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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

HONOURS AND AWARDS

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct to the undermentioned:

Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct Ministry of Defence (Navy Department)

Leading Seaman John Michael CARR, DO53612 N.

On 30th June 1973, whilst H.M.S. HIGHBURTON was stationed at Kyle of Lochalsh, the following incident occurred when a rating with a loaded pistol threatened his Commanding Officer and the Officer of the Day in the Wardroom flat. The rating also fired the pistol into a wooden door proving that it was loaded.

Leading Seaman CARR, who was in the Mess at the time, went to the Wardroom on hearing the shot. Without hesitation he approached the rating although the gun was pointing directly at him. He tried reasoning with the rating but on his refusal to surrender the pistol Leading Seaman

CARR proceeded to disarm him.

Leading Seaman CARR's great courage and decisiveness in a highly dangerous situation were in the best traditions of the Service.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

4th December 1973.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Gen. Sir Richard WARD, K.C.B., D.S.O., M.C. (73199) late R.A.C., relinquishes the appointment of Commander, British Forces Hong Kong, 1st Dec. 1973.

Maj.-Gen. J. W. HARMAN, O.B.E., M.C. (123536) late R.A.C., relinquishes the appointment of Commandant, Royal Military Academy Sandhurst, 29th Nov.

Maj.-Gen. R. C. Gray, C.B., M.B., F.F.C.M. (112038) late R.A.M.C., relinquishes the appointment of Director of Medical Services, United Kingdom Land Forces, 4th Dec. 1973.

Maj.-Gen. E. N. W. Bramall, O.B.E., M.C. (277408) late Inf., is appointed Commander, British Forces Hong Kong and to be Lt.-Gen., 1st Dec. 1973.

Maj.-Gen. R. C. Ford, C.B., C.B.E. (284433) late R.A.C., is appointed Commandant, Royal Military Academy Sandhurst, 29th Nov. 1973.

Brig. (Acting Maj.-Gen.) P. J. N. Ward, C.B.E. (293484) late Fr. Gd., to be Maj.-Gen., 1st Dec. 1973, with seniority 4th May 1973.

Brig. J. E. MILLER, M.C., Q.H.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.G.P. (163133) late R.A.M.C., is appointed Director of Medical Services, United Kingdom Land Forces, and is granted the acting rank of Maj.-Gen., 4th Dec. and is granted the acting rank of Maj.-Gen., 4th Dec.

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

C. F. ALLEN (378926) late R.A.O.C., 28th Nov. 1973.

G. L. WATHEN (320930) late R.A.C., 28th Nov. 1973. T. K. Pexton (167105) late R.A.O.C., 1st Dec. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Col. I. L. WATKINS, T.D., D.L. (129960) late INF.,

retires, 30th Sep. 1973.

Lt.-Col. J. D. R. Bradbeer, O.B.E., T.D. (417871) from T.A.V.R., Group V, R.A., to be Col., 1st Nov. 1973.

HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY

R.H.G./D.

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. N. M. B. ROBERTS (467988) retires receiving a gratuity, 2nd Dec. 1973.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. D. C. Boyall (387430) 15/19 H. retires on retired pay, 4th Dec. 1973.
Capt. P. Gay (480303) Q.O.H., retires receiving a gratuity, 1st Dec. 1973.
2nd Lt. (on probation) Nicholas Richard STUART LEE (495454) 17/21 L., from Short Serv. Limited Commn. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 10th Oct. 1973. Oct. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Frederick David Stewart ROSIER (496823) Q.D.G., from General List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Nov. 1973.

Short Serv. Commn.
22101997 W.O.II Kevin O'Sullivan (496787) 13/18 to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1973. To be Lt., 1st Nov.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
2nd Lt. H. A. Douglas-Pennant (492276) R.Y., to be
Lt., 6th Aug. 1973.
2nd Lt. M. P. Combe (492175) R.Y., to be Lt., 24th

Sep. 1973.
2nd Lt. (on probation) R. J. STYLES (493360) MERCIAN YEO., is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 10th Jan. 1972.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. C. C. K 29th Nov. 1973. Kirkman (430354) retires on retired pay,

Lt. Richard Alan Humphrey Self (490378) from Special Reg. Commu., to be 2nd Lt., 17th Jul. 1973, with seniority 10th Apr. 1968. To be Lt., 17th Jul. 1973, with seniority 10th Apr. 1970.

2nd Lt. John James Keeling (491159) from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 1st Aug. 1973, with seniority 17th Jun. 1971. To be Lt., 1st Aug. 1973, with seniority

8th May 1973.

2nd Lt. Peter David Chase Warburton (491202) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Aug. 1973, with seniority 23rd May 1971. To be Lt., 1st Aug. 1973, with seniority 8th May 1973.

Maj. (Q.M.) C. J. STENNING (472690) retires on retired pay, 30th Nov. 1973.

Special Reg. Commn.

2nd Lt. John Christopher O'Donnell (491173) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jun. 1973, with seniority 8th May 1971. To be Lt., 1st Jun. 1973, with seniority 8th May 1973. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 18th Sep. 1973.)

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. I. J. Spurr, T.D. (444263) to be Maj., 1st Dec.

2nd Lt. (on probation) P. I. ROBERTS (496263) from T.A.V.R., Section B, General List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 18th May 1973.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commns.

Postal & Courier Communications Section 2nd Lt. T. M. Brown (492621) to be Lt., 29th Nov.

2nd Lt. B. J. Cash (492622) to be Lt., 29th Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Capt. (Acting Maj.) M. J. WILSON (474166) relinquishes the acting rank of Maj., 16th Apr. 1973.
Capt. G. WATKIN (476184) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 26th May 1973.
Capt. J. M. DOVENER, T.D. (472663) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 3rd Sep. 1973.
2nd Lt. (on probation) L. H. SWANN (496589) from T.A.V.R., Section B, General List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Oct. 1973, with seniority 9th May 1973.

Group B

Postal & Courier Communications Section

2nd Lt. (on probation) N. Brewer (494917) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 11th Nov. 1972.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. (T.O.T.) T. H. AMOTT (421553) retires on retired pay, 3rd Dec. 1973.

Maj. (T.O.T.) A. V. RENDER (444848) to be I.t.-Col. (T.O.T.), 3rd Dec. 1973.

Short Serv. Commn.
2nd Lt. C. G. F. Day (488790) to be Lt., 1st Nov.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt. D. A. Bodycombe (481986) to be Capt., 1st Aug. 1973.

Lt. P. SUTHERLAND (488543) to be Capt., 1st Aug.

Lt. A. P. Kerr (490419) from T.A.V.R., Section B, General List to be Lt., 17th Sep. 1973, with seniority 24th Sep. 1970.

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. M. GORDON-ROGERS (491656) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 25th Mar. 1971. To be Lt., 25th Mar. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. K. GILLIES (492558) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 7th Oct. 1971. To be Lt., 7th Oct.

1973. 2nd Lt. (on probation) G. V. Dunn (493111) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 14th Dec. 1971, with seniority 14th Dec. 1969. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 14th Dec. 1971.

2nd Lt. (on probation) I. D. Ion (496260) from T.A.V.R., Section B, General List to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 1st Oct. 1973, with seniority 18th May 1973. Lt. (T.O.T.) D. I. McInnes (484768) to be Capt. (T.O.T.), 29th Sep. 1973.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. S. C. M. BLAND, M.V.O. (262114), S.G. is appointed to the Special List, 4th Dec. 1973.

Lt. M. A. B. LAMB (492377) GREN. GDS. resigns his commn., 16th Nov. 1973.

commn., 16th Nov. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship) Diarmid Campbell Lintott de Bugh Milne (488189) Gren. Gds. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 2nd Sep. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Gerald Charles Walter Grimston (495432) S.G. from Short Serv. Limited Commn. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship) 2nd Communication (University Cadetship) Diarmid Campbell Lintott de Bugh Milne (Univers ship), 3rd Oct. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. T. J. G. Donlea (488268) Coldm. Gds. from Active List to be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973. Lt. A. C. Roupell (483818) Gren. Gds. from Active

List to be Lt., 16th Nov. 1973.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

2nd Lt. (subject to confirmation) The Lord Piers Anthony Weymouth Wedgwood (496342) R.S.: the name is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement) dated 21st Aug. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship) Richard William Arthur Howard Jenkins (494223) Q.O. Hldrs. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 2nd Sep. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Lt. N. R. RUTHERFORD-YOUNG (485938) 1/51 HIGHLAND to be Capt., 1st Mar. 1972.

Lt. J. A. B. HEWITT (480801) 1/51 HIGHLAND to be

Capt., 1st Oct. 1973.

QUEEN'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. H. R. EDWARDES (457685) QUEENS retires on retired pay, 5th Dec. 1973 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. Lt. T. E.

A. HAWKINS (481292) R.R.F. to be Capt.,

5th Dec. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Gavin Stuart LOCHHEAD (495442) R.R.F. from Short Serv. Limited Commn. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 3rd Oct.

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Arthur George Petrie (492895) R.R.F. from T.A.V.R., General List (University Candidate) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 2nd Sep. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.
2nd Lt. J. J. C. Monk (491170) R. Anglian from Active List to be 2nd Lt., 26th Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt. M. J. HAYLOCK (484870) 6 R. ANGLIAN is granted the acting rank of Capt., 7th Oct. 1973.
2nd Lt. (on probation) J. B. Benbow (494017) 7 R.
Anglian is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 25th Jun. 1972.

KING'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

2nd Lt. (on probation) Christopher Michael WICKER (495461) Kings from Short Serv. Limited Commn. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 3rd Oct. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. (Acting Maj.) P. R. Horspool, T.D. (470215) 2 Yorks from T.A.V.R., Group A, 1 Yorks to be Capt., 1st Oct. 1973, with seniority 1st Mar. 1966, retaining

the acting rank of Maj.
Capt. F. A. CALVERT, T.D. (456853) NORTHUMBRIAN to be Maj., 1st Oct. 1973, with seniority 8th Jun. 1972.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (on probation) are confirmed as 2nd Lts., 31st Oct. 1971. To be Lts., 31st Oct. 1973:

P. Bruce (492735) 1 Yorks.C. H. Harrison (492736) 1 Yorks.M. Hawley (492737) 1 Yorks.

PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

RECULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. D. L. H. OWEN (400007) CHESHIRE retires on retired pay, 4th Dec. 1973.

Maj. (Q.M.) R. G. TOMKINS (459138) D.E.R.R. retires on retired pay, 28th Nov. 1973.

Special Reg. Commn.

2nd Lt. John Howard Newton STUART (489214) STAFFORDS from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 18th Dec. 1972, with seniority 25th Jul. 1970. To be Lt., 18th Dec. 1972, with seniority 25th Jul. 1972. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 27th Mar. 1973 and 24th Jul. 1973.)

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. (Acting Maj.) D. H. FARR, T.D. (435223) 2 WESSEX to be Maj., 1st Oct. 1973, with seniority 2nd Jan. 1970.

Lt. B. W. JARVIS (480615) 2 WESSEX to be Capt., 7th May 1973, with seniority 1st Feb. 1972.

LIGHT DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Gen. Sir Thomas Pearson, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., is appointed Colonel Commandant, The Royal Green Jackets, 1st Dec. 1973, in succession to Gen. Sir John Mogg, G.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., A.D.C. (Gen.), tenure

Lt.-Gen. Edwin Noel Westby Bramall, O.B.E., M.C., is appointed Colonel Commandant, 3rd Battalion, The Royal Green Jackets, 1st Dec. 1973, in succession to Gen. Sir John Mogg, G.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., A.D.C. (Gen.),

tenure expired.

2nd Lt (on probation) Toby Richard Walter HEPPEL (495434) R.G.J. from Short Serv. Limited Commun. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 3rd Oct. 1973.

Anthony Edward Weld Forester (495459) R.G.J. be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 11th Oct. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Lt. T. J. CROWTHER (468232) 5 L.I. to be Capt., 1st May 1973.

PARACHUTE REGIMENT

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn. 22960225 W.O. I (R.S.M.) Reginald Gordon Melladay (496693) to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1973. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973.

BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. (Q.G.O.) RANBAHADUR THAPA (489419) 2 G.R. retires on retired pay, 1st Dec. 1973.

Special Reg. Commn.

2nd Lt. Anthony John Bevis ROGERS (491187) 2 G.R. from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jun. 1973, with seniority 8th May 1971. To be Lt., 1st Jun. 1973, with seniority 8th May 1973. (Substituted for the notifin. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 31st Jul. 1973.)

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. Hugo Michael Peter Daubeny HARCLERODE (483799)

2 G.R. from T.A.V.R., 21 S.A.S. to be Lt., 29th Oct. 1973, with seniority 8th Apr. 1970.

ARMY AIR CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Walter STEWARD (493628) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 18th Jun. 1962. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 18th Dec. 1963. To be Capt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 18th Jun. 1968.

Lt. Charles Sergison Hydde-Smith (480032) from Short Serv. Commn., 15/19 H. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 14th Mar. 1966. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 9th Oct. 1967. To be Capt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 9th Oct. 1967. To be Capt., 1st Nov. 1973, with seniority 14th Sep. 1972.

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B Rev. D. L. GAMBLE (494624) Chapln. to the Forces 4th Class commn. is terminated, 5th Nov. 1973.

ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commns.

Lt. J. FIDLER (482952) to be Capt., 3rd Jun. 1973.
2rd Lt. Charles Theodore Marks (490361) from Short
Serv. Commn. to be 2rd Lt., 19th Jul. 1973, with
seniority 31st Oct. 1970. To be Lt., 19th Jul. 1973,
with seniority 31st Oct. 1972. (Substituted for the notifin. in Gazette (Supplements) dated 16th Oct. 1973 and 6th Nov. 1973.)

Short Serv. Commn.
22547533 W.O. I Maurice Edward Knight (496812)
to be 2nd Lt., 1st Nov. 1973. To be Lt., 1st Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. (Acting Maj.) C. H. AINSLEY (465397) to be Maj., 13th May 1973, with seniority 2nd Apr. 1973.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

RECULAR ARMY

Non Medical Section Capt. (N.M.) P. W. Bryant (474604) to be Maj. (N.M.), 30th Nov. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.

Maj. J. M. GARTSIDE, M.B. (476836) from Active List to be Maj., 26th Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Maj. A. G. Nicol, M.B., M.R.C.P. (462293) is granted the acting rank of Lt.-Col., 1st Oct. 1973.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. A. R. JARMAN (129201) retires on retired pay, 2nd Dec. 1973.

Lt. D. W. TOWNSEND (481650) to be Capt., 28th Nov.

1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) Christopher John GWILLIAM (495433) from Short Serv. Limited Commn. to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Cadetship), 1st Oct. 1973. Lt.-Col. (O.E.O.) F. E. BANCROFT (180807) retires on patient are 2nd Dec 1072.

retired pay, 3rd Dec. 1973.

Short Serv. Commn.
Maj. R. F. WILKES, M.B.E. (307442) retires on retired pay, 3rd Dec. 1973.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. N. ROME (477014) retires on retired pay, 1st Nov. 1973.

Maj. C. R. M. Fillingham (453471) retires on retired pay, 1st Dec. 1973.

Pay, 1st Dec. 19/3.
Capt. Harold John Finnamore (485159) from Special Reg. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 29th Oct. 1973, with seniority 18th Aug. 1960. To be Lt., 29th Oct. 1973, with seniority 18th Aug. 1962. To be Capt., 29th Oct. 1973, with seniority 18th Feb. 1967.
Capt. (E.M.A.E.) D. H. Cresswell, M.B.E. (477256)

to be Maj. (E.M.A.E.), 3rd Dec. 1973.

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. A. E. Collison (480667) retires on retired pay, 29th Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. H. C. COTTLE (494963) from T.A.V.R., Group A, 2 LANCASTRIAN to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 22nd Oct. 1973, with seniority 25th Mar.

CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. T. GILLING (493893) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 25th Jun. 1972.

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. W. M. TAYLOR (482850) from R. SIGNALS to be Capt., 26th Sep. 1973, retaining his present seniority. Lt. J. P. Baylis (490956) the surname is as now shown

and not as in Gazette (Supplement) dated 30th Oct.

Special Reg. Commn.
Capt. W. J. FOSTER (474933) retires on retired pay on account of disability, 29th Nov. 1973.

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. J. F. J. Allen (492683) to be Lt., 2nd Dec.

INTELLIGENCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commns.

Maj. D. C. Gerves (472287) from R.A.E.C., to be Maj., 1st Nov. 1973, retaining his present seniority. Capt. J. HAWTHORNTHWAITE (478583) from R. SIGNALS to be Capt., 1st Nov. 1973, retaining his present seniority.

ARMY CATERING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. M. GROSSE (377388) retires on retired pay, 3rd Dec. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt. (Acting Capt.) E. H. VEAL (488566) to be Capt., 3rd Oct. 1973, with seniority 3rd Oct. 1971.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. M. A. Jenkins (470734) to be Maj., 28th Nov. 1973.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. C. Hallett née Regan (493656) relinquishes her commn., 1st Nov. 1973.

Maureen Elizabeth Ann Dolan (496641) to be Lt., 24th Sep. 1973, with seniority 8th Apr. 1969. To be Capt., 24th Sep. 1973, with seniority 8th Apr. 1973.

Non Nursing Section
2nd Lt. (N.N.) M. H. McCombe (492280) to be Lt. (N.N.), 27th Nov. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Capt. F. J. FIRMSTONE (480185) ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 29th Nov. 1973.

Capt. P. E. Rhodes-Cooke (480438) ceases to belong

to the Res. of Offrs., 29th Nov. 1973.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. L. E. BRICE (492572) from Active List to be Lt.,

22nd Nov. 1973.
Lt. G. P. Redford (492461) from Active List to be Lt., 22nd Nov. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. J. E. GOODIER (475722) resigns her commn., 1st Nov. 1973.

WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Brig. The Hon. Mary PIHL née ANDERSON, D.B.E. (234046) ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 5th Nov. 1973.

Lt. M. J. JORDAN (488976) resigns her commn., 1st Dec. 1973.

Short Serv. Commns.

2nd Lt. (on probation) M. J. Oakley, nee Elwis (494676) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 2nd Oct. 1972, with seniority 2nd Apr. 1969. To be Lt., 2nd Oct. 1972, with seniority 2nd Apr. 1971.

2nd Lt. (on probation) S. R. Cosgrove (495733) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 31st Mar. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
2nd Lt. (on probation) H. W. Loh (494993) from
T.A.V.R., Section B, General List, to be 2nd Lt. (on
probation), 15th Oct. 1973, with seniority 29th Nov. 1972.
W/442436 O/Cdt. Maureen Margaret Powell
2nd Lt. (on probation), 23rd Sep. 1973. Group B

2nd Lt. W. G. ORMOND (492165) to be Lt., 7th Oct. 1973.

The undermentioned O/Cdts. to be 2nd Lts (on probation), 27th Sep. 1973:
W/443067 Angela BOYD (496938).
W/436416 Elizabeth Miller Pow (496943).
W/436386 Pamela Claire Elizabeth SMITH (496939).

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Capt. C. A. M. COXE (435971) from T.A.V.R., Group A, to be Capt., 26th Sep. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. (Acting Maj.) A. PAIN (453023) to be Maj., 1st Sep. 1973, with seniority 1st Apr. 1969.

ULSTER DEFENCE REGIMENT

Lt. (Acting Capt.) R. H. BICKER (485939) to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1972.

Lt. (Acting Capt.) R. H. GRACEY (490074) to be Capt., 1st Dec. 1972

Lt. L. H. Hughes (491594) to be Capt., 6th Oct. 1973. 2nd Lt. (on probation) A. N. Coupe (492883) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Nov. 1971. To be Lt., 8th Nov.

2nd Lt. (on probation) B. B. LITTMAN (495912) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 30th Oct. 1972.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class V

2nd Lt. D. G. Nicholl (492829) from 7 U.D.R. to be 2nd Lt., 26th Sep. 1973.

GENERAL LIST

REGULAR ARMY

Frederick David Stewart Rosser (496823) (University Candidate) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 7th Oct. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Section B

The undermentioned O/Cdts. to be 2nd Lts. (on probation) on the dates shown:

24137826 Duncan MacNiven (496927) 27th Sep. 1973.

24175860 Neil Macdonald Mackenzie (496926) 28th

Sep. 1973. 24175970 Leslie James THOMSON (496930) 28th Sep. 1973.

24229083 Robert John Wherrett (496931) 28th Sep.

COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Alleyn's School Contgt.
Lt. V. H. Mellor (164647) resigns his commn., 31st Mar. 1973, and is regranted the hon. rank of Capt.

Boston Grammar School Contgt.

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. Bell (492804) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 17th Nov. 1971. To be Lt., 17th Nov. 1973. Hardye's School Contgt.

2nd Lt. (on probation) D. W. B. Spriggs (465523) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 1st Mar. 1972, with seniority 1st Dec. 1969. To be Lt., 24th Sep. 1973.

Hereford Cathedral School Contgt.

Lt. H. K. HILL (475728) resigns his commn., 31st Aug. 1973.

John Lyon School Contgt.

Lt. M. J. C. MATHER (483427) resigns his commn., 31st Jul. 1973.

Pierrepont School Contgt.

Lt. A. J. D. BOUGHTON (490863) resigns his commn., lst Sep. 1973.

St. Dunstan's College Contgt.
Lt. W. H. T. ROBERTON, O.B.E., T.D. (63734), resigns his commn., lst Sep. 1973 and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Wellingborough School Contgt.

2nd Lt. (on probation) P. S. Austen (486350) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 10th Oct. 1971. To be Lt., 10th Oct. 1973.

ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Antrim & City of Belfast

2nd Lt. (on probation) R. G. TREBBETT (492901) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 6th Nov. 1971. To be Lt., 6th Nov. 1973, with seniority 6th Nov. 1971.

2nd Lt. (on probation) G. P. Hutton (492795) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 6th Nov. 1971. To be Lt., 6th Nov. 1972.

1973.

Bedfordshire

Col. Owen James Degnan (113303) (Retired, late R.A.S.C.) to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1973, with seniority 14th Jan. 1940.

Dorset

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. H. ADAMS (490624) commn. is terminated, 28th Aug. 1973.

Dumbarton

Lt. I. D. Kernohan (473409) resigns his commn. 25th

Sep. 1973.

Durham

Arthur Currie (496913) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 25th Sep. 1973.

Essex

2nd Lt. (on probation) R. C. Phelps (489945) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Jul. 1973, with seniority 20th Sep. 1971. To be Lt., 20th Sep. 1973.

Lt. J. HEWGILL (424943) commn. is terminated, 1st Oct. 1973.

Monmouth
Lt. W. W. D. MASTERTON (456170) retires, 3rd Aug. 1973 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Northumberland

2nd Lt. (on probation) W. F. Young (491949) resigns his commn., 1st Oct. 1973.

Nottingham

Lt. E. SEARCEY (481407) resigns his commn., 1st Oct.

Andrew John Simpson (494312) (formerly A.C.F.) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Sep. 1973, with seniority 14th May 1973.

Shropshire

Peter Francis Kingston (496935) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 21st Sep. 1973.

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. R. CRUMELL (494630) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 14th Sep. 1972. To be Lt., 14th Oct. 1973, with seniority 14th Sep. 1972.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

4th December 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Commodore H. C. Southgate, C.B.E., is appointed Director-General of Engineering and Supply Policy and Plans (R.A.F.) with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal in succession to Air Vice-Marshal F. S. R. Johnson, C.B., O.B.E., F.B.I.M. 1st Dec. 1973.

Air Commodore D. F. G. MacLeod, Q.H.D.S., F.D.S.R.C.S., is appointed Director of Dental Services (R.A.F.), with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal C. H. Beamish, C.B., Q.H.D.S., F.D.S.R.C.S. 30th Nov. 1973.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officers:

30th Sep. 1973

Michael Anthony Joseph Barnes (5202344). Roger John Bennett (2622927). Peter Philip Binham (5202383). Nigel Brewerton (5202711). Bruce Gaitskell (2624873). Peter Wayne GREGORY (2622929) Stanley Laurence HILDITCH (5202378). Allan John Hurrell (2623387) Richard Williams Jennison (5202706). Stanley Paul King (2622881). Stainey Faul Kind (2022561).
Stephen John Richard Parfirtr (2621553).
David Anthony Simpson (5202710).
David Bruce Spong (2624444).
John Graham Whitton (2624878).
James Gilbert Wiggle (5202712). Michael Derek WOODHOUSE (5202384).

Clive Banks (2624427).

John Lander Cathie (5202715).

Anthony Theodore Hedley (5202713). William John Scott (2624204).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
P. J. Bates, B.Sc. (5202034). 28th Nov. 1973.
A. D. Miller, B.Sc. (5202460). 29th Nov. 1973.
J. Pollock (586222). 3rd Dec. 1973.
R. Heselwood (687922). 4th Dec. 1973.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer G. McG. DEMPSEY, M.A. (5201250). 15th Jul. 1973 (Seniority 15th Apr. 1972). M. CAPUCCITTI (8021293). 29th Nov. 1973.

Specialist Aircrew

Flight Lieutenants designated Specialist Aircrew: B. WILCOX (4084684). 29th Nov. 1973. I. G. MACKIE (2739042). 2nd Dec. 1973.

Transfers between Branches

Flight Lieutenant B. C. DICKENS, B.Sc. (4232084),

the Engineer Branch in existing rank. 15th Oct. 1973, seniority adjusted to 9th Oct. 1968.

Flying Officer C. J. MARTIN, B.Sc. (5202541), to the Engineer Branch in existing rank and seniority. 3rd Dec. 1973.

Flying Officer B. SHAW, B.Sc. (5201070), to the ngineer Branch in existing rank and seniority. 3rd Engineer

Pilot Officer G. S. Leighton (8026056) from Permanent Commission to Short Service Commission (Six years ent Commission to Short Service Commission (Six years on the Active List and Four years on the Reserve) in the Supply Branch, 5th Nov. 1973, in existing rank. Seniority adjusted to 29th Dec. 1972.

Acting Pilot Officer T. A. Grant (8026107) to the Supply Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer. 16th Oct. 1973, with seniority 24th Feb. 1973.

Transfers to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant J. E. G. CAMIER, B.A. (4232900). 8th Nov. 1973.

Flight Lieutenant C. J. Spurrier, B.Sc. (4232914). 8th Nov. 1973.

Retirement

Squadron Leader L. A. STAPLETON (579165) (at own request). 31st Oct. 1973.

Flight Lieutenants (at own request):
J. MACALISTER (202340). 5th Nov. 1973.
C. L. COCKBURN (578332). 22nd Nov. 1973.
R. W. SMITH (1892503). 23rd Nov. 1973.

Commission Terminated

Flight Lieutenant G. R. ARTHUR, B.A. (5202032). 27th Oct. 1973.

Flying Officers:
S. A. WALLIS (5202077). 24th Oct. 1973.
J. PERRY, B.Sc. (5201034). 25th Oct. 1973.

Pilot Officers :

B. D. A. MITCHELL, B.Sc. (5202578). 21st Sep. 1973. S. J. Taylor (8025763). 9th Nov. 1973.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

R. W. Jones (8023076). 4th Aug. 1973.

22nd Sep. 1973

N. P. REEVE (207825) M. RIMMER (8023075).

Antedate of Seniority

Flying Officer J. W. W. HARDING (4233433) is awarded antedates of seniority of 7th Jan. 1968 from 17th Feb. 1969 in the rank of Pilot Officer and of 7th Jan. 1970 from 7th Jul. 1970 in the rank of Flying Officer.

Reinstatement on the Active List

Robert Henry Bonas (4091480) is reinstated on the Active List in the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 29th Oct. 1973 (Seniority 17th May 1963).

Transfer between Branches

Flying Officer J. R. Spencer (595320) to the Secretarial Branch. 28th Oct. 1973, in existing rank and seniority.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant S. J. Russell-Smith (165608) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 28th Nov. 1973.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officers:

30th Sep. 1973

Steven John Green (5202386). James Ian Kane (5202379). Roderick Alexander McLean MacTaggart (2621081). Robert Neil RAYNOR (5202385). Alexander Douglas Thomson (5202382).

7th Oct. 1973

Michael Rex Bowman (5202714). Stephen Peter WEST (5202716).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: D. B. HONBYMAN (582960). 7th Jun. 1973.

28th Nov. 1973

R. P. Bull, B.Sc. (608905) M. H. Jones, B.Sc. (608928). D. S. Peckett, B.Sc. (608866). B. D. Swinscoe, B.Sc. (608865). J. L. JOHN (582609). D. H. Atton (5201726). 30th Nov. 1973. J. H. LOGAN, B.Sc. (5201798). 1st Dec. 1973.

Squadron Leaders (at own request): R. EVETTS (570172). 19th Nov. 1973. V. C. ARTHUR, M.B.E. (49342). 28th Nov. 1973.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Retirement

Squadron Leader E. J. White, D.F.M. (195006) (at own request). 25th Oct. 1973. (Substituted for notification in London Gazette dated 6th Nov. 1973.)

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Acting Pilot Officer: Jonathan Andrew Hill (2623507). 30th Sep. 1973.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
A. J. Beddows (4335769). 26th Nov. 1973. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: S. P. BATTLEY (8022909). 25th Nov. 1973.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:
A. S. L. Durham (8023059). 15th Aug. 1973.

Retirement

Group Captain B. L. DAVIS, M.B.E. (at own request). 1st Nov. 1973. Squadron Leader P. A. Hoskins, A.C.I.S. (2406366) (at own request). 20th Oct. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer: D. A. WOOD (8023087). 15th Sep. 1973.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:

G. R. Newson-Smith, M.B., B.S. (507937). 29th Nov. 1973.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: E. J. THORNTON, M.B., Ch.B. (5201642). 27th Sep. 1973.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
I. L. Gold, M.B., Ch.B. (5201871). 10th Jul. 1973.

Transfer to the Reserve

Squadron Leader D. M. C. Brewin, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (507982). 28th Nov. 1973. Flight Lieutenant I. Carson, M.B., Ch.B. (5200816). 1st Nov. 1973.

Wing Commander E. T. King, M.B., B.S., L.M.S.S.A., D.P.H. (501275) (at own request). 30th Oct. 1973.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(Medical Section)

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
R. BROWN, M.A.P.H.I. (4091265). 1st Dec. 1973.

DENTAL BRANCH

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant P. A. WEST, B.D.S. (508330). 21st Nov. 1973.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Retirement

Group Captain A. E. C. YORK, B.A. (at own request). 27th Oct. 1973.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION BRANCH

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Lieutenant M. N. Lockhart, D.Phys.Ed. (5200861), is extended to 7th Jan. 1974.

Flight Lieutenant B. C. PAGE, D.Phys.Ed. (3117428) (at own request). 1st Nov. 1973.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE

Promotion

Flight Officer to Squadron Officer:
E. McCausland, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408065). 2nd Dec. 1973.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Officer S. M. Bewley, S.R.N. (408498). 24th Nov. 1973.

Retirement

Wing Officer M. O. Lumley, A.R.R.C., S.R.N. (405903). 24th Nov. 1973.

Squadron Officer J. B. Brown, S.R.N., S.C.M. (407303). 18th Nov. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Notification Amended

London Gazette dated 6th Nov. 1973, concerning Flight Lieutenant B. A. SLADE (2673932), Amend Personal number to read "(4231302)".

MEDICAL BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant E. R. BYRNE, M.B., Ch.B., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (507330), retaining his rank. 2nd Feb.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Lieutenant S. H. Flight Lieutenant S. H. Old, B.Sc. (890 W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 23rd Oct. 1973. Flight

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Extension of Service

Flight Lieutenant T. C. SAMUELS (501035) is granted an extension of service to 18th Nov. 1977.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION BRANCH

Extension of Service

Flight Lieutenant J. E. G. PIERPOINT (2607286) is granted an extension of service to 4th Oct. 1975.

PROVOST BRANCH

Extension of Service

Flight Lieutenant J. C. AIRD, M.A. (153395) is granted an extension of service to 15th Jul. 1978.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(TRAINING BRANCH)

Appointment to Commission

As Pilot Officers (Four Years):
Ronald Bryan Woods (209172). 7th Jun. 1973.
Cecil Bates Dick, B.A. (209177). 5th Sep. 1973.
Nicholas John Fulford, B.S. (209178). 12th

12th Sep. 1973.

Geoffrey Alexander (2623246). 15th Oct. 1973. William CONNOLLY, LL.B.

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
I. Anderson (1936961). 29th May 1973.

1st Nov. 1973

F. P. KEENAN (3037630).

S. Woods (208805).

3rd Nov. 1973

B. S. PALMER (2312833).

E. J. SIMPKIN (2367091).

C. R. Mackay, B.Sc. (208880). 5th Nov. 1973.J. G. Jones (542351). 9th Nov. 1973.

10th Nov. 1973

E. R. AIKEN (208810). T. L. BOYD (578862).

J. H. Bradford (208806).
J. J. Kelly (3136553).
K. J. C. McConnell, M.A. (208819).
H. D. W. Watson (1795162).

P. R. SPEAKMAN (208867). 16th Nov. 1973.

18th Nov. 1973

A. CLARK, B.Sc., Ph.D. (208858). R. P. H. FLOOD (208872).

B. G. RICHARDSON (208809).

22nd Nov. 1973

E. Houghton (208826). A. K. Jordan (4052438).

G. Lyall, B.A. (2785690).P. H. Males (208824).M. R. Rigby (208836).D. F. Rushen (208822).

23rd Nov. 1973

R. J. GAIT (1652464). G. A. PONSFORD (208837).

24th Nov. 1973

D. F. Andrews (208816). P. H. Cass (208817). T. W. Short (208840). 25th Nov. 1973. M. Banks (208821). 29th Nov. 1973.

Extension of Service

Extension of Service

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted an extension of service to the dates stated:

K. E. Fidler (1897392). 28th Nov. 1977.

F. H. R. Hyde (206996). 28th Nov. 1977.

R. E. Lee (3508090). 29th Nov. 1977.

A. F. Melvin (4012291). 28th Nov. 1977.

C. Middleton-Stewart (207754). 29th Nov. 1975.

T. J. Olney (2447177). 29th Nov. 1977.

J. E. Reynolds (207126). 28th Nov. 1977.

C. E. Wick (3150376). 28th Nov. 1977.

Commission Resigned
Flying Officer J. S. THOMPSON (3142125), retaining his rank. 21st Jun. 1973.

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