. W. Bentley, D.F.C. E. Burton. R. H. G. NEVILLE. 15th Mar. 1946.

Wg. Cdrs. (temp. Gp. Capts.) retaining the rank of

Capt.:—
J. Ll. M. de C. Hughes-Chamberlain. 6th Mar.

1946.
 F. H. Woolliams. 14th Mar. 1946.
 H. S. Broughall, M.C., D.F.C. 15th Mar.

1946. T. H. French, D.F.C. 19th Mar. 1946.

Flt. Lt. retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr.: A. J. SMITH (21352) (at own request). 14th . Mar. 1946.

Notification amended.

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29th Jan. 1946 (p. 712, col. 2) concerning
Wg. Cdr. W. J. Millen (04134) for 26th Nov.
1945, read 27th Nov. 1945.

5th Mar. 1946 (p. 1235, col. 1) concerning
Fit. Lt. D. A. Ffrench-Mullen (33245) for 17th
Feb. 1946 read 8th Apr. 1946.

Reversion to retired list. Gp. Capts., retaining the rank of Air Cdre.:H. J. F. HUNTER, C.B.E., M.C. 118th Ja π8th Tan.

1946. I. T. LLOYD, C.B., C.B.E. 29th Mar. 1946.

Wg. Cdrs., retaining the rank of Gp. Capt.:—
R. J. Montgomery-Moore (04138). 25th Mar. 1946.
A. P. Maurice, D.F.C. (02242). 31st Mar. 1946.

· Retaining his existing rank under wartime rules. Relative seny. in permanent rank will be determined Sqn. Ldr. P. R. Burchall, O.B.E. (01127), retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 19th Mar. 1946.

Flt. Lt. (temp. Sqn. Ldr.) J. H. HAGON (02168) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 14th Feb. 1946.

Notification amended.

19th Feb. 1946 (p. 1011, col. 1) concerning Wg. Cdr. W. D. Long, O.B.E. (01194), for 3rd Jan. 1946 read 18th Mar. 1946.

Commission relinquished.
Sqn. Ldr. E. M. Goodale, D.S.O. (Capt. North'n R.) (25128) (on return to Army duty). 28th Mar. 1946.

Notification cancelled.

а5th Jan. 1946 (р. 453, col. 1) concerning Flt. Lt. P. R. Shurlock (47292).

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):-

7th Mar. 1946. 570411 Flt. Sgt. Colin Arthur Taylor (57764). 570292 Sgt. Roy Smith (57894).

Retirement

Air Cdre. (temp. Air Vice-Mshl.) O. G. W. G. Lywoon, C.B., C.B.E., retaining the rank of Air Vice-Mshl. 29th Mar. 1946.
Wg. Cdr. (temp. Gp. Capt.) C. H. Tighe, D.F.C. (at own request) retaining the rank of Gp.

Capt. 21st Mar. 1946. Sqn. Ldr. (temp. Wg. Cdr.) R M.B.E. (13219) (and re-employed). R. S. BRUCE. 11th Dec.

1945.
Flt. Lt. (temp. Sqn. Ldr.) F. W. Henwood (35125) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 6th Mar.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

590317 Wt. Off. John Charles Fisher (57795) as Flg. Off. on prob. (emergency). 21st Feb. 1946.

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency). 1946:--

Flt. Sgts.

546750 Harold Fielding (57794). 515240 Tudor Roberts (57832). 614612 Jeffrey Ernest Betts (57784).

Air Cdre. (temp. Air Vice-Mshl.) Sir E. William HAVERS, K.B.E., C.B., retaining the rank of Air Vice-Mshl. 26th Jan. 1946.

Gp. Capt. N. R. FULLER, C.B.E. 26th Feb.

Wg. Cdrs., retaining the rank of Gp. Capt.:— B. G. Carfoot (31175) (at own request). 22nd

Mar. 1946. W. Eccles, O.B.E. (21144). 28th Mar. 1946.

Reversion to retired list.

Sqn. Ldr. E. Meynell, D.C.M. (10126), retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 29th Mar. 1946.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Retirement.

Wg. Cdr. C. H. Moore (11117) retaining the rank of Gp. Capt. 7th Mar. 1946.

Flt. Lt. A. P. Scarpiffeld (21353) retaining the

rank of Sqn. Ldr. 18th Mar. 1946.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Sqn. Ldr. (permanent)*:-

Ernest Bruce Harvey, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. 23287). ist Sept. 1945. (23287).

As Flt. Lts. (permanent)*:

1st Sept. 1945. Edgar Bulmer Bright, A.F.C., M.B., Ch.B.

(23375). Harry Hamilton Scott Brown, M.B., B.S. (23355).

George Roy Gunn, M.B., Ch.B. (73025). Ralph Coburn Jackson, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

(23351).
Ronald Leslie Scott, M.B., Ch.B. (23337).
Hugh Patrick Ruffell Smith, A.F.C., M.B.,
B.Ch., L.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23353).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime les. Relative seny. in permanent rank will be determined later.

William Kilpatrick STEWART, A.F.C., M.B.,

Ch.B. (73558).

John Denham Tonkinson, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. John (23346).

As Flg. Off. on prob. (Qr.-Mr.) (emergency):— 356630 Wt. Off. Arthur Thomas ROBERTS (57773). 7th Mar. 1946.

Reversion to retired list.

Gp. Capt. W. A. S. Duck, O.B.E., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., D.P.H., retaining the rank of Air Cdre. 24th Mar. 1946.

LEGAL BRANCH.

Reversion to retired list.

Gp. Capt. E. St. C. HARNETT, O.B.E., retaining the rank of Air Cdre. 11th Mar. 1946.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.
538332 Flt. Sgt. Thomas Henry Jackson
(57690) as Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 20th Feb. 1946.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Wg. Cdr. A. G. Malan, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37604) retaining the rank of Gp. Capt. 5th Apr. 1946.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished.

Sqn. Ldr. (temp. Wg. Cdr.) H. Preston (70554) (on appt. to R.A.F.V.R.). 13th Mar. 1946.

ADMINISTRATIVE ANDSPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class CC):—

As Sqn. Ldrs.:—
Sidney Russel Leitch. 1st Sept. 1945.

James Lothian. 13th Mar. 1946.

As Flt. Lts.:-

11th Mar. 1946. Cecil James Clark. Douglas Peter Walter.

Commission relinquished (class CC):-

The undermtd., on cessation of duty:—

1st Mar. 1946.

Gp. Capt. C. F. Gordon, O.B.E., M.C., D.F.C.

Wg. Cdr. H. P. Smyth-Osbourne, C.M.G.,
C.B.E.

Sqn. Ldr. A. H. PINDER. 13th Mar. 1946.

Flts. Lts.:— W. R. WARDEN. 28th Dec. 1945.

28th Feb. 1946.

W. W. Black. J. BOYLE.

J. Bradfield.

18th Mar. 1946.

S. L. PALMER. E. J. PYLE.

Flg. Offs.

28th Feb. 1946.

G. J. Bell. W. L. Dent.

D. McFarlane.

Commission resigned.

Sqn. Ldr. R. E. M. BLAKEWAY (70068) retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 2nd Apr. 1946.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):— Wt. Offs.

Indian (202399).

1425771 Jacob Indian Munday 16th Mar. 1945. 1804520 Peter Harold Freeman (202430).

4th Aug. 1945. 1323066 Peter Michael Gray (202405). 8th Nov.

1583519 William Neville BAGGALEY (202400). 3rd Jan. 1946. 1391047 Bernard David Tudor Hughes (202404). 14th Feb. 1946.

Flt. Sgts. 945775 Sidney EDWARDS (202429). 18th Oct.

1945. 1820276 Robert Osborne BLAIR (202398). 15th

Dec. 1945.

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1566296 John REGAN (202385). 3rd Jan. 1946.
1874745 Gordon Henry Martin Rose (202401).
18th Jan. 1946.

    J. R. Macnamara (SR.80362). 24th Oct. 1945.
    E. K. E. KNIGHT (SR.160021). 25th Oct. 1945.
    A. H. GUNN, D.F.C. (SR.80228). 16th Nov.

      Sgts.
17th Feb. 1945.
2225392 Ronald Gerald GLEDHILL (201670).
3012553 William Franklyn Jones (201672).
2222509 Donald QUEENBOROUGH (201673).
                                                                                                           1945.
                                                                                                          Flg. Offs.:—
B. C. D. M. MUNDY (160249). 8th Aug. 1945.
A. W. MACKAY (SR.160175). 21st Aug. 1945.
       1880346 Desmond Hollamby Cloake (201674).
                                                                                                               22nd Aug. 1945.
F. W. Dalton (160270).
E. Feldman (160235).
   3rd Mar. 1945.
1593510 Arnold Brittain (201677). 10th Mar.
   1945.

    A. J. Pickett (SR.194000). 5th Sept. 1945.
    P. A. L. Haarhoff (SR.160263). 17th Oct. 1945.
    A. W. Tinniswood (SR.160191). 18th Oct.

       17th Mar. 1945.
1802121 Wilfred James Broadmore (201680).
3051100 Richard Graham Pope (201678).
       2210174 Michael Patrick Hugh Stephenson
                                                                                                                                          25th Oct. 1945
                                                                                                               P. J. NIEMANDT (SR.160278).
D. J. RICHARDS (SR.160279).
T. A. C. THOMAS (SR.194012).
   (201679).
       11823478 Edward Guy Nichol CAPPUCCITTI
101858). 25th Aug. 1945.
3030606 Herbert Charles CLARKSON (202387).
       11823478
   (201858).
                                                                                                       The undermid. (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service):—
   23rd Sept. 1945.
   1892403 Aubrey Bernard DERHAM (202431). 4th Dec. 1945.
                                                                     Patrick
                                                                                                           Flt. Lts., retaining their rank:
30th Mar. 1946.
H. P. AIKEN (75680).
S. CHILES, D.F.C. (161048).
       Acm. 2nd Cl.
22nd Feb. 1946.
3040901 Arthur Derek Rudin (202059).
3002202 Robert Edward McNamara (202056).
3041936 Gilbert Miles Myers (202057).
                                                                                                                J. P. O'CONNOR (144320). 31st Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                           Flg. Offs., retaining their rank:
D. Reid (166287). 26th Ma
        1882173 Alan Dudley SEYMOUR (202060).
                                                                                                                                                       26th Mar. 1946.
Transfer between branches.
The undermtd., to the Admin. and Spec. Duties
                                                                                                                                          29th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                W. W. Burke (189904).
W. C. Freestone, D.F.C. (175824).
   Flt. Lt. T. C. RIGLER, D.F.C., D.F.M. (114032). 26th Mar. 1946.
Flg. Off. W. T. Taylor (164430). 27th Mar.
                                                                                                                W. C. Shaw (183097). 30th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                        Notification amended.
                                                                                                            5th Mar. 1946 (p. 1236, col. 1) concerning Flt. Lt. R. G. S. SIMMONDS (SR.160063) for 31st July 1945 read 15th Aug. 1945, and concerning Flt. Lt. Q. Kelly Edwards (SR.160097) for 6th Sept. 1945 read 5th Sept. 1945.
     1946.
   To the Acct. Br.:—
Flg. Off. W. H. BANGS (177294). 25th Mar. 1946 (seny. 21st Feb. 1945).
Commission relinquished.
    Fig. Offs.:—

K. V. Berman (197670), 15th Dec. 1945.

H. SINNEMA (179954), 12th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                        Notification cancelled.
                                                                                                            29th Jan. 1946 (p. 714, col. 2) concerning Flg. Off. H. G. BISHOPP (146311).
        Plt. Off. (prob.) J. M. HAMLETT (195584). 29th
                                                                                                        Commission resigned.
Flg. Off. A. M. TURNBULL (167162). 27th Max.
    Mar. 1946.
    Flg. Offs., retaining their rank:—
H. J. HICKEY (182731). 12th Mar. 1946.
H. WOODHOUSE (167149). 5th Apr. 1946.
                                                                                                            1946.
                                                                                                            Flt, Lts., retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr.:—
J. Bowie (76307). 26th Mar. 1946.
S. N., Pearce, D.F.C. (77199). 2nd Apr. 1946.
   The undermtd. (on reversion to Southern Rhodesian
                                                                                                            The undermtd., retaining their rank:—
Fit. Lts.:—
W. J. Archer (172281). 18th Feb. 1946.
C. A. Bassett (128115). 16th Mar. 1946.
        Sqn. Ldr. E. T. SMITH, D.F.C. (SR.80056). 5th
     Oct. 1945.
    Flt. Lts. (temp. Sqn. Ldrs.):—
G. C. ROBINSON (SR.80049). 4th Sept. 1945.
J. F. F. FINNIS (SR.80035). 8th Sept. 1945.
                                                                                                                                          27th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                K. H. Andrews (109068).D. REDMAN, D.F.C. (145043).
     Flt. Lts.:-
        M. A. A. May (SR.124773). 2nd Aug. 1945.
N. K. Skillicorn (SR.80366). 15th Aug. 1945.

W. P. Hennessey (132019). 28th Mar. 1946.
A. P. Douglas (117157). 29th Mar. 1946.
S. M. Sheret (116926). 30th Mar. 1946.

        22nd Aug. 1945.
J. H. Cloete (SR.81012).
D. M. Grantham (SR.80452).
C. G. Hirst (SR.80266).
A. V. Sanders, D.F.C. (SR.80144).
G. G. K. Taylor (SR.80103).
                                                                                                                 IST Apr. 1946.
B. S. BOOKER (87441).
J. J. VERHULPEN (106658).
                                                                                                                 C. J. Carstairs (152456). 3rd Apr. 1946. F. L. H. Titley (123556). 5th Apr. 1946.
         A. G. Debeer (SR.131590). 4th Sept. 1945.
W. Treger, D.F.C. (SR.80124). 5th Sept. 1945.
                                                                                                             Flg. Offs.:
                                                                                                                 G. C. A. STEVENS (154980). 13th Mar. 1946.
G. C. A. STEVENS (154980). 13th Mar. 1946.
L. M. BUILER (182570). 16th Mar. 1946.
M. W. BENNETT (173744). 27th Mar. 1946.
R. M. SORZANO (173563). 4th Apr. 1946.
                                    8th Sept. 1945.
         H. M. EATON (SR.160030).
R. J. MOUBRAY (SR.80349).
         J. K. G. Borcherds (SR.80211). 11th Sept.
    E. T. CATHCART-CUNNISON, D.F.C. (SR.160010).
                                                                                                         Dismissal by sentence of General Court-Martial.
Flg. Off. D. W. Hobrugh (184544). 19th Mar.
    28th Sept. 1945.
W. Ashby (SR.80467). 4th Oct. 1945.
                                   6th Oct. 1945.
                                                                                                         TECHNICAL BRANCH.
         M. DAVIES (SR.80401).
P. DEVENISH, D.F.C. (SR.80198).
                                                                                                          Appointment to commission.
                                                                                                             Harold Preston (70554) as Sqn. Ldr. (war subs.) (seny. 27th Nov. 1941) (temp. Wg. Cdr., seny. 1st Sept. 1942) on relinquishment of commn. in R.A.F.O. 13th Mar. 1946.
         K. M. Rogers (SR.160110). 8th Oct. 1945.E. D. A. Bigg, A.F.C. (SR.80297). 12th Oct.
    1945.
I. C. MEIKLE, D.F.C. (SR.80209). 16th Oct.
                                                                                                              As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
1067066 Sgt. Harry Sutcliffe (202092).
                                                                                                                                                                                                      7th
         18th Oct. 1945.
K. J. Burrow (SR.160075).
P. R. Carr (SR.160066).
R. S. Cooke (SR.80273).
N. D. Fynn, D.F.C. (SR.80466).
H. F. McK. Garmany (SR.160164).
                                                                                                             Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                                        Cpls.
                                                                                                                 7th Mar. 1946.
1449170 John Henry Martin Bailey (202242).
1879625 Raymond William Dallow (202245).
1561303 Robert Findley Rodger (202249).
916465 Frederick Joseph Henry Smith (202072).
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B. P. RAINSFORD (SR.160088).

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Ldg. Acm.
1321479 Kenneth Vaughan Gros (202209). 28th
                                                                                                                                        1st Apr. 1946.
C. Aldersley (111684).
M. H. H. Barrie (110082).
    Feb. 1946.
                                                                                                                                       M. H. H. BARRIE (110082).
R. J. BEARD (108473).
J. BERRY (144545).
H. W. N. BOOT (111184).
W. C. H. BRISTOW (115045).
E. W. T. COOKE (110084).
R. DAVIES (136949).
J. A. DICKER (100708).
N. DUFFY (110624).
D. G. FARROW (106425).
W. GILCHRIST (117943).
G. T. HALSTEAD (110631).
F. A. HENDRY (134291).
J. D. E. HOLLINGWORTH (189873)
F. HOSTLER (162900).
         7th Mar. 1946.
1571794 John Murray Cassidy (202243).
1543216 Ronald Colin Comery (202244).
1515942 Charles Morven MacCallum (202246).
1711957 Alan Leslie Murray-Rochard (202247).
1755297 Alan Richard Trevellick (202251).
1131067 Arthur Norman Williams (202095).
1675206 John Winterbottom (202252).
Commission relinquished.
                  undermtd. (on
                                                          reversion to
                                                                                                   Southern
Rhodesian Forces):—

Flt. Lt. R. S. Burns (SR.160007).
                                                                                                 25th Oct.
                                                                                                                                       J. D. E. HOLLINGWORTH
F. HOSTLER (162900).
F. S. HUDSON (130683).
W. R. JARDINE (133503).
H. JONES (141723).
S. R. JONES (190590).
P. MCMAHON (111192).
J. MOORE (108467).
D. NEAVE (104708).
S. C. PATERSON (1047711.
H. PRICE (100319).
R. D. RAY (177723).
D. E. RILEY (112617).
E. RILEY (190705).
                                                                                                                                        J.
F.
    Flg. Offs. (temp. Flt. Lts.):—
8th Oct. 1945.
L. T. F. EDMETT (SR.80188).
T. R. J. HAWKINS (SR.80142).
          Flg. Off. G. S. PERRY (SR.141798). 8th Oct.
     1945.
     The undermid. (on account of medical unfitness for
Air Force service):—

Fit. Lt. G. A. Gilbert, M.B.E. (106380) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 28th Mar. 1946.

Flg. Off. R. D. Stokel-Walker (171564) retaining his rank. 26th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                         E. RILEY (190705).
G. Ross (109468).
                                                                                                                                        G. ROSS (109408).
J. H. RUSSELI (184584).
G. R. SAMUEL (133124).
J. E. V. SHEPPARD (64386).
W. F. SILVESTER (107166).
A. C. TURK (109300).
F. H. H. TURNER (108470).
A. Y. WALKER (159256).
J. WARBURTON (110098).
Commission resigned.

Fit. Lt. M. A. Alden (142593) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 28th Mar. 1946.

Fig. Off. M. Settelen (146506) retaining the rank of Fit. Lt., 8th Apr. 1946.
BALLOON BRANCH.
Commission resigned.
Flg. Off. M. KOTKIN (121966) retaining his rank.
26th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                         R. A. HARVEY (132696). 8th Apr. 1946.
                                                                                                                                    The undermtd. (on cessation of duty):—
Air Cdre. (honorary) V. S. Brown, C.B., O.B.E.
(71146), retaining his rank. 1st Jan. 1946.
(Subs. for notifn. of 22nd Jan. 1946 (p. 567,
 ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES
          BRANCH
 Commission relinquished.
                                                                                                                                             2.)
          Flg. Off. (temp. Flt. Lt.) G. Brown (81963) (on
                                                                                                                                    Wg. Cdr. (honorary) F. E. HELLYER, O.B.E. (71154), retaining his rank, 1st Jan. 1946. (Substor notifn. of 22nd Jan. 1946 (p. 567, col. 2.)
      appt. to the Army). 23rd Jan. 1946.
      The undermtd. (on reversion to Southern Rhodesian
                                                                                                                                    Sqn. Ldrs. (honorary):—
21st Mar. 1946.
Forces):-
          E. P. KLEYNHAMS (SR.80045). 24th Sept. 1945.
P. M. S. BEAUFORT (SR.80157). 18th Oct. 1945.
K. F. D. ATTWELL (SR.80206). 7th Nov. 1945.
                                                                                                                                         J. W. S. PRINGLE.
D. G. REID.
                                                                                                                                    Flt. Lts. (honorary):—
21st Mar. 1946.
     Flg. Offs. (temp. Flt. Lts.):—
2nd Aug. 1945.
L. M. G. FOSTER (SR.89107).
B. M. RIXON (SR.89110).
                                                                                                                                         H. BISEY (71541).
W. FISHWICK (71205).
                                                                                                                                     Flg. Offs. (honorary):
                                                                                                                                         21st Mar. 1946.
F. D. STOTT (71586).
R. M. WALLACE (71566).

D. G. O. OWEN (SR.80333). 25th Aug. 1945.
D. P. HOWAT (SR.80123). 24th Sept. 1945.
G. BRYSON, M.C. (SR.89390). 15th Oct. 1945.

          24th Oct. 1945.
V. D. Fletcher (SR.88158)
W. H. Over (85497).
                                                                                                                                     Plt. Offs. (honorary):—
G. N. Taylor (192624). 15th Feb. 1946.
     Flg. Offs.:—
M. L. Stevenson (SR.108900). 8th Aug. 1945.
R. C. Pigott (SR.136232). 21st Aug. 1945.
H. W. Misdorp (SR.108908). 4th Sept. 1945.
W. C. Ker (SR.80146). 17th Sept. 1945.
                                                                                                                                                                       21st Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                          A. D. BATES.
A. J. MOULD.
                                                                                                                                The undermid (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service):—
                                                                                                                                    Fit. Lts., retaining their rank:—
A. EDGLEY (135393). 31st Mar. 1946.
G. H. HART (133653). 1st Apr. 1946.
          8th Oct. 1945.
C. C. Christenson (SR.108916).
R. F. M. Taylor (SR.80434).
                                                                                                                                     Flg. Offs., retaining their rank:—
C. C. HILLIER (148598). 28th Mar. 1946.
F. FELLS (110623). 29th Mar. 1946.
      The undermtd. (on ceasing to be employed):--
      Flg. Offs.:—
A. Plowman (68264). ist Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                Commission resigned.

Sqn. Ldr. F. H. P. WARMINGTON (72732), retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 24th Jan. 1946.
                                            1st Apr. 1946.
            A. Bentley (126452).
          H. E. BROMLEY (120452).
H. E. BROMLEY (73101).
R. J. DOOLAN (124016).
J. FAIRLEY (107273).
W. W. MORTON (116204).
L. R. NATT (129020).
I. E. ROBERTS (73748).
J. C. TOD (115907).
                                                                                                                                      The undermtd., retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr.: -
                                                                                                                                          M. A. N. GLOVER, M.C. (106921). 1st Dec. 1945.
W. E. F. POWELL (84177). 18th Jan. 1946.
R. LEANING (101606). 19th Jan. 1946.
J. C. BOWN (101761). 2nd Mar. 1946.
H. EZEKIEL, M.B.E. (61337). 8th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                                                                                                 1st Dec. 1945.
      Plt. Offs:—
H. G. Betteridge (60436). 11th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                                                         26th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                          J. T. HUNTER (78184).
L. McL. Watson (160984).
           H. M. Evans (190336). 22nd Mar. 1946.
           26th Mar. 1946.
W. W. MacLellan (160765).
W. F. Parker (168947).
                                                                                                                                     J. A. Menhams (64369). 5th Apr. 1946.
J. Lomas (75037). 6th Apr. 1946.
Flg. Off. (temp. Flt. Lt.) J. C. Donnelly (86772). 26th Mar. 1946.
            A. R. PELLING (189924).
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J. D. McAuliffe (190442). 27th Mar. 1946.

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The undermtd., retaining the rank of Flt. Lt.:—
Flg Offs. (temp. Flt. Lts.):—
J. WILLIAMS (75721). 30th Nov. 1945.
H. O. N. BULL (74388). 17th Feb. 1946.
N. D. WILLIAMS (77824). 26th Mar. 1946.
R. C. MAIS (86480). 29th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                  Forfeiture of seniority.

Fit. il.t. C. H. Frost (79888) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 18th Dec. 1945) as if his appt. as Fit. Lt. (temp.) bore date 1st July
                                                                                                                  Commission relinquished.

Fig. Off. (temp. Flt. Lt.) J. E. S. Harrison (SR80391) (on reversion to Southern Rhodesian Forces). 26th Oct. 1945.

Plt. Off. (prob.) G. D. Childs (198815) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining bis rank. 26th Mar. 1946.
      Flg. Offs.:-
         3rd Apr. 1946.
G. R. Bell (69569).
J. L. Bonnar (112262).
     Flt. Lt. S. J. K. Adams (117129) retaining his rank. 10th Feb. 1946.
                                                                                                                   ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.
                                                                                                                  Commission resigned.

Flg. Offs. (temp. Flt. Lts.) retaining the rank of Flt. Lt.:—

P. B. Binnie (88358). 28th Mar. 1946.

V. Patman (89693). 21d Apr. 1946.
 Notification amended.
     15th Jan. 1946 (p. 456, col. 1) concerning Wg. Cdr. R. W. SPENCER (75195) for 22nd Jan. 1941, read 22nd Jan. 1946.
 TRAINING BRANCH.
                                                                                                                   Removal.

Flg. Off. (temp. Flt. Lt.) G. T. Bradshaw (81566). 19th Nov. 1945.
Commission resigned.
     Pit. Offs.:—
C. E. JEFFERSON (69707). 30th Sept. 1945.
                                                                                                                   MEDICAL BRANCH.
                                       31st Oct. 1945.
                                                                                                                   Appointment to commission.
          F. Timms (65832).
W. S. Walker (67904).
                                                                                                                                                        7th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                       Stanley Ferguson Soutar, M.B. Ch.B., F.R.C.S. (E.) (202225) as Sqn. Ldr. (emergency). David Brash, M.B., Ch.B., D.M.R. (202215)
         N. A. PHILLIPS (102907). 31st Dec. 1945.
L. Nowell (102935). 1st Jan. 1946.
J. S. G. Boyd (106990). 1st Feb. 1946.
G. Hardy (136787). 23rd Feb. 1946.
N. F. PHILLIPS (120283). 1st Mar. 1946.
G. W. E. D. Harris (139534). 7th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                       as Flt. Lt. (emergency).
                                                                                                                       As Flg. Offs. (emergency):—
7th Mar. 1946.
Thomas William Gibson Donohoe, M.B., Ch.B.
                                                                                                                       (202216).
Thomas
                                                                                                                      Thomas Davidson Duke, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (202217).

Ian Scoon Ferguson, M.B., Ch.B. (202218).

Donald Frederick Gibbs, M.B., Ch.B. (202219).
         11th Mar. 1946.
T. W. ATTWELL (63029).
T. W. BENNINGTON (136793).
C. G. DAVIES (65353).
C. FORREST, M.M. (102920).
J. McC. FRASER (107097).
W. J. GRAY (105044).
J. E. HARBACH (63032).
F. W. JONES (146075).
K. LLOYD (64583).
S. E. MILLER (105101).
D. G. MORGAN (135313).
D. W. MUNRO (106686).
C. MURPHY (160174).
                                     11th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                           Lawrence Griffiths, M.B., Ch.B. (202220).
John Lawson, M.B., Ch.B. (202221).
Robert Stewart Maclachlan, M.B. C.
                                                                                                                       (202222).
Ivor Pitt Dickie While Skempton, L.M.S.S.A.
                                                                                                                       (202224).
                                                                                                                           Norman Charles Trevor WATFORD, M.B., B.S.
                                                                                                                       (202226).
                                                                                                                       Clifford Edgar Phillip, L.R.C.I
L.R.F.P.S. (202223). 12th Mar. 1946.
                                                                                                                                                                                     L.R.C.P.
          C. MURPHY (169174).
          J. L. NELSON (115357).
T. H. PETTIT (141296).
T. A. M. ROBERTS (102879).
                                                                                                                  Commission relinquished.
                                                                                                                       Fit. Lt. (Sqn. Ldr. stemp.) R. J. Coto, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S. (E) (77521) retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 9th Mar. 1946.
         H. O. ROGERS (158360).
A. S. ROWLATT (101392).
          A. N. Ryles (69382).
                                                                                                                  DENTAL BRANCH.
                                     20th Mar. 1946.
        20th Mar. 19
S. Ashworth (125103).
W. H. Bacon (128792).
S. D. Baxter (65332).
A. K. Beevers (125210).
G. C. P. Brown (67504).
F. R. Dearden (137344).
P. D. Edward (105090).
P. L. Evans (120311).
G. H. Garner (111883).
W. F. Gilbertson (69859).
H. S. Glover (63310):
                                                                                                                  Appointment to commission.
                                                                                                                       As Fig. Offs. (emergency):—
7th Mar. 1946.
Hubert Blackshaw, L.D.S. (202185).
Lawrence William Alexander Christie, L.D.S.
                                                                                                                       (202186).
                                                                                                                           Gwilym Ieuan Davies, B.D.S., L.D.S. (202236).
William Anderson Gardiner, L.D.S., R.C.S.
                                                                                                                           Gordon Egan McIntyre, L.D.S., R.C.S. (ed.)
        W. F. GILBERTSON (69859).
H. S. GLOVER (63319):
H. GOODLEY (118742).
E. M. GOLLIN (102372).
V. R. HADKINS (62613).
H. F. A. HAMMOND (67005).
C. S. W. KING (64716).
B. O. MANNING (65910).
F. MASSEY (121402)
                                                                                                                       (202188).
                                                                                                                           Grabam
                                                                                                                                                Mackenzie Mac Killop, L.D.S.,
                                                                                                                      R.F.P.S. (202189).

Joseph Percival Mayo, L.D.S. (202190).

Ronald Isaac Taylor, L.D.S. (202191)
                                                                                                                           Ronald Isaac Taylor, L.D.S. (202191).
John Frank Wheatcroft, L.D.S. (202192).
                                                                                                                  CHAPLAINS' BRANCH.
         F. Massey (131402).
W. N. PEET (114573).
W. F. Purser (109888)
                                                                                                                   Commission resigned.
                                                                                                                           Rev. J. M. Underwood (118961). 29th Mar.
         A. QUARMBY (134410).
H. R. RICHARDS (66901).
E. L. RUBER (66391).
J. A. SMITH (68612).
                                                                                                                  METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.
                                                                                                                   Appointment to commission.
                                                                                                                       As Actg. Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—
Acm. 2nd Cl.
                                                                                                                           7th Mar. 1946.
3037398 Geoffrey Field (202253).
3035308 Ronald Sydney Hollis (202254).
3036247 Alan James Wells (202255).
EQUIPMENT BRANCH.
Appointment to commission.
    As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):-
        999147 Sgt. John Coucom Cutts (202130). 7th
    Mar. 1946.
1112917 Cpl. Thomas Craig Stevenson (201885).
                                                                                                                  ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.
                                                                                                                  Commission relinquished.
    14th Jan. 1946.
                                                                                                                      Flg. Off. A. J. HOOLE (123786) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 30th Mar. 1946.
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Commission resigned.

Flg. Off. A. A. VASQUEZ-ARMSTRONG (134304) retaining his rank. 13th Feb. 1946.

7th Mar. 1946. 1877281 Ldg. Acm. Roye Edward PACKER.

Acm. 1st ch. Cecil Randell Lovell

(202147).

2236149 (202143).

WOMEN'S FORCES.

MARY'S PRINCESS ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

Retirement.

Senior Sister N. Meikle, R.R.C. (5028) (and re-employed). 8th Jan. 1946. Sister K. D. Johnson (5052) (at own request) retaining the rank of Matron. 7th Apr. 1946.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE. "G" BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Woman Chaplain.

Rev. Elsie Dorothea Chamberlain, B.D. (8528), as Flt. Off. (emergency) with the actg. (unpaid) rank of Sqn. Off. 27th Mar. 1946.

Commission relinquished.

Sec. Offs. (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining their rank:

9th Apr. 1946. M. PHILLIPS (5854). A. M. C. Russell-Murfitt (5757).

Commission resigned.
Sec. Off. W. Stokes (2706) retaining her rank.
28th Mar. 1946.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Transfer between branches.

The undermid. to the Tech. Br.:-

18th July 1945. Flt. Off. L. M. WILLIAMSON (1161).

her rank. 5th Apr. 1946.

Sec. Offs.:—
N. PROCTER (5677).
Y. E. STROUVELLE (6756).

Commission relinquished.

Sec. Off. H. T. Worrall (4669) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining

Commission resigned.

Sec. Off. C. House (2501) retaining the rank of Flt. Off. 29th Mar. 1946.

Sec. Offs., retaining their rank:—
E. T. Taylor (7157). 3rd Apr. 1946.
H. A. Shuter (2253). 9th Apr. 1946.

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