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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

Q.A.R.N.N.S.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure, Miss C. THOMPSON, Mattron-in-Chief, Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service, has been appointed an Honorary Nursing Sister to The Queen from 21st February 1970 in succession to Miss M. S. Fetherston-Dilke, C.B.E., R.R.C.

ROYAL NAVY

Rear Admiral F. D. HOLFORD, C.B., D.S.C., to be placed on Retired List. 2nd Mar. 1970.
Capt. G. W. D. Spriggs, C.B.E., to be placed on Retired List. 28th Feb. 1970.

Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

A. W. Gossage. 19th Feb. 1970. R. M. Crosley, D.S.C. and Bar. 1970. 24th Feb.

Cdr. S. N. Haigh, to be placed on Retired List (own request). 1st Mar. 1970.
Lt.-Cdr. L. Lamb, M.B.E., D.S.M., placed on Retired List. 19th Feb. 1970.
Lt.-Cdr. J. N. Green, placed on Retired List (own request). 21st Feb., 1970.

Lt.-Cdrs. (SD) to be placed on Retired List on dates stated:

H. ATKINSON, F. C. G. VESTY. 27th Feb. 1970. G. D. CARTER. 3rd Mar. 1970. H. W. BARRETT. 7th Mar. 1970.

Lt.-Cdr. (SL) K. S. Brown, to be placed on Retired List. 28th Feb. 1970.
Engr. Lt.-Cdr. J. W. PENNYFATHER, to be placed on Retired List. 1st Mar. 1970.
Instr. Lt.-Cdr. D. H. BACON, B.Sc.(Eng.), M.I.Mech.E., placed on Retired List (own request). 31st Jan. 1970.
Suggm. Lt.-Cdr. L. I. Nygygy S. M.B. C. D. L. Syggm. Lt. Cdr. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. D. L. Syggm. Lt. Cdr. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. D. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. D. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. D. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. R. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. R. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. R. L. L. Nygygy S. M.B. C. L. R. L. R.

31st Jan. 1970.

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. J. J. Nicholas, M.B., Ch.B., to be placed on Emergy List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 14th Mar. 1970.

Lt. J. R. H. Ashworth, placed on Retired List (own request). 21st Feb. 1970.

Lt. H. R. Morrison—Amend entry to read: placed on Emergy List. 1st Dec. 1969. (Amendment to London Gazette dated 1st July 1969.)

Lts. promoted Lt.-Cdrs. with seny stated:

T. R. WORTH, J. R. BOARD, J. G. G. HUNTER. 1st Jan. 1970.

J. Skelton. 16th Jan. 1970.

C. W. Smith, K. A. Blackman. 1st Feb. 1970.

Lts. to be promoted Lt.-Cdrs. with seny. 1st Mar. 1970:

J. ASTBURY, M.A., M.I.E.E., C. TABEART, B.A., J. H. S. YORKE, I. C. MACCABE, R. S. FORSYTH, M. H. RHODES, P. L. HICKS, D. M. CARR, J. P. S. WHITFIELD, M. ANDERSON, C. K. D. COBLEY, J. A. FINNIGAN, W. B. THRUSH, G.I.Mech.E., G.I.E.E., M. A. WHITLEY, T. F. N. DONALD, J. D. L. BACKUS, J. A. GOWEN.

Lt. (SD) G. Chew placed on Retired List (own request). 21st Feb. 1970.
Lts. (S.D.) to be placed on Retired List:
P. J. WILSON. Amend date to read: 4th Feb. 1970 (Amendment to London Gazette dated 27th Jan. 1970).

G. W. Low, Ship't Artificer 1 (C.A.) promoted Actg. Lt. (C.S.) with seny. 1st Feb. 1970.

Lts. (S.L.) placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commissions for period of 4 years. 23rd Feb. 1970. D. L. CLEM, C. J. CHITTY.

Grant of 5 year Short Service Commissions to the following Instr. Lts. on 10th Nov. 1969 with seny. stated, confirmed on completion of training. 10th Feb. 1970:

P. LITTLE, M.Sc. 10th Nov. 1965.
A. W. PEARCE, M.Eng. 10th Nov. 1967.
J. WHITELEY. 10th Nov. 1968.

Actg. Sub Lts. (S.D.) confirmed Sub Lts. (S.D.)
16th Feb. 1970, with seny. stated:
B. Reed. 7th Jan. 1968.
I. J. Rees. 10th Nov. 1968.
D. A. T. Constable. 1st May 1969.
I. M. Moore. 18th July 1969.

oup Lts. (S.L.) promoted Lts. (S.L.) on dates and with seny. stated:

R. I. MONEY. 18th Dec. 1969 (18th Dec. 1969). J. T. C. WISEMAN. 1st Feb. 1970 (1st Feb.

1970).
P. W. Hails. 16th Feb. 1970 (16th Feb. 1970). Sub Lt. (S.L.) M. G. F. MORTON to be promoted Lt. (S.L.). 1st Mar. 1970 with seny. 1st Mar. 1970.

Actg. Sub Lt. (S.L.) G. A. Bedford to be confirmed Sub Lt. (S.L.). 7th Mar. 1970 with seny. 7th Jun. 1968.

Actg. Sub Lts. (S.L.) to be confirmed Sub Lts. (S.L.) on dates and with seny. stated:
J. A. ELLERBECK, K. G. SMITH. 7th Mar. 1970

(7th Jun. 1968).

J. ECKFORD. 10th Mar. 1970 (10th Jun. 1968).

J. W. BATES. 12th Mar. 1970 (2nd Mar. 1968).

Actg. Engr. Sub Lt. (S.D.) C. K. L. CHAPMAN, confirmed Engr. Sub Lt. (S.D.). 16th Feb. 1970, with seny. 10th Nov. 1968.

Supply Sub Lt. (S.D.) D. Mosley, to be placed on Retired List (own request). 28th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL MARINES

Capts. to be placed on Retired List (own request). 28th Feb. 1970:

R. P. H. Brown. P. J. F. McIntosh. A. R. Murray.

Lt. R. Linn, to be placed on Retired List (own request). 28th Feb. 1970.

Lt. J. D. A. MILNE-HOME, promoted Capt. 15th Feb. 1970.

Lt. G. D. B. KEELAN, promoted Local Capt. 2nd Jan. 1970.

ctg. Lt. B. P. J. CHAPMAN, placed on Retired List. 23rd Feb. 1970. Actg. Lt. B. P.

Actg. Lt. G. E. Hartridge, commission terminated. 14th Jan. 1970.

2nd Lt. C. M. St. G. Kirke, withdrawn from training (own request). 1st Jan. 1970.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Cdr. F. W. BARING placed on Retired List. 17th Feb. 1970.

Lt.-Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated: RUSHWORTH-LUND, D.S.C., V.R.D. 6th A. J. 1 Jan. 1970.

J. C. POPE, R.D. 28th Jan. 1970.

Lt.-Cdrs. placed on Retired List (own request) on dates stated:

J. M. CAUNT, R.D. 14th Jan. 1970. F. E. TYRELL, D.S.C., V.R.D. 17th Jan. 1970. Lts. promoted Lt.-Cdrs. on dates and with seny.

J. G. M. DAWSON. 8th Aug. 1969 (12th Jul.

J. G. M. DAWSON. 8th Aug. 1969 (12th Jul. 1968).

J. C. RITCHIE. 4th Oct. 1969 (4th Oct. 1969).

B. H. RAPER. 17th Oct. 1969 (17th Oct. 1969).

K. BOYCE. 24th Nov. 1969 (3rd Oct. 1969).

R. N. DENBY. 2nd Jan. 1970 (2nd Jan. 1970).

A. C. CRONIN. 7th Jan. 1970 (7th Jan. 1970).

J. AGER. 19th Jan. 1970 (19th Jan. 1970).

N. D. BRITTEN. 5th Feb. 1970 (7th Feb. 1970).

H. M. WHITE. 7th Feb. 1970 (7th Feb. 1970).

J. M. HOBBS. 8th Feb. 1970 (8th Feb. 1970).

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

P. R. DAVIES. 22nd Jul. 1969 (13th Mar. 1967). J. W. S. CLARK. 5th Dec. 1969 (29th Nov. 1969).

Proby. Actg. Lt. P. J. WEBB apptd. Lt. 11th Sep. 1969, with seny. 11th Sep. 1968.

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

R. A. BENNETT. 23rd Oct. 1969 (25th May

L. MILNE. 26th Jan. 1970 (9th Sep. 1967).

Actg. Surgn. Lt. W. L. MACINDOB, promoted Surgn. Lt. 25th Nov. 1968, with seny. 25th Nov. 1962 and promoted Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. 26th Jan. 1970, with seny. 25th Nov. 1967.

Proby. Surgn. Lt. G. N. COAD, apptd. Surgn. Lt. 16th Jul. 1969 with seny. 16th Jul. 1968.

Actg. Surgn. Lt. (D.) C. J. Cummins, promoted Surgn. Lt. (D.). 24th Sep. 1969, with seny. 30th May 1969.

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

M. B. CRUMP. 1st May 1969 (1st May 1969).
M. BEAVINGTON. 6th Jun. 1969 (6th Jun. 1969).
C. R. LEE. 20th Jun. 1969 (20th Jun. 1969).
C. A. DRYDEN. 1st Dec. 1969 (15th Sep. 1969).

Actg. Sub Lts. confirmed Sub Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:
D. F. SPENDLOVE. 25th Oct. 1969 (25th Oct.

1968).
W. F. HUNTER. 1st Dec. 1969 (1st Dec. 1968).
J. N. CHALMERS. 17th Jan. 1970 (17th Jan.

J. L. BALLANTINE, A. D. HARDY, J. A. TORRES. 22nd Jan. 1970 (22nd Jan. 1968).

Ty. Surgn. Sub Lt. (D.) I. P. N. McKrlvie, promoted Surgn. Sub. Lt. (D.) (6th Oct. 1969, with seny. 8th July 1969.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1. 24th February 1970.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:

To be an Additional Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order for Gallantry:

Lieutenant-Colonel John Patrick St. Cla Ballenden, M.C. (397804), The Light Infantry. Patrick St. Clair

Lieutenant-Colonel Ballenden's battalion was flown from England to Northern Ireland on 14th August 1969, the day that the rioting in Belfast was at its height; two battalions had been committed to the streets that afternoon. His first company arrived at Aldergrove at 7.30 p.m.; by 1 o'clock in the morning it was holding the rival factions apart at the scene of the hardest fighting. By 4 p.m. the following day he had mounted a successful battalion operation and he had mounted a successful partation operation and had control of an adjoining area of the city. For the next nine weeks, apart from one spell of eight days, when his battalion was supposed to be resting and in reserve and during which time he commanded two further battalion group operations with outstanding success, his soldiers were continuously on the streets and in action.

On the night of 11th October 1969 rioting broke out in the Shankill district and Lieutenant-Colonel Ballenden moved quickly with elements of his own battalion to hold the mob and to support the Royal Ulster Constabulary. Eventually the police were overwhelmed and asked for help. At this stage the hard core element of the mob became viciously and uncontrollably heatile and in addition to the strains. uncontrollably hostile and in addition to throwing petrol bombs, paving stones, bottles, darts and ball bearings from catapults, started shooting at both soldiers and police. This went on for about two hours, during which Lieutenant-Colonel Ballenden was conspicuous among the front line of his soldiers

was conspicuous among the front line of his soldiers directing and encouraging them and showing utter disregard for his own safety.

During the course of the following six hours, Lieutenant-Colonel Ballenden's force was built up by companies from other battalions. Several hundred rounds were fired at the Security Forces and a prolonged battle was fought to move the rioters back about half a mile from the particularly sensitive area which they threatened. Two officers and twenty soldiers were wounded as were two policemen: one soldiers were wounded as were two policemen; one

policeman was shot dead.

Throughout the whole of this action and the fol-Throughout the whole of this action and the following day Lieutenant-Colonel Ballenden was never out of the front line. By his calm and resolute control of the operation, by his personal example of bravery, endurance and cheerfulness he inspired not only the soldiers but also the officers and constables of the Royal Ulster Constabulary who were by now acting under his instructions. It was a magnificently sustained effort of leadership and magnificently sustained effort of leadership and courage in an extremely dangerous situation, far in excess of the normal call of duty. Its impact on the morale of soldiers and police has been immense.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1. 24th February 1970.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the George Medal to the undermentioned:

24093584 Private Shawn James, The Light Infantry.

On the night 11th/12th October 1969, rioting broke out in the Shankill district of Belfast. Elements of the Third Battalion The Light Infantry were moved

quickly to hold a mob of some 1,500-2,000 persons and to support the Royal Ulster Constabulary. Shortly after they arrived, the police asked for help. For the next few hours the hard core element of the mob became vicious and hostile. They used automatic weapons against the soldiers and the police as well as weapons against the soldiers and the police as well as throwing petrol bombs, paving stones, bottles, darts and ball bearings from catapults. Private James was detailed as one of three marksmen for the difficult and dangerous task of identifying persons shooting or throwing petrol bombs at the soldiers and police and neutralising the hostile fire under specific instructions. For a period of over four hours he remained constantly exposed to fire in an open and largely unprotected position, during which time the butt of his rifle was shot away. In spite of this he calmly sought a replacement and continued this he calmly sought a replacement and continued

this he calmly sought a replacement and continued with his duties.

The performance of this young soldier was exemplary and in keeping with the highest traditions both of his Regiment and of the British Army. Throughout the whole of the action Private James showed outstanding courage and steadiness. His actions prevented the snipers from causing more casualties to his comrades, the police and the civil population. His conduct was far in excess of the normal call of duty and was an example to all who saw him.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.

24th February 1970.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal for Gallantry (Military Division) to the undermentioned:

23734933 Sergeant William John Power, The Light Infantry

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Sergeant Power was the non-commissioned officer in charge of a squad of men known as the baton squad. These men were unarmed except for short stout batons. Their primary task was to effect arrests of ringleaders of the rioting mob. The task was difficult and highly dangerous as the Shankill road was under continuous small arms fire from all sides. The squad was used to charge the leading elements of the mob after CS smoke had been used and to extricate the ringleaders.

Between about 2330 hours 11th October 1969 and

0430 hours 12th October 1969, Sergeant Power personally organised and led some fifteen charges at the rioting mob in the face of heavy fire. Frequently their charges took them within 15 yards of gunmen. Several members of the baton squad

or gurmen. Several members of the baton squad were wounded.

Sergeant Power, by his calm and resolute control of the baton squad, by his personal example of bravery and endurance inspired all the men under his command. His action led to the arrest of many

ringleaders.

24th February 1970.

Brig. Anthony Douglas Brindley, M.B.E., late R. Signals, is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The Queen, 15th Oct. 1969, in an existing vacancy. Brig. Lionel Harry Edwards, M.B.E., late R.A., is appointed, Aide-de-Camp to The Queen, 18th Feb. 1970, in succession to Brig. Horace Arthur Hardy, M.B.E., M.C., retired.

Col. Sydney James Gittings, M.B.E., L.D.S., late R.A.D.C., relinquishes the appointment as Honorary Dental Surgeon to The Queen, 30th Oct. 1969, retired.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY
Maj.-Gen. D. A. H. Toler, O.B.E., M.C.
(165027) late Ft. Gds. relinquishes his appointment
as Deputy Commander Army in Northern Ireland,
18th Feb. 1970.

Maj.-Gen. T. H. ACTON, C.B.E. (71213) late Inf., is appointed Deputy Commander Army in Northern Ireland, 18th Feb. 1970.

Maj.-Gen. R. E. COAKER, C.B.E., M.C. (378164) late R.A.C., relinquishes his appointment as Assistant Chief of Staff (Int.), Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe, 19th Feb. 1970.

Brig. N. St. G. Gribbon, O.B.E. (71097) late Inf., is appointed Assistant Chief of Staff (Int.), Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe, and is granted the acting rank of Maj.-Gen., 19th Feb. 1970.

Brig. H. A. HARDY, M.B.E., M.C. (199702) late R.A., retires on retired pay, 18th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. E. H. SCHOFIELD (285417) R.T.R., retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1970.

Lt. F. M. STRANG STEEL (471629) 17/21 L., to be Capt., 22nd Feb. 1970.

Special Reg. Commn.

Capt. Marcus Edward Colston Coombs (471614) 3 D.G., from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1969, with seniority 15th Jul. 1963. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1969, with seniority 28th Jul. 1965. To be Capt., 1st Nov. 1969, with seniority 15th Jul. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS
Maj. (Q.M.) A. McLeod, M.B.E., M.M. (418859) R.T.R., ceases to belong to Res. of Offrs., 31st Dec. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Lt. P. M. G. STOPFORD ADAMS (475243) 4/7 D.G., from Res. of Offrs., Class I, to be Lt., 17th Oct. 1969, with seniority 20th Jun. 1965.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. L. L. S. WILLIAMS (125964) retires on retired pay, 20th Feb. 1970.

Capt. George Harold Napier (474564) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 29th Dec. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Maj. F. A. RIGBY, T.D. (425309) from T. & A.V.R., Category III, to be Maj., 1st Apr. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. A. C. Cole (268987) from Res. of Offrs., Class II, to be Maj., 1st Jan. 1970, with seniority 29th Apr. 1964.

2nd Lt. J. D. TAFFS (485092) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 11th Sep. 1967. To be Lt., 11th Sep. 1969.

Category III

2nd Lt. H. D. N. Reid (485935) (on probation) resigns his commns., 1st Apr. 1969.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. D. J. Suter (165381) is appointed to the Special List, 18th Feb. 1970.

Capt. J. Berkley-Matthews (467531) retires receiving a gratuity, 6th Feb. 1970.

Special Reg. Commns.

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Lt. Terry Herbert Hewes (485445) from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 28th Oct. 1969, with seniority 12th Apr. 1964. To be Lt., 28th Oct. 1969, with seniority 12th Apr. 1967.

2nd Lt. Peter Brian Page (483540) from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 23rd Jun. 1969, with seniority 15th Apr. 1967.

23035534 W.O. I Thomas Docherty Hawkins (488229) to be 2nd Lt., 23rd Jan. 1970, with seniority 23rd Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 23rd Jan. 1970, with seniority 23rd Jan. 1968.

Short Serv. Commn.

Postal and Courier Section

Capt. K. J. SMITH (478353) relinquishes his commn., 22nd Feb. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.
2nd Lt. J. B. Fenton (483795) from Active List to be 2nd Lt., 19th Feb. 1970.

Lt. A. T. Black (472915) from T. & A.V.R., to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. B. N. HARVEY (440757) to be Lt.-Col., 13th Nov. 1969.

Lt. S. Holt (477031) is granted the acting rank of Capt., 2nd Feb. 1970.

24046635 O/Cdt. Gordon Morton THOMSON (488626) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 15th Oct. 1969, with seniority 15th Oct. 1967.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. (Q.M.) W. F. G. Hoskings, M.B.E. (360241), retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1970.

Maj. (Staff Q.M.) C. W. Hallett (451620) to be Lt.-Col. (Staff Q.M.), 19th Feb. 1970.

Short Serv. Commn. Lt. W. G. LIDSTER, B.E.M. (484258), to be Capt., 22nd Feb. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Capt. A. WRIGHT, T.D. (43371 A.V.R., to be Capt., 31st Jan. 1970. T.D. (433718), from T. &

Lt. F. R. SANGER (477484) from T. & A.V.R., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. K. G. PRICE, T.D. (438447), from Res. of Offrs., Class III, R.A. to be Capt., 12th Jan. 1970, with seniority 1st Mar. 1968.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. H. D. STEWART (433246) W.G. retires on retired pay, 21st Feb. 1970.

Lt. Richard Eric Fletcher (485264) W.G. from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 4th Aug. 1969, with an antedate for seniority purposes only to 1st Apr. 1969, and with precedence in Infantry next below D. T. Hornblower (481223) R.G.J. (The notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 6th Jan. 1970, is cancelled.)

Christopher Francis DREWRY (488760) W.G. (University Candidate) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 15th Dec. 1969.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. (Acting Maj.) R. J. AITKEN (465654) 51 Highland at his own request reverts to the rank of Capt., 28th Mar. 1969, with seniority 4th Jul. 1964.

Capt. J. M. G. Grant (454304) 51 Highland is granted the acting rank of Maj., 1st Apr. 1969.

OUEEN'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. R. D. SECRETAN, O.B.E., M.C. (64601), R.R.F. retires on retired pay, 14th Nov. 1969. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement)

dated 11th Nov. 1969.)
Lt. C. S. Taylor (482848) R. Anglian resigns his commn., 21st Feb. 1970.

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. R. V. WHITAKER (481177) R.R.F. relinquishes his commn., 24th Feb. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. H. F. RAWKINS (176058) R. Anglian ceases
to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 7th Dec. 1969.

Short Serv. Commn.
2nd Lt. N. P. R. TROUP (483832) Queens from Active List to be 2nd Lt., Res. of Offrs., 12th Jan. 1970.

Capt. P. H. SYMINGTON, T.D. (428551), from T. & A.V.R., Category III, Northamptons to be Capt., 1st Apr. 1969.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE
Maj.-Gen. Basil Perronet Hughes, C.B., C.B.E.,
relinquishes the appointment of Honorary Colonel,
10th Battalion The Queen's Regiment (Middlesex),
T. & A.V.R., 31st Jan. 1970, tenure expired.

KING'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commn. Lt. M. E. B. White (482552) R. Irish resigns his commn., 22nd Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE 2nd Lt. R. H. M. STEWART (481474) Lancastrian (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 30th Nov. 1968, with seniority 21st Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 21st Feb. 1970.

Category III
Capt. T. P. Green (452837) 5 Inniskillings, resigns his commn., 1st Apr. 1969.

PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. A. J. de Lukacs Lessner de Szeged (470861) R.R.W., to be Capt., 23rd Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE 2nd Lt. L. A. CHELL (484748) Mercian (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Oct. 1967. To be Lt., 18th Oct. 1969.

PARACHUTE REGIMENT

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.
2nd Lt. M. Q. A. WHITFORD (483838) from Active List to be 2nd Lt., Res. of Offrs., 12th Jan. 1970.

BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. (Q.G.O.) AMARBAHADUR GURUNG (426738) 6 G.R., is granted hon. rank of Lt. (G.C.O.), 16th Jul. 1969.

Capt. (Q.G.O.) BHAKTABAHADUR LIMBU, D.C.M. (447217) 10 G.R., to be Maj. (Q.G.O.), 16th Dec. ì969.

Capt. (Q.G.O.) BOMBAHADUR GURUNG, M.M. (456414) 6 G.R., to be Maj. (Q.G.O.), 30th Dec. Ì969.

The undermentioned Lts. (Q.G.O.) to be Capts. (Q.G.O.) on the dates shown

JUDHABAHADUR SUNWAR (483741) 10 G.R., 26th

Oct. 1969. Chandrabahadur Rai (483742) 10 G.R., 27th Oct. 1969.

KULBAHADUR RAI (484515) 10 G.R., 15th Dec. 1969.

Bhagtasing Gurung (484324) 2 G.R., 17th Dec. 1969.

(Q.G.O.) KHARKABAHADUR LIMBU (480215) 10 G.R., retires on retired pay, 20th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Rev. C. N. H. WHITE, M.A. (422341) Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, to be Chapln. to the Forces, 3rd Class, 21st Feb. 1970.

Section B

Rev. John Raymond CAPPER (488927) to Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, 19th Jan. 1970.

ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Cyril PORT (480019) from Special Reg. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 17th Nov. 1969.
Capt. Anthony John FRY (477452) from Special Reg. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 25th Dec. 1969.

Lt. J. L. Wilson (474865) to be Capt., 24th Feb.

Lt. Thomas Horace Edward TURNER (485041) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 10th Nov. 1969. (The notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 20th Jan. 1970 is cancelled).

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. J. O. ATKINSON (485312) to be Capt., 19th Feb. 1970.

Territorial and Army Volunteer Reserve 2nd Lt. T. A. K. Drummond (484723) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 29th Sep. 1967. To be Lt., 2nd Nov. 1969.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. I. M. Joiner, M.B. (451936) to be Lt.-Col., 5th Feb. 1970.

Short Serv. Commns.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. (on probation) Peter Anthony Ashby, M.B. (484098) from Pre-Registration Commn., is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th May 1967. To be Lt., 18th Nov. 1968. To be Capt., 15th Jan. 1970.

Lt. (on probation) Alan Christopher Walter MATHESON, M.B. (484492) from Pre-Registration Commn., is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 9th Aug. 1967. To be Lt., 6th Dec. 1968. To be Capt., 19th Jan. 1970.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation) Medical Cadetship, 29th Dec. 1969:

John CARROLL (488837). Gordon Dickson McEwan (488838). John Roderick Hedges (488839).

Non-Medical Section
Lt. (N.M.) D. D. CHAPMAN (480017) to be Capt. (N.M.) (Technical Offr.), 23rd Feb. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS
Maj. J. A. STANTON, T.D., M.B. (412982) from
T. & A.V.R., to be Maj., 12th Jan. 1970.
Capt. R. L. CLARK, M.B. (466506) ceases to
belong to the Res. of Offrs., 9th Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE
The undermentioned to be Capts. on the dates shown:

Brendan Vincent PELL, M.B., F.F.A.R.C.S. (488935), 14th Jan. 1970.

James Alexander Johnston Ferris, M.D. (488936), 14th Jan. 1970.

Gerald Audley BATSON, M.D., M.R.C.P

Gerald Audley Batson, M.D. (488937), 14th Jan. 1970.
Thomas CRISP, M.C., M.R.C.S D.M.R.D. (164849), 15th Jan. 1970.

M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P,

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. G. A. Pugh (336866) (Special List) retires on retired pay, 21st Feb. 1970.

Special Reg. Commus.

22951830 W.O. I (S.S.M.) Angus Murdo Stewart (488580) to be 2nd Lt., 21st Jan. 1970, with seniority 21st Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 21st Jan. 1970, with seniority 21st Jan. 1968.

21126114 W.O. I William Norman Redstone (488332) to be 2nd Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1968.

19048861 W.O. I Frederick Charles Yearling (488585) to be 2nd Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1968.

22843220 W.O. II Terence Anthony Keane, B.E.M. (488609), to be 2nd Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 19th Jan. 1970, with seniority 19th Jan. 1968.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

E.F.I. Section

2nd Lt. B. E. LODGE (488842) from Res. of Offrs., Class I, to be 2nd Lt., 12th Jan. 1970.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. E. Dixon (482481) (University Cadetship) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Jun. 1969, with seniority 15th Dec. 1967. To be Lt., 23rd Jun 1969, with seniority 15th Jun.

CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE

REGULAR ARMY
2nd Lt. M. D. JEENS-WILLIAMS (485862) resigns his commn., 18th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Category II

Capt. and Pmr. L. H. Boylett (460348) from Res. of Offrs., Class II to be Capt. and Pmr. 1st Apr. 1968, with seniority 27th Aug. 1961. (Substituted for the notifn, in Gazette (Supplement) dated 14th May 1968.) A 2

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Harry Firth (449747) from Special Reg. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 12th Dec. 1969, with seniority 26th Mar. 1955. To be Lt., 12th Dec. 1969, with seniority 26th Mar. 1957. To be Capt., 12th Dec. 1969, with seniority 26th Mar. 1961. To be Maj., 12th Dec. 1969, with seniority 26th Mar. 1968.

Peter Michael SMITH (488353) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 6th Jan. 1970.

Short Serv. Commns.

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. W. Quin (487877) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 21st Jul. 1969, with seniority 21st Jan. 1967. To be Lt., 21st Jul. 1969, with seniority 21st Jan. 1969.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on proba-

tion), 6th Jan. 1970:
Richard Derek Boden (488653),
Malcolm Stembridge Hayward (488654) Richard Philip David Hutchinson (488655). Peter Albert Jones (488656). Lawrence Charles Edwards Major (488657).

ROYAL ARMY DENTAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commns.

Capt. D. A. PATON, B.D.S. (486348) to be Maj., 12th Sep. 1969.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commns.
Capt. J. R. E. STAGG, B.D.S. (469763) from Active List to be Capt., 25th Jan. 1970.

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.
22523749 W.O. II Colin Edward WOLSTENHOLME
(488722) to be 2nd Lt., 26th Jan. 1970. To be
Lt., 26th Jan. 1970.

INTELLIGENCE CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Capt. D. R. Gilbert, T.D. (439694) to be Maj., 1st Jan. 1970.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. J. P. Hollis (485266) to be Maj., 29th Jan. 1970.

Short Serv. Commns.

Short Serv. Commns.

Capt. M. Strange née Maddick (471506) relinquishes her commn., 19th Jan. 1970.

Lt. M. M. Slattery (484302) to be Capt., 23rd Feb. 1970.

Patricia Mary Cornish (488324) to be Lt., 5th Jan. 1970, with seniority 5th Nov. 1969.

Territorial and Army Volunteer Reserve Lt. J. Nurse (487971) resigns her commn., 1st Nov. 1969.

WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commns.
2nd Lt. S. C. CHARLTON DEWAR (486167) to be Lt., 21st Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Lt. J. E. McE. HARVEY, T.D. (428959), to be Capt., 4th Aug. 1969.
2nd Lt. J. H. GEDDES (485585) (on probation) is placed on the Unatt'd. List, 22nd Jul. 1969.

ROYAL MONMOUTHSHIRE ROYAL **ENGINEERS (MILITIA)**

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE Lt. D. C. Humphreys (474499) to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1969.

GENERAL LIST

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE 2nd Lt. P. J. R. STEDDON (482056) (on probation) (Unatt'd.) resigns his commn., 15th Jan. 1970.

COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Durham School Contgt.
Lt. T. D. STIRK (469360) resigns his commn., 31st Dec. 1969.

King's School (Bruton) Contgt. Lt. S. E. F. Moore (453249) resigns his commn., 15th Jan. 1970.

Kirkham Grammar School Contgt. Lt. C. W. Day (478551) resigns his commn., 31st Aug. 1968.

Merchant Taylors' School (Crosby) Contgt. 2nd Lt. J. Derbyshire (485951) (on probation) resigns his commn., 18th Dec. 1969.

St. Ignatius College Contgt.
Michael Keef (488923) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 20th Dec. 1969.

Uppingham School Contgt.
2nd Lt. M. N. GAVINS (487015) (on probation) resigns his commn., 31st Jul. 1969.

ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE SECTION B

Bedford

2nd Lt. W. F. GRIFFITHS (485484) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th Jan. 1968. To be

is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th Jan. 1906. To be Lt., 17th Jan. 1970.

2nd Lt. R. W. Cordery (485557) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th Jan. 1968. To be Lt., 17th Jan. 1970.

Cheshire
Lt. F. Hollingsworth (471730) retires, 30th Lt. F. Sep. 1969.

Derby
2nd Lt. I. J. Ports (485493) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 20th Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 20th Feb. 1970.

Henry Browning BAYLY (488918) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 19th Dec. 1969.

John Ellidge Duckworth (488921) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 19th Dec. 1969.

Durham

2nd Lt. I. DUNBAR (485498) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 17th Feb. 1970.

Maurice Cummings (488920) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

Gloucester

2nd Lt. N. C. H. MITCHELL (484301) (on probation) resigns his commn., 19th Jan. 1970.

Greater London N.W. Sector
Brian Micheal SLADE (488924) to be 2nd Lt.
(on probation), 27th Nov. 1969.

Hampshire and Isle of Wight
2nd Lt. W. D. Wellman (485487) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 31st Jan. 1968. To be Lt., 31st Jan. 1970.

Monmouth
The undermentioned Lts. resign their commns.
on the dates shown:

M. JONES (477235), 8th Dec. 1969. J. I. Burden (475921), 1st Jan. 1970. J. A. H. Taylor (468132), 6th Jan. 1970.

Norfolk

Lt. S. E. LIMMER (465175) resigns his commn., 31st Dec. 1969.

Northumberland
Lt. T. W. SWINHOE (284984) (formerly R.A.)
to be Lt., 13th Dec. 1969, with seniority, 14th Mar. 1967.

2nd Lt. N. WOOTTON (485488) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 19th Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 19th Feb. 1970.

2nd Lt. D. G. Bull (485595) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 21st Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 21st Feb. 1970, with seniority 23rd Aug. 1968.

Stafford Lt. M. T. WILLIAMS (481433) resigns his commn., 1st Oct. 1969.

Lt. R. Jones (472401) resigns his commn., 27th Oct. 1969.

2nd Lt. N. EDGAR (485073) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Nov. 1967. To be Lt., 8th Nov. 1969.

Warwick
Tom Arthurs (488925) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 3rd Dec. 1969.

Wilts

2nd Lt. J. C. CLEVERLEY (485034) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Oct. 1967. To be Lt., 18th Oct. 1969.

Worcester

2nd Lt. S. R. SOUTHALL (469317) (formerly A.C.F.) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 2nd Jul. 1969, with seniority 10th Dec. 1966.

York (East Riding)

Colin CAVERAY (488919) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

John Heaton (488922) to be 2nd Lt. (on pro-

bation), 12th Dec. 1969.

York (West Riding)
Lt. R. A. Hall (471156) resigns his commn., 31st
Jan. 1970.
2nd Lt. D. G. G. DICKINSON (486301) (on probation) resigns his commn., 5th Dec. 1969.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

24th February 1970.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Commodore R. G. WAKEFORD, M.V.O., O.B.E., A.F.C. is appointed Commander Northern Maritime Air Region with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal in succession to Air Vice-Marshal F. D. Hughes, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C., M.A. 23rd Feb. 1970.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

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

Master Engineer Annesley Edward Debroy JACOTINE (1921791). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 2nd

Appointment to Commission (Permanent) (D.E.C.(A)) As Flying Officers (Supplementary List):

Flight Sergeants

2nd Jan. 1970

William Brian James (680722) (Seniority 6th

Sep. 1963).
Anthony Sydney Alfred CLACK (3525184) (Seniority 23rd Oct. 1964).
Peter John Baker Elliott (685220) (Seniority 9th Aug. 1965).

As Acting Pilot Officers (Supplementary List):

Junior Technicians

2nd Jan. 1970 Michael David James King (1962021). Graham Anthony Miller (1962030).

Aircraftmen

2nd Jan. 1970

Nicholas Patrick Dominic Hadden (8025216).
Jeffrey Richard Munday (8025223).
Peter Scott (8025224).
Stewart Charles Christopher Thornbern

THORNBERRY (8025222).

Colin Charles TRUNDLE (8025219).

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officer (General List):

Gerald Edward McKeating (2624126) 15th Sep. 1969. (Substituted for notification 18th Nov. 1969).

Re-instatement on the Active List

Flight Lieutenant Clive Edward William OSBORNE (4082542) is re-instated on the Active List on a Permanent Commission (Supplementary List) 19th Jan. 1970 (Seniority 15th Jun. 1958).

As Acting Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: Reserve): I. A. RHODES (3511514). 5th Feb. 1970. 18th Feb. 1970 A. J. C. BAGNALL (608630). A. F. BAILEY (608645). J. T. BAKER (608629). N. W. BERRYMAN (608631). P. M. BLEE (608647). R. M. BONNEY-JAMES (608660). A. P. CHILDS (608648). T. ST. G. COLDICOTT (608667). C. M. EDWARDS (608659). J. FLOOD (608633). N. R. HOLDER (608678). C. A. HOOPER (608678). C. A. HOOPER (608678). T. I. JENNER (608669). P. A. KELLY (608671). J. LILLIS (608653). K. D. R. MANS (608652). J. C. MARSHALL (687828). A. MCKAY (608681). R. PILLEY (608641). A. ROBERTS (608635). R. F. SANDFORD (608636). N. Y. SMITH (6086651). Aircraftmen 18th Feb. 1970 2nd Jan. 1970. William George HAVERON (8022684). John Sidney PAGE (8022695). Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: 24th Feb. 1970. R. B. Brewer (4335855). T. W. Lewins (423397). J. A. Smith (4335866). R. W. Smith (4335850). Pilot Officer to Flying Officer W.R.A.F.: L. E. CHILD (2797548). 24th Feb. 1970. Extension of Service The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer V. Anderson (2797350) W.R.A.F, is extended until 8th Dec. 1971. Transfer between Branches Acting Pilot Officer S. A. R. Measures (8031519) W.R.A.F., is transferred to the Secretarial Branch on a Short Service Commission (Supplementary List) (Four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve). 1st Dec. 1969. A. ROBERTS (008515). R. F. SANDFORD (608636). M. V. SMITH (608665). A. G. SOLLITT (608666). M. J. STOKES (608669). P. F. TURLEY (608640). C. W. D. WATSON (608656). Acting Pilot Officer K. E. HARVEY (8031565) W.R.A.F., is transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 11th Jan. 1970. M. S. Ashley (4232223). 22nd Feb. 1970. S. J. Swanson (583376). 24th Feb. 1970. ENGINEER BRANCH Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: Promotion S. A. Hickey (4335700). 6th No. 23rd Feb. 1970. T. Beadle (4233515). A. I. B. Beedle (4233544). C. S. Berresford (4233576). A. H. C. Dyer-Perry (4233588). M. J. Eacopo (4233589). M. R. Gee (4233590). I. Hodgson (4233534). M. R. Lees (4233534). M. R. Lees (4233534). G. B. Lindsay (4233582). A. J. Lofthouse (4233581). F. R. O. Manning (4233540). A. M. Martin (4233592). M. J. McKenna (4233593). P. G. Mottershead (4233542). P. W. M. Price (4233537). M. W. Shaw (4233585). C. E. R. Slade (4233541). G. Taxlor (4233586). N. P. K. Tredray (4233512). C. G. Wren (4233587). ent of Acting Rank S. A. HICKEY (4335700). 6th Nov. 1969. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: W. H. N. WALES (628274). 24th Feb. 1970. Squadron Leader A. HARVEY, B.E.M. (53857) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force Service). 19th Feb. 1970. Flight Lieutenant J. W. Moles, B.E.M. (578370) (at own request). 17th Jan. 1970. ENGINEER (PHOTOGRAPHY) BRANCH Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: B. D. DAWKINS, B.Sc. (4335350). 24th Oct. 1969. EQUIPMENT BRANCH Appointment to Commission (Permanent) As Flying Officer (Supplementary List): Corporal John WELLS (1937826). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 15th Apr. 1967). As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (On Branch Officer Terms): Grant of Acting Rank Air Commodore R. G. WAKEFORD, M.V.O., O.B.E., A.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 23rd Feb. 1970. Sergeant Edwin Brian GRIMSHAW (2434467). 2nd Jan. 1970. Transfer to Reserve Appointment to Commission (Short Service) Flight Lieutenants: As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) (Six years on the Active List and four years on the J. M. HORNER (4231419). 16th Jan. 1970. D. R. OCTON (4178409). 18th Feb. 1970. Reserve): Aircraftman Malcolm Stuart CAIRD (8022692). 2nd Jan. 1970. Group Captain R. L. S. Coulson, C.B.E. (at own request). 18th Feb. 1970. Promotion Flight Lieutenant S. W. GRAVELL (4108282). 7th Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: Feb. 1970. A. J. Ponting (2736881). 18th Feb. 1970. B. A. Brocklebank (3045097). 24th Feb. 1970. Flight Lieutenant B. W. Brennan (584801) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force Service). Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: 19th Feb. 1970. M. S. OLIVER, B.Sc. (508270). 15th Jan. 1970. GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH 24th Feb. 1970 24th Feb. 197 J. C. Armstrong (4335825). K. P. Briggs (4233187). R. J. Clarke (4335826). P. P. V. Gaskin (4335838). D. P. Hedges (4233214). S. A. Hollands (4335793). G. Keyworth (4232865). L. F. Lee (4335840). G. Morton (1960513). I. A. Thomas (4335827). Appointment to Commission (Permanent) As Flying Officer (Supplementary List): Sergeant Robert John THOMPSON (5077969). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 13th Jun. 1967). Appointment to Commission (Short Service) As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

J. A. THOMAS (4335827).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer W.R.A.F.: D. L. BATES (2797521). 24th Feb. 1970.

Senior Aircraftman Stuart Harley LITTLE (4278357). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 20th Sep.

1969).

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:
M. S. OLIVER, B.Sc. (508270). 15th Jul. 1969.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List):

Peter John Aughton (4274825). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 30th Jul. 1968).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service):

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) W.R.A.F. (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Aircraftwoman Kathryn Tamasphene Elliott (8031585). 2nd Jan. 1970.

Transfer between Branches
Pilot Officer A. V. Schoffeld (2597530) is transferred to the Provost Branch (Supplementary List) in the rank of Flying Officer. 12th Nov. 1969 (Substituted for notification 18th Nov. 1969).

MEDICAL BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (Five years on the Active List and three years on the Reserve):

Paul Frederick Lund Holgate, M.B., Ch.B. (5201193). 29th Dec. 1969.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

S. G. E. McMinn, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (508350). 19th Jan. 1970.

Flying Officer Medical Officer): to Flight Lieutenant (Woman

J. M. Nevison, M.B., B.S. (8930). 20th Jan. 1970.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH (Medical Section)

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Pilot Officer:

Warrant Officer Gordon Ballby (3514462). 2nd Jan. 1970 (Seniority 5th Apr. 1968).

DENTAL BRANCH

Promotion

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:

J. P. Marchington, L.D.S. (505536). 18th Feb. 1970.

CHAPLAINS' BRANCH

Promotion

Rev. N. P. GRIFFIN, B.A. (5200924), is granted the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 24th Feb.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:

J. N. Gibson (1624939). 21st Feb. 1970.

Retirement

Squadron Leader R. S. L. Howe, M.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (503501). 18th Feb. 1970.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

Transfer to Short Service Commission

Flying Officer J. BEARDSMORB, D.Phys.Ed. (5200605) is transferred to a Short Service Commission (Supplementary List) (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) retaining his existing rank and seniority. 18th Jan. 1970.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flight Officer (Supplementary List) (Four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Margaret Shirley Browton, S.R.N. (19th Jan. 1970 (Seniority 27th Dec. 1966). S.R.N. (408083). As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (Two years on the Active List and six years on the Reserve):

Seeluchnie Singh, S.R.N. (408504). 29th Dec. 1969 (Seniority 7th Mar. 1968).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Officer:

M. A. McCrudden, S.R.N., R.M.N. (408322). 21st Feb. 1970.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant M. Perkins (4230260), retaining his rank. 5th Feb. 1970

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant G. M. Al. retaining his rank. 6th Feb. 1970. ALTERN (5200020),

MEDICAL BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant T. STEWART, M.B., Ch.B. (507466), retaining his rank. 3rd Feb. 1970.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission

As Acting Pilot Officer (Until 27th Nov. 1970).

Richard Nathan STILLWELL (2616600). 18th Jul.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Appointment to Commission

As Acting Pilot Officer (Until 24th Jan. 1971):
Robert John KAIM CAUDLE (2616648). 4th Jun

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Commission Relinauished

Flight Lieutenant K. J. STIDARD (1652434), retaining his rank. 12th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL AIR FORCE **VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

(TRAINING BRANCH)

Extension of Service

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

J. CRICK (1231725). 4th Jan. 1970. B. G. FOSTER (1810192). 8th Jan. 1970.

1st Feb. 1970.

J. A. B. Cameron (1922962). H. C. Luckett (204314).

J. M. H. SNADEN (1567546)

9th Feb. 1970.

W. T. HARRIS (207033). A. W. SIMS (1703357).

M. J. SILVER (3516446). 10th Feb. 1970.D. McHarrie (67672). 11th Feb. 1970.

12th Feb. 1970.

G. W. Browne (207753).R. S. STOKES (207760).P. J. WESTLAKE (207761).

E. QUINN (1698315). 13th Feb. 1970. T. C. Rofe (2682765). 14th Feb. 1970. 16th Feb. 1970.

D. F. Bullock (3053577). P. E. Skinner (3147806).

C. H. MOORE (1318067). 19th Feb. 1970.

20th Feb. 1970.

- J. N. KIRKUP (3041673). J. W. Mogg (1629384).
- P. GREEN, B.Sc. (3514208). 21st Feb. 1970. 22nd Feb. 1970.

- W. F. Beeston (2220215).
 J. R. Blaceman (1238142).
 E. B. P. Ferris (3000977).
 S. W. Meads (1739537).
 R. R. Vernon (3138981).

- H. R. KIDD (3133362). 23rd Feb. 1970. 24th Feb. 1970.

- J. B. Armstrong (623802). R. W. Broom (3103194). R. V. Conn (2630615). C. H. Cornell (46395). G. W. Davies (3128484). W. S. Ellis (2681573).
- The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by two years from the dates stated:

 - E. C. Jones (205385). 8th Feb. 1970. S. O. Bavester (1537929). 20th Feb. 1970.

The period of service of Flying Officer G. B. RICKABY (2682125) is extended by one year from 8th Feb. 1970.

Commission Resigned

- R. S. Morrow, M.A. (59798). 1st Nov. 1969. K. I. S. Tizard (207058). 5th Nov. 1969. L. W. MITCHELL, D.F.C. (169039). 19th Nov. 1969.

13th Dec. 1969.

- J. S. Base (2605455).D. B. Cope (3076525).A. Haines (207101).
- H. G. Bowles (1124143). 18th Dec. N. H. Dodd (573610). 24th Dec. 1969. 18th Dec. 1969.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight

Lieutenant:

D. S. Welsh (206444). 21st Nov. 1969. R. A. Seal (915445). 25th Nov. 1969.

Flying Officer R. STONE (207865), retaining his rank. 19th Oct. 1969.

Pilot Officer J. A. BESWICK (3118707). 15th Dec. 1969.

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