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**MINISTRY OF DEFENCE**

**ARMY DEPARTMENT**

18th February 1969.

The Rev. N. S. METCALFE, D.S.O., M.A. (101736), Chapln. to the Forces 1st Class, is appointed Honorary Chaplain to The QUEEN, 7th Jan. 1969.

Rev. W. A. WILLIAMS, B.A. (218710), Chapln. to the Forces 1st Class, is appointed Honorary Chaplain to The QUEEN, 7th Jan. 1969.

Brig. Horace Rollo Squarey PAIN, M.C., late R.A.C., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 13th Feb. 1969, in succession to Brig. William Charles Walker SLOAN, C.B.E., retired.

**COMMANDS AND STAFF**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj.-Gen. Sir John WILLOUGHBY, K.B.E., C.B. (58173), late Inf. is reinstated on the Active List, 20th Dec. 1968.

Brig. (Acting Maj.-Gen.) J. E. CORDINGLEY, O.B.E. (69007), late R.A. to be Maj.-Gen., 18th Nov. 1968.

Brig. W. C. W. SLOAN, C.B.E., A.D.C. (63554), late R.A.C. retires on retired pay, 13th Feb. 1969.

**HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY**

L.G.

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. N. PERCY-DAVIS (475642) from Active List to be Lt., 15th Feb. 1969.

**ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. P. J. R. WALLER, M.B.E. (288091), 9/12 L. retires on retired pay, 13th Feb. 1969.

Maj. J. M. MACKIE (440518) R.T.R. retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1969.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Charles James DICK (480103) 14/20 H University Candidate commn. is terminated, 31st Jan. 1969.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

14850034 W.O. I Roy Arthur HUNT (486940) R.T.R. to be Lt. (Director of Music), 9th Jan. 1969.

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*Class II*

Lt. C. M. EDWARDS (458145) 5 R.T.R. from T. & A.V.R. Category II to be Lt., 6th Jan. 1969.

**ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. G. A. HARFORD (437078) retires on retired pay, 14th Feb. 1969.

Lt.-Col. (Q.M.) W. L. BALE (425829) retires on retired pay, 17th Feb. 1969.

Maj. (Q.M.) W. K. RUTHERFORD (358846) to be Lt.-Col. (Q.M.), 17th Feb. 1969.

Capt. (Q.M.) D. M. CAMPBELL (473211) to be Capt. (Staff Q.M.), 14th Jan. 1969, retaining his present seniority.

*Special Reg. Commn.*

Lt. Ronald Martin SMITH (479432) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 31st Oct. 1968, with seniority 31st Jul. 1965. To be Lt., 31st Oct. 1968, with seniority 10th Jul. 1968.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

*Category II*

Lt. J. H. BARON (483012) from T. & A.V.R., Category III to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1968, with seniority 30th Oct. 1968.

Lt. I. M. BROWN (475630) resigns his commn., 10th Apr. 1968.

*Category III*

Maj. E. KEMP (435259) is granted the acting rank of Lt.-Col., 31st Dec. 1968.

2nd Lt. D. E. EDWARDS (482556) (on probation) commn. is terminated, 31st Dec. 1968.

**CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. R. D. SPARY (420923) retires on retired pay, 14th Feb. 1969.

2nd Lt. W. F. MAIR (485545) (Univ. Candidate) to be Lt., 27th Aug. 1968, with seniority 18th Aug. 1968.

The undermentioned Offrs. retire on retired pay on the dates shown:

Maj. (Q.M.) D. R. HASSELL, M.B.E. (210271), 13th Feb. 1969.

Maj. (Q.M.) L. H. G. STRIDE (279468), 17th Feb. 1969.

Maj. (G.E.) C. E. E. REID (466802), 17th Feb. 1969.

*Special Reg. Commn.*

John CRITCHLEY (486866) (University Candidate) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 8th Jan. 1969.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

*Category II*

Capt. G. W. MEIKLE (468837) from T. & A.V.R., Category III, 4/5/6 R.N.F. to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1969, with seniority 1st Jun. 1964.

Lt. M. S. JORDAN (478830) to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1969.

2nd Lt. A. L. GORDON (483396) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 24th Jan. 1967. To be Lt., 24th Jan. 1969.

Capt. (Q.M.) G. P. MCCARTHY (463220) resigns his commn., 31st Jan. 1969.

#### TERRITORIAL ARMY

Capt. J. K. BENNEY (367344) commn. is terminated, 1st Apr. 1967.

#### ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

##### REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. K. S. NEWELL (292152) retires on retired pay, 13th Feb. 1969.

Maj. S. G. de CLIVE-LOWE (420821) retires on retired pay, 13th Feb. 1969.

Capt. Dennis John CARNELL (479148) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 20th Jan. 1969.

Capt. P. M. STAMP (465838) retires with a gratuity, 20th Jan. 1969.

Lt. (T.O.T.) Antony Ramon TAYLOR (486271) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (T.O.T.), 4th Dec. 1968.

##### *Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. (on probation) Keith Graham DANBY (484615) from University Cadetship to be 2nd Lt., 28th Jun. 1968.

##### REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Lt. C. T. WILLIAMS (467739) relinquishes his commn., 3rd Dec. 1968. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 10th Dec. 1968.)

##### *Class II*

Lt. J. HUNTING (460235) from T. & A.V.R., Category II to be Lt., 31st Dec. 1968.

#### TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

##### *Category II*

Lt. W. O. LANGMAID (464312) to be Capt., 1st Nov. 1968.

Lt. R. B. ATKINSON (470662) to be Capt., 1st Nov. 1968.

2nd Lt. J. A. MCLINDEN (483136) (on probation) resigns his commn., 31st Dec. 1968.

##### *Category III*

Capt. R. B. COMER (450278) retires, 31st Dec. 1968, retaining the rank of Capt.

#### INFANTRY

##### SCOTTISH DIVISION

##### REGULAR ARMY

Lt. R. C. DICKSON (476498) R.S. resigns his commn., 8th Feb. 1969.

##### QUEEN'S DIVISION

##### REGULAR ARMY

Capt. P. A. HOLLAND (463355) R.R.F., resigns his commn., 17th Feb. 1969.

##### *Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. B. MORGAN (467958) R.R.F., relinquishes his commn., on completion of service, 7th Jan. 1969.

##### REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

##### *Class II*

Maj. R. F. JOHNSON (425209) 5 Queens from T. & A.V.R., Category II to be Maj., 31st Dec. 1968.

Maj. P. S. BROWNE (426309) 5 Queens from T. & A.V.R., Category II to be Maj., 31st Dec. 1968.

##### KING'S DIVISION

##### REGULAR ARMY

Maj. T. J. JOHNSON (430347) Green Howards retires on retired pay, 28th Jan. 1969.

Capt. D. E. NEVILLE-ROLFE (426963) Kings retires on retired pay, 6th Feb. 1969.

##### *Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. J. P. DONOVAN (483372) Loyals to be Capt., 7th Jan. 1969.

#### TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

##### *Category II*

2nd Lt. R. H. BICKER (485939) N.I.M., from T. & A.V.R., Category IV, Gen. List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Dec. 1968, with seniority 4th May 1968.

#### PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

##### REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. T. S. W. REEVE-TUCKER (87442) R. Hamps. is appointed to the Special List, 20th Dec. 1968.

Capt. T. E. JESSETT (463358) Foresters retires receiving a gratuity, 6th Feb. 1969.

Capt. (Q.M.) J. E. VENN, M.M. (474503), D.E.R.R., retires on retired pay, 30th Nov. 1968.

##### REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Lt. M. A. K. AUSTIN (480241) D. & D. from Active List to be Lt., Res. of Offrs., 7th Jan. 1969.

##### BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

##### REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.G.O.) DILBAHADUR RAI, M.M. (469612) 10 G.R., retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1969.

#### ROYAL MALTA ARTILLERY

##### REGULAR ARMY

Maj. L. P. MIFSUD (65096): the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 28th Jan. 1969 is cancelled.

#### ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT

##### REGULAR ARMY

##### *Short Serv. Commns.*

Rev. A. J. SMITH (486374) to be Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, 21st Jan. 1969.

Rev. J. D. S. COATES (486980) to be Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, 21st Jan. 1969.

#### ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

##### REGULAR ARMY

Maj. B. MURPHY (426959) retires on retired pay, 8th Feb. 1969.

Capt. (Q.M.) R. K. W. COOLEY (464564) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 14th Feb. 1969.

##### *Malayan Section*

##### *Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. A. MICHAEL (474871) relinquishes his commn., 16th Jan. 1969.

#### ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

##### REGULAR ARMY

##### *Non-medical Section*

Maj. (N.M.) C. L. LAVEN (444834) retires on retired pay, 14th Feb. 1969.

##### *Short Serv. Commn.*

Edwin MIFSUD, M.D. (483245) to be Capt., 16th Jan. 1969, with seniority 13th May 1966.

#### TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. (Acting Lt.-Col.) R. G. DRUMMOND, M.B., D.P.H. (188266) to be Lt.-Col., 1st Apr. 1967.

##### *Category II*

Capt. B. L. ARDILL, M.B. (475750) to be Maj., 5th Nov. 1968.

Capt. J. D. MORRISON, M.B., F.F.A.R.C.S. (486076) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 30th Jul. 1968.

Capt. J. L. PRICE, M.B. (453946) from Res. of Offrs., Class III, to be Capt., 16th Nov. 1968.

Wyndham WATSON, M.B., F.R.C.S. (487067), to be Capt. 10th Dec. 1968.

John Pentland ALEXANDER, M.B., M.R.C.P., F.F.A.R.C.S. (487068) to be Capt., 25th Nov. 1968.

#### ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

##### REGULAR ARMY

Maj. K. A. P. KIDD (377751) retires on retired pay, 12th Feb. 1969.

Lt. D. A. MOORE (472584) to be Capt., 21st Dec. 1968, with precedence in Corps next below O. P. BRADY (472491) R.A.O.C.

Maj. (A.E.O.) H. CHAMBERLAIN (371508) retires on retired pay, 15th Feb. 1969.

Lt. (Director of Music) Duncan Ritchie BEAT (486078) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (Director of Music), 19th Jan. 1969.

14853707 W.O.I. Eric Francis MANSFIELD (486413) to be Capt. (O.E.O.), 1st Jan. 1969.

##### *Special Reg. Commns.*

10596606 W.O.I. (Cdr.) Gerald Wallace BOOG-WHITESIDE (486803) to be 2nd Lt., 13th Jan. 1969, with seniority 13th Jan. 1965. To be Lt., 13th Jan. 1969, with seniority 13th Jan. 1967.

22448353 A/W.O.I. Frank Donald BISSINGTON, B.E.M. (486952) to be 2nd Lt., 13th Jan. 1969, with seniority 13th Jan. 1965. To be Lt., 13th Jan. 1969, with seniority 13th Jan. 1967.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Maj. E. H. DRAYCOTT (137202) relinquishes his commn. on completion of service, 14th Feb. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

*E.F.I. Section*

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

David BOWERS (486947) to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jan. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category II*

2nd Lt. W. E. RODGER (481209) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 6th Feb. 1966. To be Lt., 8th Sep. 1968.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. R. C. MILLER (263132) retires on retired pay, 15th Feb. 1969.

Maj. J. W. ADAMS (372968) retires on retired pay, 14th Feb. 1969.

Lt.-Col. F. D. G. NOEL-HUDSON D'EAGLESFIELD (63317): the surname is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement) dated 24th Dec. 1968.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

The undermentioned W.Os.I to be 2nd Lts., 8th Jan. 1969. To be Lts., 8th Jan. 1969:

14469083 Frank Edward WARD (486523).

14469831 Harvey Robert STRINGER (486554).

19054584 Erington George KEEN (486805).

19054345 Robert Arthur GIBBENS (486552).

19054289 Robert William Glover McMILLAN (486495).

22201312 Edward Francis WEBBER (486457).

22395609 George Ernest WHITTLESEA (486587).

2549390 Donald STIRTON (486487).

19054067 John Arthur RICHARDS (486486).

2549740 John Derek CHALK (486484).

22201503 William David CASELTON (486551).

The undermentioned W.Os.II to be 2nd Lts., 8th Jan. 1969. To be Lts., 8th Jan. 1969:

22201304 James Elias KERR, B.E.M. (486508).

14469897 Niven Sinclair BRADFORD (486496).

22309056 Dudley John Lancelot PRICE (486455).

22550087 Michael FENN (486485).

22274042 Ronald James Fredrick McNEILL (486553).

22771154 Michael Alfred HARVEY (486535).

21044324 Newbert Francis BIDWELL (486456).

*Non Tech. Admin. Section*

19186714 W.O.I George Ernest BENZ, B.E.M. (486557), to be 2nd Lt., 8th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 8th Jan. 1969.

22200235 W.O.I Bernard John BOWELL (486483) to be 2nd Lt., 8th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 8th Jan. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Col. S. J. CAUSLEY, D.S.O. (187466), retires on retired pay, 16th Feb. 1969.

Lt.-Col. M. H. CUTHBERT, M.B.E. (183666), retires on retired pay, 15th Feb. 1969.

Capt. (Asst. Pmr.) R. S. DERRICK, M.B.E. (468394), to be Maj. (Asst. Pmr.), 15th Feb. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

*Special Reg. Commns.*

Capt. Roy Leonard HURLEY (466722) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 3rd Oct. 1968, with seniority 2nd Aug. 1956. To be Lt., 3rd Oct. 1968, with seniority 2nd Aug. 1958. To be Capt., 3rd Oct. 1968, with seniority 2nd Aug. 1962.

Capt. C. CAMPBELL (458970) retires receiving a gratuity, 5th Feb. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. A. C. SODEN (271332) retires on retired pay, 14th Feb. 1969.

INTELLIGENCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

*Special Reg. Commn.*

Lt. J. H. TUCKER (483349) to be Capt., 15th Feb. 1969.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. J. SCOTT (483234) to be Lt., 9th Feb. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Lt. J. SCOTT (483234) from Active List, to be Lt., 15th Feb. 1969.

ARMY PHYSICAL TRAINING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. (M. at A.) Chester TRAINOR (483073) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (M. at A.), 20th Jan. 1969.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

19032326 W.O.I Harry Kenneth PICTOR (486907) to be 2nd Lt., 15th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 15th Jan. 1969.

ARMY CATERING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.M.) A. G. BRIDGELAND (462327) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 15th Feb. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category II*

Lt. G. A. ROBINSON (473823) to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1968.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Capt. M. C. REASON née BURGESS (475973) relinquishes her commn., 7th Jan. 1969.

Lt. S. A. HOGAN (479689) to be Capt., 17th Feb. 1969.

WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. S. W. WHITWORTH (342952) retires on retired pay, 13th Feb. 1969.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. C. MACKINNON (230624) relinquishes her commn. on completion of service, 15th Feb. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Class II*

Capt. P. A. TOZER (458153) from T. & A.V.R., Category II to be Capt., 31st Jul. 1968.

ROYAL MONMOUTHSHIRE ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA)

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category II*

Lt. (Acting Capt.) H. D. B. WILLIAMS (465702) to be Capt., 17th Feb. 1969, with seniority 25th Oct. 1965.

GENERAL LIST

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. C. W. WONTNER (454470) retires receiving a gratuity, 13th Feb. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

*Special Reg. Commn.*

23460576 W.O. II Maurice TUDOR (486894) to be 2nd Lt., 21st Nov. 1968, with seniority 21st Nov. 1964. To be Lt., 21st Nov. 1968, with seniority 21st Nov. 1966.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category IV*

24046665 O/Cdt. Philip George Frederick CLARK (486993) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 13th Dec. 1968.

ARMY EMERGENCY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. K. J. COLLINS, E.R.D. (277018) commn. is terminated, 1st Apr. 1967.

COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category IV*

SECTION B

*Berkhamsted School Contgt.*

Richard Miles BLOODWORTH (487011) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 1st Dec. 1968.

*Dauntsey's School Contgt.*

Frederick Arthur PORTER (487019) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Dec. 1968.

*Rossall School Contgt.*

Lt. G. CARPENTER (441477) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1968, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

*Solihull School Contgt.*

Richard BATSTONE (487010) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 13th Dec. 1968.

Ernest Roderick BOSANKO (487012) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 13th Dec. 1968.

*Uppingham School Contgt.*

Michael Neil GAVINS (487015) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Oct. 1968.

## ARMY CADET FORCE

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Category IV*

## SECTION B

*Antrim & City of Belfast*

Lt. W. L. A. ARNEILL (476764) resigns his commn., 1st Jan. 1969.

*Berkshire*

Albert William POOLE (487018) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 26th Nov. 1968.

*Cambridge, The Isle of Ely, & Huntingdon*

Dennis George Josiah JOYCE (487017) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 9th Nov. 1968.

*Glamorgan*

Lt. E. J. MOFFATT (452214) resigns his commn., 31st Oct. 1968.

*Glasgow, City of*

John FOSTER (487014) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 8th Oct. 1968.

*Greater London North West Sector*

2nd Lt. J. C. BENNETT (483382) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 11th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 11th Jan. 1969.

*Greater London South East Sector*

2nd Lt. R. S. MAJOR (486000) (on probation) resigns his commn., 1st Dec. 1968.

Cyril John GUEST (487016) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 28th May 1968.

*Sussex*

Douglas Ronald DYER (487013) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 6th Nov. 1968.

## AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

18th February 1969.

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

*Air Force Medal*

G3514378 Flight Sergeant Michael Macklin FITTON, Royal Air Force.

On 5th November 1968, a Whirlwind helicopter, flying over Malaysia, suffered engine failure. The pilot, and crew of two, crash-landed in dense primary jungle with trees over 100 ft. high. After the aircraft had plunged through the trees, the jungle canopy sprang back into position, making rescue operations very difficult, since the Search and Rescue Whirlwind winch cable is only 60 ft. long. Flight Sergeant Fitton, the winchman of the helicopter of No. 103 Squadron detailed to rescue the party, meticulously and succinctly briefed his crew and a medical officer on the requirements and sequences of a newly developed rescue system which can be used to recover survivors from a depth of 250 ft. This system is named "Multi-Tape-Lift" and the operating techniques are complex and prolonged. Great skill and nerve are required by the whole crew, but the major responsibility and its attendant hazards rest with the winchman. Flight Sergeant Fitton spent over an hour suspended 50 ft. below the aircraft, swinging among tree tops beneath the level of the jungle canopy and 50 ft. or more above the ground ;

one false move could have been fatal to all concerned. In all he completed the complicated rescue procedure five times ; first lowering the medical officer to the ground, then lifting out the pilot and crew and finally the medical officer, transferring each of them from the tapes to the winch, in mid-air. It was the first time that such a rescue had been attempted in the Far East and, due to Flight Sergeant Fitton's skill, cool calculated courage and outstanding determination, the very difficult and hazardous operation was completely successful. By his prompt action, he was directly responsible for the quick recovery of the three crew members, one of whom was injured and unable to move. Flight Sergeant Fitton's calmness and authoritative manner inspired the remainder of the rescue party. His leadership and direction were exemplary, and his flawless performance was consistent with the highest traditions of the Royal Air Force.

18th February 1969.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Vice-Marshal A. McK. S. STEEDMAN, C.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Assistant Chief of the Air Staff (Policy) in succession to Air Vice-Marshal L. D. MAVOR, C.B., A.F.C. 15th Feb. 1969.

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

12th Jan. 1969

D. C. RONAYNE (4231912).

G. C. SPRECKLEY (5200408).

H. C. J. WILLIAMS (4231880).

F. P. BRYANT (4231856). 9th Feb. 1969.

13th Feb. 1969

K. A. ABBERSTEIN (4042125).

J. D. PERIGO (4107492).

A. P. G. LONG (684797). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

P. HOULSTON (4233257). 16th Feb. 1969.

17th Feb. 1969

P. A. BLACKFORD (4233200).

H. A. COOK (4233219).

R. F. CORSTIN (4233296).

N. R. DANCE (4233278).

S. DAWSON (4233276).

I. EVANS (4233285).

S. M. FISHER (4233179).

R. B. FORD (4233283).

G. R. FOSTER (4233224).

P. A. GARDNER (4233295).

C. GIBBONS (4233294).

G. R. GIBBONS (4233225).

J. C. GROCCOTT (4233259).

J. A. GURNEY (4233277).

T. A. HEYES (4233302).

K. R. HOLMES (4233217).

G. E. JOHNSON (4233300).

N. R. H. MACDOUGALL (4233297).

D. F. H. MCSORLEY (4233299).

K. G. MANKTELOW (4233286).

M. A. MASHEDER (4233255).

N. MAY (4233292).

P. A. MAY (4233298).

K. M. NORMAN (4233222).

C. R. PARSONS (4233301).

G. PITICK (4233242).

D. M. ROSS (4233279).

A. W. SUMNER (4233289).

B. R. SYMONS (4233284).

R. A. WHIGHT (4233273).

J. W. WHITE (4233293).

18th Feb. 1969 (*seniority 18th May 1967*)

A. R. LAMB, B.Sc. (2619542).

D. M. NIVEN, B.Sc. (2614751).

R. A. COWPE, B.Sc. (2615891). 18th Feb 1969

(*seniority 9th Nov. 1967*).

18th Feb. 1969 (*seniority 18th Nov. 1967*)

J. S. GARNONS-WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (2619640).

T. E. PERCY, B.Sc. (5200776).

M. WATERHOUSE, B.Eng. (2615466).

W. F. M. WITHERS, LL.B. (2607689).

*Adjustment of Service*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. W. KEEPE (4231171) is adjusted to eight years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve from 25th Jul. 1961.

*Transfer to the Supplementary List Conditions of Service*

Flight Lieutenant A. E. HOWARD (4132046) is transferred to the Supplementary List retaining his existing rank and seniority. 23rd Dec. 1968.

*Transfer to General Duties (Ground) Branch (Supplementary List)*

Flight Lieutenant L. O. SMITH (4034684). 17th Feb. 1969.

Flying Officer B. MITCHELL (2439719). 8th Aug. 1968.

*Transfer to Reserve**Flight Lieutenants :*

6th Feb. 1969

H. A. HICKLING (5011446).

D. A. LINDSEY (4230019).

T. H. J. SCARFF (4230023).

*Retirement**Squadron Leaders :*

M. T. H. ADAMS, D.F.C. (42326). 20th Jan. 1969.

A. M. POLLARD (4048098). 1st Feb. 1969.

*Squadron Leaders (at own request) :*

R. C. CHAMBERS, A.F.C. (507014). 17th Jan. 1969.

E. AKERS, D.F.C. (123093). 18th Jan. 1969.

*Flight Lieutenants :*

G. THROWER (2432592). 19th Jan. 1969.

J. B. CUMMINS (4120479). 20th Jan. 1969.

13th Feb. 1969

A. W. LOCK (3510507).

A. W. J. ROBERTS (174466).

J. A. STREET (188903). 17th Feb. 1969.

Flying Officer A. W. S. SMITH (4232617) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Commission Relinquished**Pilot Officers :*

17th Feb. 1969

J. W. W. HARDING (4233433).

S. A. WELSH (2603198).

Acting Pilot Officer F. J. G. BAILLIE (4233497). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Commission Terminated*

Acting Pilot Officer P. F. COTTIER (5200753). 4th Feb. 1969.

## GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Flight Lieutenant (General List) :*

John George EAVES (3503386). 1st Oct. 1967.

*As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) :*

17th Feb. 1969

James William Watson HARDING (4233433).

Stuart Anthony WELSH (2603198).

*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)*

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

Frank James Gentles BAILLIE (4233497). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Regrading**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

M. K. GRIMES (4335905). 7th Dec. 1968.

14th Dec. 1968

R. A. BLOWER (8022523).

J. W. GILROY (8022513).

A. A. PERFECT (8022549).

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

S. D. WHEAL (2797577). 7th Dec. 1968.

*Commission Relinquished*

Pilot Officer J. M. BATE (2797469), W.R.A.F. 31st Jan. 1969.

## ENGINEER BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

13th Feb. 1969

J. H. CORNISH (579522).

D. E. DOWLING (576888).

K. T. FULFORD, B.E.M. (4004562).

G. A. GAVIN (4005991).

B. GEORGE (582504).

A. E. HAGE (4025446).

P. M. JONES (4029661).

J. C. MARSHALL (579672).

P. S. SHALLCROSS (582176).

J. A. RILEY (4000303). 14th Feb. 1969.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

P. C. FROST (689024). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Notifications Amended*

17th Jan. 1967 (p. 576, col. 2) concerning J. B. COATES (609387) and (p. 577, col. 1) concerning G. J. OUGHTON, B.Sc. (609354), *add* seniority 15th Apr. 1966.

*Retirement**Air Commodores : (at Own Request)*

C. R. C. HOWLETT. 14th Jan. 1969.

A. G. POWELL, M.I.E.E. 4th Feb. 1969.

*Squadron Leaders (at own request) :*

18th Jan. 1969

J. D. BURGESS, B.Sc. (180632).

J. L. FAREHAM, C.Eng., A.F.R.Ae.S. (583335).

*Flight Lieutenants :*

J. F. MIDGLEY (570373) (at own request). 11th Jan. 1969.

R. B. STEPHEN (58793). 14th Feb. 1969.

J. B. DOBBIE (56478). 16th Feb. 1969.

*Commission Terminated*

Flying Officer A. R. CHOWINGS (5200775). 19th Dec. 1968.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Flying Officer (General List) :*

Geoffrey Paul HASKELL (4251857). 1st Apr. 1968.

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

A. P. MOULL (2779172). 13th Feb. 1969.

*Retirement*

Flight Lieutenant A. BRUNTON (58345). 7th Jan. 1969.

*Reversion to Retired List*

*The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants revert to the Retired List from the dates stated :*

H. C. SPOONER (509082). 14th Feb. 1969.

W. E. C. JIMSON (146576). 16th Feb. 1969.

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH

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

23rd Jul. 1968 (p. 8113, col. 2) concerning M. L. ELVIN (4335843) *for* Acting Pilot Officer *read* Pilot Officer.

*Promotion**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer W.R.A.F. :*

M. M. PARRY (2797463). 28th Jan. 1969.

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

S. MacD. FARQUHARSON (8031433). 14th Dec. 1968.

*Transfer to Reserve*

Flying Officer C. M. SKINNER (2797287), W.R.A.F. 11th Feb. 1969.

*Retirement*

Wing Commander J. G. PEARSE (126525) (at own request). 18th Jan. 1969.

Squadron Leader S. H. WOODHOUSE (3129010). 4th Feb. 1969.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

J. B. W. GREGORY (3124785). 14th Feb. 1969.

## MEDICAL BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)*

*As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (Three years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*

Cecil Frederick TAYLOR, M.B., Ch.B. (5200883). 16th Dec. 1968.

*Promotion**Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :*

J. K. HOWELL, M.B., Ch.B., D.C.H., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (504704). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :*

W. R. FITZGERALD, M.B., B.Ch. (507483). 17th Feb. 1969.

*Extension of Service*

The period of service on the Active List of Squadron Leader F. K. AMROLIWALLA, B.Sc., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.I.H. (508187) has been extended to four years from 2nd May 1966.

## MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(Medical Section)

*Promotion**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

W. L. STOKER (4119519). 12th Feb. 1969.

*Retirement*

Squadron Leader F. E. A. BLACKMAN (517268) (at own request). 15th Jan. 1969.

## DENTAL BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)*

*As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) (Five years on the Active List subsequent to becoming qualified as Dental Surgeons, and three years on the Reserve) :*

5th Jan. 1969

John Stephen COWLING (5200905).

Stuart James MAWSON (5200895).

William Philip SAUNDERS (5200897).

David Gordon WATKINS (5200894).

Bruce Anderson WRIGHT (5200896).

*Promotion**Pilot Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

15th Jan. 1969 (Seniority 24th Jul. 1968)

K. A. EATON, B.D.S. (508326).

M. G. PEARCE, B.D.S., L.D.S.R.C.S. (507303).

## CHAPLAINS BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)*

*As Chaplain (four years on the Active List) with the relative rank of Flight Lieutenant :*

Rev. Francis Patrick CULLEY (5200826). 16th Dec. 1968.

## EDUCATION BRANCH

*Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :*

M. TELFORD (583534). 5th Oct. 1968.

*Retirement*

Group Captain E. J. HARRINGTON, O.B.E., B.Sc., A.R.C.S., D.I.C. (at own request). 1st Feb. 1969.

## PROVOST BRANCH

*The undermentioned to be Assistants to the Provost Marshal from 27th Jan. 1969 :*

*Flight Lieutenants :*

M. J. B. HALEY (2620332).

C. B. LANE (507150).

D. J. NOYCE (507446).

*Flying Officers :*

D. J. BLAKE (4273927).

B. J. HUGHES (4335467).

J. ROSE (4335680).

S. J. MITCHELL (4335639).

K. ROBINSON (4335130).

B. M. RANSLEY (4055321).

## PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

G. SANDERSON (2527307). 14th Feb. 1969.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE  
NURSING SERVICE*Extension of Service*

The period of service of Flight Officer K. J. HOPKINS, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408232), is extended to five years from 7th Feb. 1966.

*Commission Relinquished*

Flight Officer C. B. HARRISON, S.R.N. (408169), retaining her rank. 8th Feb. 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE  
RESERVE OF OFFICERS  
GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH*Commission Relinquished**Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank :*

13th Feb. 1969

K. C. DIVERS (2505689).

C. L. MORRIS (2519167).

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH

*Commission Relinquished*

Flying Officer B. A. NORRIS (2834724), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 16th Feb. 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE  
VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Extension of Service*

*The period of service of the undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers is extended by one year from the dates stated :*

J. DOXEY (2615480). 22nd Dec. 1968.

T. R. L. DEAN (2607694). 25th Jan. 1969.

The period of service of Acting Pilot Officer C. P. A. HARRIS (2611648) is extended up to and including 15th Jul. 1969.

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

B. W. CAMPBELL-MACMILLAN-COLLINS (2682607). 24th Jan. 1969.

*Extension of Service*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant A. S. HOAD (186355) is extended by two years from 27th Jan. 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE  
VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(TRAINING BRANCH)

*Appointment to Commission**As Flying Officer (four years) :*

Cecil Hugh Lawrence DIGBY (208314). 6th Aug. 1968.

*Extension of Service*

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

R. J. CRAIK (3032929). 2nd Feb. 1969.

J. FOWLER (3152670). 3rd Feb. 1969.

E. K. BACON (2437903). 4th Feb. 1969.

J. W. BARLING, D.S.O., D.F.C. (122396). 6th Feb. 1969.

R. J. C. DIAMOND (187276). 8th Feb. 1969.

H. N. THOMPSON (1164666). 14th Feb. 1969.

16th Feb. 1969

K. J. AINSLIE (2720973).

A. R. BUNCE (204838).

18th Feb. 1969

D. R. BRICKNELL (207557).

D. J. CARR (207559).

E. B. DUCKETT (1832853).

*Commission Relinquished**Flying Officers :*

K. V. BOOTHROYD, B.Sc. (150459). 29th Dec. 1968.

A. T. LIFFEN (207448). 4th Jan. 1969.

D. C. EDWARDS, B.A. (4091489). 12th Jan. 1969.

*Commission Resigned**Flying Officers :*

A. D. RANDLE (2383519). 10th Oct. 1968.

A. V. YOUNGS (207838). 2nd Nov. 1968.

J. A. RAYMENT (4230968). 9th Nov. 1968.

Flying Officer J. A. SHIELDS (987154), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 31st Dec. 1968.

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