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**HONOURS AND AWARDS**

**NAVY DEPARTMENT**

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**NAVY DEPARTMENT**

**WOMEN'S ROYAL NAVAL SERVICE**

Her Majesty The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the appointment of Her Royal Highness The Princess Anne, Mrs. Mark Phillips, as Chief Commandant of the Women's Royal Naval Service on 1st July 1974.

**ROYAL NAVY**

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure the following officers have been appointed Naval Aides-de-Camp to The QUEEN from 7th Jul. 1974 in place of the officers stated:

Captain T. B. HOMAN, R.N., in succession to Captain R. N. HEARD, R.N.  
 Captain A. COLEMAN, R.N., in succession to Captain J. O. WIGG, R.N.  
 Captain W. G. McC. BURN, R.N., in succession to Captain J. D. EAST, R.N.  
 Captain G. St.M. MILLS, B.Sc., R.N., in succession to Captain J. E. HULME, R.N.  
 Captain C. R. P. C. BRANSON, R.N., in succession to Captain L. W. H. TAYLOR, R.N.  
 Captain D. J. BENT, D.S.C., R.N., in succession to Captain (Commodore) J. K. STEVENS, R.N.  
 Captain D. W. FOSTER, R.N., in succession to Rear Admiral S. R. SANDFORD.  
 Captain (Commodore) D. B. MORISON, R.N., in succession to Captain D. W. BAZALGETTE, R.N.  
 Captain J. M. FORBES, R.N., in succession to Captain (Commodore) C. RUSBY, M.V.O., R.N.  
 Captain (Commodore) R. W. GARSON, R.N., in succession to Captain I. S. S. MACKAY, R.N.

Captain S. W. CLAYDEN, D.S.C., R.N., in succession to Captain G. E. SAMPSON, R.N.

Captain J. S. LAUNDERS, D.S.O. and Bar, D.S.C. and Bar, R.N., in succession to Captain D. W. HASLAM, O.B.E., R.N.

Rear Admiral H. C. LEACH, promoted Vice Admiral with seny. 6th Jul. 1974.

Cpts. promoted Rear Admirals with seny. 7th Jul. 1974:  
 A. J. MONK, C.B.E., B.Sc.(Eng), F.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S., F.I.Mar.E.

D. HEPWORTH.

P. R. MARRACK, F.I.Mech.E., F.I.Mar.E., A.M.B.I.M.

R. D. MACDONALD, C.B.E.

S. R. SANDFORD.

D. W. BAZALGETTE.

The following promotions have been made to date 30th Jun. 1974:

**SEAMAN SPECIALISATION**

Commander to Captain:

FREEMAN, Michael J. L.

HAMILTON-JONES, Peter N.

LUCAS, Peter.

FRY, Ronald G., O.B.E.

THOMAS, William R. S., O.B.E.

YOUNG, Brian G.

BARNDEN, Anthony R.

PREST, Michael T., M.B.E.

CLAPP, Michael C.

BLACK, John J., M.B.E.

NOLAN, David B.

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:

CORRIGAN, William R.

HAIGH, Timothy H. S.

SEAR, Lionel R.

DAVIS, Dennis B.

BUCHANAN, Michael E.

STEWART-FITZROY, Allen W.

LACHLAN, Ian.

MILNER, Francis.

HALLIDAY, Robert I. C.

LEE, Timothy R.

FOXWORTHY, Hilary L.

WILLIAMS, Christopher W.

CULLEY, John E.

SPELLER, John P.

DAVIS, William J.  
ROGERS, Anthony R. H.  
MCLAREN, Patrick.  
RAMSEY, David I.  
AINGER, John S.  
WOODHEAD, Anthony P.  
HART-DYKE, David.  
MADGE, Paul R. P.  
TRUSSELL, Roger.

## ENGINEERING SPECIALISATION

Commander to Captain:  
HARGREAVES, David.  
STEARNS, Peter W. S., M.I.Mech.E., A.M.B.I.M.  
MACLEAN, Euan, M.I.Mech.E.  
BOWEN, Frank, M.I.Mech.E.  
MATHER, Derek G., M.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S.,  
A.M.B.I.M.  
OLDRIDGE, Peter J., B.Sc.  
COUMBE, Gordon S., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.E.E.

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:  
SIMPSON, Michael A. G., B.Sc.  
BINGEMAN, John M., M.I.Mech.E.  
DAVIDSON, Michael J., M.I.Mech.E.  
KENNEDY, Robin M., B.A., M.I.E.E.  
COTTLE, Edward C., M.I.Mech.E.  
WILKIE, David G. M., D.C.Ae.  
GROOM, Anthony G. T.  
RUTHERFORD, Brian A., M.B.E.  
HULME, Brian.  
DUPPA-MILLER, Francis P., M.A.  
PICKARD, Benjamin A., M.I.Mech.E.  
WEBBER, Michael J. A., F.Inst.Pet., M.I.Mech.E.,  
M.I.Mar.E.  
PALMER, Alan E., B.A., M.I.E.E.  
FULCHER, George A.  
ASHLEY, Martin S., B.A.  
WIXON, David G., B.Sc.(Eng.), M.I.Mech.E.  
MANBY, Roger W., M.I.Mech.E., F.I.Mar.E.  
TYSON, John G. I., M.I.Mar.E.  
MARSHALL, John A.  
BURN, Richard H., A.F.C., M.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S.,  
A.M.B.I.M.  
BROWNE, Neville L., B.Sc.  
ASTON, John A., B.Sc., M.I.E.E.

## SUPPLY AND SECRETARIAT SPECIALISATION

Commander to Captain:  
ROBINSON, Norman S.  
DOUDS, Charles A.  
BARKER, John P.

Lieutenant Commander to Commander:  
PERCY, Ronald T. (Barrister).  
KEARLEY, Trevor S., A.M.B.I.M.  
WHITE, Geoffrey G.  
BALCHIN, Graham J., M.B.E.  
STOREY, Harold R.  
RAINCOCK, Brian J. D.  
GOODSON, Frederick B.

## INSTRUCTOR BRANCH

Instructor Commander to Instructor Captain:  
STANLEY, Paul O., B.Sc. (Met).

Instructor Lieutenant Commander to Instructor Com-  
mander:  
LILLICRAP, Terrence W., M.I.E.E., M.Sc., C.Eng.  
O'REILLY, Michael F., B.Sc. (Met).  
DAVIES, John G., B.Sc.

## MEDICAL BRANCH

Surgeon Commander to Surgeon Captain:  
BLACKLOCK, Norman J., O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S.  
HERSEY, Nicholas G. B., M.B., B.S., F.F.A.R.C.S.  
COX, James, O.B.E., M.B., B.S., F.F.A.R.C.S.

Surgeon Lieutenant Commander to Surgeon Commander:  
ESSON, Walter R., M.A., B.M., B.Ch., D.P.H., D.I.H.,  
D.Obst.R.C.O.G.  
BENNETT, Anthony N., M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P., M.R.C.S.,  
D.C.H.  
HARLAND, Robert, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.G.P.,  
D.Obst.R.C.O.G.  
GUNTON-BUNN, Bryan P., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.,  
M.R.C.Path., D.C.Path.

## DENTAL BRANCH

Surgeon Commander (D) to Surgeon Captain (D):  
MATHIAS, Frank R. B., L.D.S., R.C.S.(Eng).

Surgeon Lieutenant Commander (D) to Surgeon Com-  
mander (D):  
HAMBLY, Richard S., B.D.S.  
GRANT, Edward J., B.D.S., L.D.S., R.C.S.

## ROYAL MARINES

Captain to Major:  
WATSON, Edmund D.  
HOWGILL, Patrick A. C.

## ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

## SEAMAN BRANCH

Lieutenant Commander R.N.R., to Commander R.N.R.:  
FRAME, Martin B. F.  
JUDKINS, Bryan.  
WILFORD, David J., R.D.  
WISDEN, John S., R.D.

## SPECIAL BRANCH

Commander R.N.R. to Captain R.N.R.:  
FOX, Thomas D., V.R.D.  
HOWARD, Andrew S., D.S.C., V.R.D. and Clasp.

Lieutenant Commander R.N.R., to Commander R.N.R.:  
OGDEN, Paul A., R.D.  
RAMSDEN, Patrick L., V.R.D. and Clasp.

## MARINE ENGINEERING BRANCH

Lieutenant Commander, R.N.R., to Commander R.N.R.:  
MARKS, Edwin M., R.D.

## MEDICAL BRANCH

Surgeon Commander R.N.R., to Surgeon Captain R.N.R.:  
DAVIDSON, Arthur P., L.R.C.P. & S. (Ed.), L.R.F.P. &  
S.(G), R.D.  
Surgeon Lieutenant Commander R.N.R., to Surgeon  
Commander R.N.R.:  
DAVISON, Derek W., M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O.  
HEPBURN, Athol N., M.B., Ch.B., (A/M), R.D.  
HEYCOCK, Morris H., M.A., M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.S.

## DENTAL BRANCH

Surgeon Lieutenant Commander (D) R.N.R., to Surgeon  
Commander (D) R.N.R.:  
CHENEY, Geoffrey T., L.D.S., B.D.S., F.D.S.R.C.S.,  
R.D.

## SUPPLY BRANCH

Lieutenant Commander R.N.R., to Commander R.N.R.:  
MACLEOD, Iain B. C., R.D.

## ROYAL MARINES RESERVE

Captain to Major:  
BROWN, Richard P. H.  
MACTAGGART, Robert A., T.D.

## ROYAL NAVY

Vice Admiral Sir George RAPER, K.C.B., F.R.I.N.A.,  
F.I.Mech.E., F.I.Mar.E., placed on Retired List. 6th  
Jul. 1974.  
Capts. placed on Retired List. 7th Jul. 1974:  
R. N. HEARD, J. D. EAST, J. H. G. ELLINGHAM,  
F.I.E.E., H. W. F. LOWMAN, M.I.Mech.E., I. S. S.  
MACKAY.  
Capt. J. O. WIGG, placed on Retired List 7th Jul. 1974  
and re-employed.  
The Reverend N. M. DENLEGH-MAXWELL, O.B.E., to be  
placed on Retired List. 8th Jul. 1974.  
Cdr. A. C. SIMMONDS, M.I.Mech.E., placed on Retired  
List. 7th Jul. 1974.

Cdr. A. H. JAMIESON, to be placed on Retired List. 14th Jul. 1974.

Lt. Cdr. (Ret'd.) K. M. TEARE, reverts to Retired List on ceasing to be re-employed. 20th Jun. 1974.

Lt. Cdr. G. Q. MOSEDALE, M.I.Mech.E., M.B.I.M., placed on Retired List. 4th Jul. 1974. (Granted rank of Cdr. (Hon.)).

Lt. Cdr. D. C. LAWRENCE, placed on Retired List (own request). 1st Jul. 1974.

Lt. Cdr. D. W. LUPTON, to be placed on Retired List 14th July 1974 and re-employed.

Actg. Lt. Cdr. D. J. D. FARMER, promoted Lt. Cdr. 1st Jul. 1974 with seny. 1st Oct. 1971.

Surgn. Lt. Cdr. (D) R. A. PRATT, B.D.S., to be placed on Emergency List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 12th Jul. 1974.

Lt. T. R. WOOLLEY, placed on Retired List (own request). 6th Jul. 1974.

Lts. to be placed on Retired List (own request). 13th Jul. 1974:

D. J. WISEMAN, M.Sc., A. F. GREEN.

Lts. promoted Lt. Cdrs. 1st Jul. 1974 with seny. stated:

B. J. SMITH. 9th Mar. 1973.

R. A. HIRST, B.A., S. J. PETTER, B.Sc., I. R. PITWOOD, B.Sc., N. W. SWENY, B.Sc.(Eng.), P. J. LILLEY, B.Sc. 1st Jul. 1974.

Lt. R. STEWART, promoted Lt. Cdr. 4th Jul. 1974 with seny. 4th Jul. 1974.

Lt. T. J. H. GEDGE, promoted Lt. Cdr. 16th Jul. 1974 with seny. 16th Jul. 1974.

Actg. Lt. D. G. BEGG, promoted Lt. 3rd Jun. 1974 with seny. 1st Mar. 1972.

Lt. (Special Duties List) B. S. JARRETT, placed on Retired List (own request). 6th Jul. 1974.

Actg. Lt. (Supplementary List) G. E. GILL, B.Sc., promoted Lt. 23rd May 1974 with seny. 1st Mar. 1973.

Instr. Lts. promoted Instr. Lt. Cdrs. 6th Jul. 1974 with seny. 6th Jul. 1974:

A. DUNN, M.B.E., B.Tech., B. E. PROTHOROE, B.Sc.

Instr. Lt. I. G. CONWAY, to be placed on Emergency List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 15th Jul. 1974.

Surgn. Lt. W. J. SCADDEN, M.B., B.S., promoted Surgn. Lt. Cdr. 16th Jun. 1974 with seny. 16th Jun. 1974.

Surgn. Lt. N. F. LIGHTFOOT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., promoted Surgn. Ltk Cdr. 29th Jun. 1974 with seny. 29th Jun. 1974.

Surgn. Lt. (D) N. G. DAWS, L.D.S., promoted Surgn. Lt. Cdr. (D), 29th Jun. 1974 with seny. 29th Jun. 1974.

Surgn. Lt. (D) J. F. HAWKINS, B.D.S., R.N.R., entered in R.N. on 5 year Short Service Commission 1st Jul. 1974 in rank of Surgn. Lt. (D) with seny. 1st Jan. 1974.

Sub Lt. J. A. CLARKE, promoted Lt., 1st Jul. 1974 with seny. 1st Jul. 1974.

Sub. Lt. N. H. L. HARRIS, to be promoted Lt. 16th Jul. 1974 with seny. 16th Jul. 1974.

Actg. Sub Lts. (Special Duties List) confirmed Sub Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

K. J. MOORSHEAD. 8th Jan. 1974 (8th Jan. 1973).

A. L. WARD. 30th Apr. 1974 (30th Apr. 1973).

Sub Lt. (Supplementary List) P. E. HAMMERSLEY, promoted Lt. 1st Mar. 1974 with seny. 1st Mar. 1974.

Sub Lts. (Supplementary List) promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

F. J. DAVIS, P. E. JENKINS, D. J. SWAINSON, B. WATSON, B.Sc. 1st Jul. 1974 (1st Jul. 1974).

E. N. P. S. SHIRLAW. 5th Jul. 1974 (5th Jul. 1974).

S. P. GOODER. 7th Jul. 1974 (7th Jul. 1974).

J. M. SEPHTON. 9th Jul. 1974 (9th Jul. 1974).

Actg. Sub Lts. (Supplementary List) confirmed Sub. Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

R. HILL. 2nd Jul. 1974 (2nd Oct. 1972).

A. S. ROELICH. 9th Apr. 1974 (9th Oct. 1972).

Actg. Sub Lts. (Supplementary List) to be confirmed Sub Lts. 11th Jul. 1974 with seny. 11th Oct. 1972:

N. J. BAKER, R. C. DENNING, C. S. JACKSON, R. A. ZOERS.

Actg. Sub Lts. (Medical Services) confirmed Sub Lts. 30th Apr. 1974 with seny. 30th Apr. 1973:

C. R. BARKER, P. R. WELLINGS.

ROYAL MARINES

To be Representative Colonel Commandant, Royal Marines, for 1975-76 on date stated:

Major General R. D. HOUGHTON, C.B., O.B.E., M.C. 1st Jan. 1975.

To relinquish appointment of Representative Colonel Commandant, Royal Marines, on date stated:

Major General R. C. deM. LEATHES, C.B., M.V.O., O.B.E. 1st Jan. 1975.

To be Colonel Commandant, Royal Marines, on date stated:

Major General N. H. D. MCGILL, C.B. 1st Jan. 1975.

Maj. (Local Lieutenant Colonel). P. J. A. MONTGOMERY, to relinquish rank of Local Lieutenant Colonel. 14th Jul. 1974.

Capt. J. E. CHATFIELD placed on Retired List. 5th Jul. 1974.

Capt. D. R. B. STORRIE, promoted Loc. Maj. 5th Jul. 1974.

Lts. (Loc. Cpts.) to be promoted Cpts. 15th Jul. 1974:

G. F. SMART, J. J. THOMSON.

Lt. (Loc. Capt.) L. W. HOLMES, relinquished rank of Loc. Capt. 23rd Jun. 1974.

Lt. W. A. ATTWOOD, promoted Capt. 1st Jun. 1974.

Lt. D. M. PARKINSON, promoted Capt. 1st Jul. 1974.

Lt. R. G. J. WORSLEY, promoted Loc. Capt. 28th May 1974.

Lt. (Emerg'y.) J. S. GALBRAITH, Commission on Emergency List terminated. 30th May 1974.

Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. 16th Mar. 1974 with seny. 16th Mar. 1973:

K. ASTON, E. J. BIRCH, J. R. KEOGH, G. W. REES, B. F. STONESTREET, K. N. SHARPE.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards to the undermentioned officers:

Second Clasp to the Royal Naval and Royal Marine Forces Volunteer Reserve Decoration:

Lieutenant Commander W. E. M. deS. DUNN, V.R.D. and Clasp, R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander A. G. FARLEY, V.R.D. and Clasp, R.A.N.V.R.

Clasp to the Royal Naval and Royal Marine Forces Reserve Decoration:

Captain V. K. ARBUCKLE, R.D., R.N.R.

Clasp to the Royal Naval and Royal Marine Forces Volunteer Reserve Decoration:

Commander E. L. EAVIS, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Commander J. L. GALPIN, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Commander T. R. VASEY, V.R.D., R.A.N.R.

Instructor Commander A. P. SEELEY, V.R.D., B.Sc., R.N.R.

Surgeon Commander A. A. COCHRANE, V.R.D., M.B., B.S., R.N.R. (Ret'd.).

Surgeon Commander W. M. FEE, V.R.D., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander F. H. CONNING, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander R. A. DAVIES, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander R. Q. H. JAGGAR, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander I. H. HARDCASTLE, V.R.D., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander A. F. PARRY, V.R.D., R.A.N.R. (Ret'd.).

Lieutenant Commander A. W. TURNER, V.R.D., R.A.N.R.

The Royal Naval and Royal Marine Forces Reserve Decoration:

Commander H. W. LONG, R.N.R.

Surgeon Commander V. PARSONS, R.D., D.M., M.A., B.M., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander D. H. AMBLER, R.N.R.

Lieutenant Commander D. J. BLACKMAN, B.A., R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander F. F. BRUCE, M.A., LL.B.,  
 R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander A. C. W. A. ECCLES, B.A.,  
 LL.B., R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander B. JUDKINS, R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander J. KELLY, R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander R. C. SUNTER, R.N.R.  
 Lieutenant Commander J. R. TALBOT, R.N.R.

The Royal Naval and Royal Marine Forces Volunteer Reserve Decoration:

Lieutenant Commander W. J. COPELAND, R.N.Z.N.V.R.

Capt. R. H. J. KNIGHT, R.D., placed on Retired List. 30th Jun. 1974.

Cdr. (E) G. G. DAVIES, V.R.D., B.Sc., placed on Retired List. 30th Jun. 1974.

Lt. Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:  
 R. L. WILSON, V.R.D. 1st Jun. 1974.  
 K. B. MILLER, V.R.D. and Clasp. 8th Jun. 1974.

Lt. Cdr. (Sp) L. R. GODDARD, V.R.D. and Clasp, placed on Retired List. 1st Jun. 1974.

Lt. Cdr. (Sp.) A. H. POUSTIE, placed on Retired List (Med. unfit). 31st May 1974.

Surgeon Lt. Cdr. R. M. OLIVER, B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.C.H., D.I.H., placed on Retired List. 28th May 1974.

Lts. promoted Lt. Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:  
 G. JOHNSTON. 20th May 1974 (1st May 1974).  
 J. M. McE. CAMPBELL. 14th Jun. 1974 (8th Apr. 1974).

Actg. Lt. J. B. WILSON, promoted Lt. 20th Apr. 1974 with seny. 6th May 1968.

Proby. Sub Lt. S. J. HUNT, promoted Lt. 22nd Apr. 1974 with seny. 22nd Apr. 1974.

Sub Lt. (Sp) P. R. WAGER, promoted Lt. 8th Jun. 1974 with seny. 8th Jun. 1974.

Sub Lt. (S) C. J. HENSON, promoted Lt. 14th Jun. 1974 with seny. 27th May 1974.

#### ROYAL MARINES RESERVE

Apptd. 2nd Lt. 2nd Apr. 1974 with seny. 30th Jan. 1972:

A. D. CHISSEL.

Apptd. Proby. 2nd Lt. 18th May 1974:

J. A. K. MATTERSON.

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

### ARMY DEPARTMENT

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### AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

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## AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

9th July 1974.

### ROYAL AIR FORCE

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

##### *Appointment to Commission (Permanent)*

##### *As Acting Pilot Officers :*

19th May 1974

Gordon James BRUCE (2623762).  
 Stephen Michael WILKIN (5202727).

##### *Promotion*

##### *Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

N. C. EDEN (8020885). 25th Feb. 1974.  
 D. CHINN (2616100). 4th Jul. 1974.

##### *Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

A. P. J. KIRKUP (8021093). 16th Mar. 1974 (*Seniority 16th Sep. 1973*).

##### *Specialist Aircrew*

Flight Lieutenant J. F. SANDYS (508199) is designated Specialist Aircrew. 4th Jul. 1974.

##### *Regrading*

##### *Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

5th Jul. 1974

I. T. ASHCROFT (2622204).  
 A. M. BOUCHARD (8026332).  
 C. S. BRAKEWELL (8026275).  
 H. F. J. EVANS (8026329).  
 P. R. M. FEARN (8026270).  
 C. J. GOWERS (8026349).  
 T. L. HAMMOND (8026334).  
 D. A. LAWRENCE (8026280).  
 I. G. L. MALIN (8026345).  
 C. RAWSTHORNE (8026285).  
 C. R. N. ROBINSON (8026346).  
 J. J. STOCKHAM (8026344).

##### *Transfer between Branches*

Flight Lieutenant R. McCONNELL, B.A. (5200904) to the Provost Branch in the rank of Flying Officer. 6th Mar. 1974 (*Seniority 3rd Nov. 1971*).

Flight Lieutenant S. A. SMITH (4335543) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch. 1st Jul. 1974 in existing rank and seniority.

Flying Officer J. D. P. McKEOWN (8018665) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer. 18th Mar. 1974 (*Seniority 22nd Sep. 1972*).

##### *Retirement*

Air Vice-Marshal H. A. C. BIRD-WILSON, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.

Group Captain D. W. GROCOCK, A.F.C. (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.

Wing Commander J. E. JACOBS, O.B.E., M.B.I.M. (154061) (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.

##### *Squadron Leaders :*

A. MORTON (4168344). 1st Jul. 1974.  
 R. WILSON (2591758). 5th Jul. 1974.

##### *Squadron Leaders (at own request) :*

F. P. J. L. DANCKWARDT (183424). 20th Jun. 1974.  
 J. S. CRANE (4074465). 29th Jun. 1974.

G. MYERS (168491). 2nd Jul. 1974.

Flight Lieutenant K. J. WHITE (1805263). 27th Jun. 1974.

Flight Lieutenant W. HOYER (4068456) (at own request). 14th Jun. 1974.

##### *Commission Resigned*

Squadron Leader A. C. LANGMEAD (607841). 6th Jun. 1974.

Acting Pilot Officer P. R. ASQUITH (8140151). 23rd May 1974.

**Commission Terminated**

*Flying Officers :*

A. J. MONTEFORTE, M.A. (2622372). 15th Jun. 1974.  
A. T. MCMICHAEL, B.Sc. (5201204). 28th Jun. 1974.  
I. D. BRUCE, B.Sc. (5201231). 2nd Jul. 1974.  
Pilot Officer M. CAPPUCITTI (8021293). 29th Jun. 1974.

**GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH**

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

P. W. R. HAINES (4335878). 6th Jul. 1974.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

A. J. FAGG (8022973). 8th Jul. 1974.

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

E. J. HUNT (8031773). 8th Jul. 1974.

**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant L. DAWSON (50440) (at own request). 7th Jun. 1974.

**Commission Terminated**

Pilot Officer J. W. LAYCOCK (5202209). 22nd Jun. 1974.

**PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION BRANCH**

**Retirement**

Squadron Leader D. E. TAYLOR (1603218) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 9th Jul. 1974.  
Flight Lieutenant R. J. BARRETT, B.A. (504164) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 6th Jul. 1974.

**ENGINEER BRANCH**

**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Flying Officer :*

Nicholas John OLLIFF, B.Sc. (5202978). 19th May 1974 (Seniority 19th Aug. 1972).

*As Acting Pilot Officer :*

Philip James KEEBLE (5202726). 19th May 1974.

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

G. E. MOORCROFT (3527771). 16th Apr. 1974.  
M. J. PHILLPOTTS (5201192). 5th Jul. 1974.

**Retirement**

*Squadron Leaders :*

R. E. LOVELACE (568347). 26th Jun. 1974.  
D. B. PSHAKA, B.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (125967). 2nd Jul. 1974.  
E. K. MACKINTOSH, M.A., C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (609073). 5th Jul. 1974.

*Flight Lieutenants (at own request) :*

K. F. IRVINE, A.M.B.I.M. (4014777). 31st May 1974.  
J. T. KINNEAR (579087). 1st Jun. 1974.  
J. J. WESTCOTT (1924133). 5th Jun. 1974.

**SUPPLY BRANCH**

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

M. J. M. SMITH (4233448). 7th Jul. 1974.

**Retirement**

*Wing Commanders (at own request)*

R. G. LONGLEY (198619). 1st Jun. 1974.  
P. B. SHIPP, A.M.B.I.M. (57025). 8th Jun. 1974.  
Squadron Leader K. G. LEE, M.B.E. (180285) (at own request). 4th Jun. 1974.  
Flight Lieutenant P. HAYLER (1922228) 25th Jun. 1974.  
Flight Lieutenant J. W. RANSCOMBE (4000033) (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.

**Commission Resigned**

Flying Officer D. S. POLLARD (609479). 30th May 1974.

**Commission Terminated**

Pilot Officer G. P. GREAVES, B.Sc. (5201353). 25th Jun. 1974.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH**

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

P. P. DONNELLY, M.A. (5201865). 1st Apr. 1974.  
R. E. O'DONNELL, B.Sc. (5202074). 9th Jul. 1974.

**Extension of Service**

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer S. A. WHISKERD (8031616) is extended to 26th Mar. 1979.

**Transfer Between Branches**

Acting Pilot Officer M. J. HUNTING (8023173) to the Photographic Interpretation Branch 7th May 1974 in existing rank and seniority.

**Transfer to the Reserve**

Flying Officer B. I. BENEY (8031649) W.R.A.F. 31st May 1974.

**Change of Type of Commission**

Flight Lieutenant A. L. BLOWERS (5201613) has changed his commission from Short Service to a Permanent Commission. 19th Dec. 1973.

**Retirement**

Wing Commander P. KIRK, D.F.C., A.M.B.I.M. (48727). 5th Jul. 1974.  
Wing Commander E. T. DUCKETT (178647) (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.  
Flight Lieutenant L. SMITH (3079250) (at own request). 31st May 1974.

**Commission Resigned**

Pilot Officer P. NORMANTON, B.Sc. (5202954). 21st May 1974.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT**

**Retirement**

Wing Commander W. M. C. SKINNER, M.B.E. (59949) (at own request). 31st May 1974.

**MEDICAL BRANCH**

**Promotion**

*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :*

B. J. LISHER, M.B., B.S., D.Av.Med. (508130). 5th Jun. 1974.  
P. T. COLLIER, M.B., B.S. (508073). 3rd Jul. 1974.  
P. L. HICKEY, M.B., B.S. (507997). 7th Jul. 1974.

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

A. C. PILLING, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (5200997). 23rd Jan. 1974.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

M. J. ROSSER, M.B., B.S. (5201596). 24th May 1974.

**Transfer to the Reserve**

Squadron Leader G. R. NEWSON-SMITH, M.B., B.S., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (507937). 1st Jul. 1974.

**EDUCATION BRANCH**

**Promotion**

*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :*

J. D. JACKSON (4232310). 3rd Jul. 1974.

**Retirement**

*Squadron Leaders :*

4th Jul. 1974  
R. E. COOPER, B.E.M. (584744).  
J. L. STONE (578707).

**PROVOST BRANCH**

**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant J. ARCHIBALD (202303) (at own request). 1st Jun. 1974.

## CATERING BRANCH

*Restoration of Seniority**Notification Amended*

*London Gazette* dated 18th Jun. 1974 concerning Flying Officer C. R. HOWSAM (5201190) amend effective date to read 28th Apr. 1974.

*Retirement*

Flight Lieutenant P. C. KING (140483). 25th Jun. 1974.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE  
NURSING SERVICE*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)*

*As Flying Officers (Four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):*

26th May 1974

Ruth WILSON, S.R.N. (408809). (*Seniority 27th Sep. 1970*).

Margaret Mary BENNETT, S.R.N. (408804). (*Seniority 13th May 1971*).

Christine Margaret MCQUISTIN, R.G.N., S.C.M. (408808). (*Seniority 16th Mar. 1972*).

Susan Mary DENNIS, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408805). (*Seniority 21st Mar. 1972*).

Seonaid CRABTREE, S.R.N. (2847387). (*Seniority 10th Dec. 1972*).

Catharine Lilian KIDMAN, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. (408807). (*Seniority 7th Aug. 1973*).

*As Flying Officer (Three years on the Active List and five years on the Reserve):*

Enid Frances HESTER, S.R.N. (408806). 26th May 1974. (*Seniority 18th Aug. 1972*).

*As Flying Officer (Two years on the Active List and six years on the Reserve):*

Sylvia Joan WILSON, S.R.N. (408810). 26th May 1974 (*Seniority 19th Aug. 1973*).

*Promotion**Notification Cancelled*

*London Gazette* dated 25th Jun. 1974 concerning Flying Officer Y. R. DANIEL, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. (408695).

*Extension of Service*

*The period of service on the Active List of the under-mentioned Flight Officers is extended to the dates shown:*

S. F. GUILLOU, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408769). 6th Oct. 1976.

A. E. MUIR, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408674). 8th Jul. 1975.

*Notification Amended*

*London Gazette* dated 18th Jun. 1974 concerning Flight Officer S. A. CARTWRIGHT, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408113) amend date to read 2nd Aug. 1975.

*Change of Type of Commission*

*The undermentioned Flight Officers have changed their commissions from Short Service to Permanent Commissions:*

S. W. DAWB, S.R.N. (408383). 27th Nov. 1973.

M. L. PIRIE, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408460). 2nd Jan. 1974.

V. J. EDWARDS, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408361). 9th Jan. 1974.

*Transfer to the Reserve*

Flight Officer R. L. SAVILL, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. (408582). 8th Jun. 1974.

*Commission Relinquished**Flying Officers:*

P. A. CHAVE, S.R.N. (408782). 17th May 1974.

K. C. NICOL, R.G.N., S.C.M. (408729). 1st Jun. 1974.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

## MEDICAL BRANCH

*Commission Relinquished*

Flight Lieutenant A. T. FOXTON, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (507597), retaining his rank 6th Jul. 1974.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

## (Reconstituted Section)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Extension of Service*

Acting Pilot Officer N. TALBOT (2622237) has been granted an extension of service to 6th Jul. 1975.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

## (TRAINING BRANCH)

*Appointment to Commission**As Flying Officers (Four Years):*

Michael DENNEHY, B.A. (2533435). 9th Jan. 1974.

Stuart Procter UNWIN, M.A. (5011267). 22nd Mar. 1974.

John Robert HUNTINGTON, A.F.C., D.F.M. (1685829). 30th Apr. 1974.

*As Pilot Officers (Four Years):*

Malcolm Maclean FRY, B.Sc. (2615972). 26th Feb. 1974.

Christopher PEDDER, M.A. (209269). 22nd Mar. 1974.

Gilbert William WILKINSON (209267). 10th Apr. 1974.

*Extension of Service*

*The undermentioned Flying Officers have been granted an extension of service to the dates stated:*

6th Jul. 1978

P. J. GIFFORD (1922503).

A. G. GILL (1133348).

R. H. HARDEN, D.Phys.Ed. (2778517). 8th Jul. 1978.

M. D. HARRISON (3143261). 3rd Jul. 1978.

J. O. R. HENDERSON (206859). 20th Jul. 1978.

B. G. HOVELL (207107). 6th Jul. 1978.

F. W. HULME (1622707). 4th Jul. 1978.

G. R. B. JONES, B.A. (199721). 4th May 1978.

A. C. McLAUCHLAN (4165476). 7th Jul. 1978.

*Commission Resigned**Flying Officers (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant):*

C. A. WILLIS (2461992). 20th Apr. 1974.

B. O. ROSE (206670). 11th May 1974.

R. DAVIES (2597624). 15th May 1974.

*Flying Officers:*

N. FLETCHER, M.A. (124483). 2nd Apr. 1974.

C. R. GILBERT, A.R.C.M. (208600). 2nd Apr. 1974.

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