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COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY

Maj.-Gen. H. S. R. WATSON, C.B.E. (255211), late R.A.C. relinquishes the appointment of Senior Army Member (Directing Staff), Royal College of Defence Studies, 22nd Dec. 1976.

Maj.-Gen. J. G. R. ALLEN, C.B. (245305) late R.A.C. is appointed Senior Army Member (Directing Staff), Royal College of Defence Studies, 22nd Dec. 1976.

Col. G. BESWICK (414155) late R.E.M.E. retires on retired pay, 28th Dec. 1976.

Lt.-Col. I. A. R. WATSON, M.B., B.S., D.T.M.&H. (433525) from R.A.M.C. to be Col., 24th Dec. 1976.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

2nd Lt. (on probation) W. J. STOCKDALE (498042) 4 R.T.R. is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 15th Mar. 1974, with seniority 15th Mar. 1972. To be Lt., 6th Jul. 1976, with seniority 15th Mar. 1974.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. (Staff Q.M.) A. G. MANLEY (472687) retires on retired pay, 24th Dec. 1976.

Maj. (Q.M.) G. PARTON (477583) to be Lt.-Col. (Q.M.) 24th Dec. 1976.

Maj. (Q.M.) E. W. P. SMITH, M.B.E. (476194) to be Maj. (Staff Q.M.), 24th Dec. 1976.

Special Reg. Commn.

Peter Irving ROSE (484938) (formerly Reg. Army R.A.) to be 2nd Lt., 21st Nov. 1976, with seniority 5th Nov. 1968. To be Lt., 21st Nov. 1976, with seniority 5th Nov. 1970. To be Capt., 21st Nov. 1976, with seniority 5th May 1975.

Short Serv. Commns.

Stephen Edward JOHN (502896) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Candidate), 3rd Oct. 1976.

Mark Malise NICHOLSON (502905) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Candidate), 3rd Oct. 1976.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. J. B. PATRICK (486794) relinquishes his commn., 14th Dec. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Lt. John O'GARRA (492749) from Res. of Offrs., Class II to be Lt., 3rd Aug. 1976, with seniority 25th Nov. 1974.

2nd Lt. N. C. NORRINGTON (499404) to be Lt., 11th Dec. 1976.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. R. M. HUTTON, M.B.E. (364705) retires on retired pay, 22nd Dec. 1976.

Capt. B. A. F. RANDEL (461488) retires on retired pay, 24th Dec. 1976 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. (Q.M.) P. F. W. JACKSON, M.B.E. (486981) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 28th Dec. 1976.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (T.O.T.) G. L. P. HUDSON (484463) to be Maj. (T.O.T.), 23rd Dec. 1976.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II

Lt. (Q.M.) J. R. TOLL (499825) from T.A.V.R., Group A to be Lt. (Q.M.), 29th Oct. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Lt.-Col. (Tfc. Offr.) M. E. WILLIAMS, T.D. (465026) retires, 1st Dec. 1976.

Group B
Capt. William Robertson DUNIGAN (482227) (Res. of Offs., Class I) to be Capt. (Admin. Offr. Conrate) 15th Nov. 1976.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. J. M. TURNER-BRIDGER (489934) COLDM. GDS. to be Capt., 30th Dec. 1976.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. P. W. THORNTON (496120) K.O.S.B. resigns his commn., 11th Dec. 1976.

QUEEN'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III
Capt. A. F. STREEK, T.D. (383439) from T.A.V.R., Group A to be Capt., 31st Oct. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Capt. R. G. PARSONS (471322) 7 R. ANGLIAN resigns his commn., 31st Oct. 1976.

KING'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. (Q.M.) H. WORTHINGTON (472069) R. Irish retires on retired pay, 28th Dec. 1976.

PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commn.
Capt. M. J. OWEN (490930) GLOSTERS resigns his commn., 20th Dec. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Capt. (Acting Maj.) M. E. BROWNE, T.D. (468548) 3 W.F.R. to be Maj., 6th Dec. 1976, with seniority 13th Dec. 1971.
Lt. W. A. MARTIN (491074) 3 R.R.W. from T.A.V.R., Group A, 3 R.W.F. to be Lt., 22nd Oct. 1976, with seniority 10th May 1974.
24366957 O/Cdt. Brian James WRIGHT (503076) 1 MERCIAN to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 20th Jun. 1976.

LIGHT DIVISION

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Lt. (Q.M.) T. A. MATTHEWS (501133) 5 L.I. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 25th Dec. 1976.

PARACHUTE REGIMENT

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class II
Capt. P. M. F. ALLEN (477483) 4 PARA. from T.A.V.R., Group A to be Capt., 1st Sep. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Capt. J. G. STANCOMBE (496211) 4 PARA. is granted the acting rank of Maj., 1st Nov. 1976.
Lt. E. McCOLL, B.E.M. (499260) 15 PARA. to be Capt., 9th Oct. 1976.
Capt. (Q.M.) P. KELLY (486854) 15 PARA. to be Maj. (Q.M.), 1st Nov. 1976.

BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.G.O.) TIKARAJ RAI (486309) GURKHA ENGRS. retires on retired pay, 28th Dec. 1976.
W.O. I THAMAN GURUNG (21140972) 6 G.R. is granted the hon. rank of Lt. (Q.G.O.), 11th Nov. 1976.

ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. David Ian BROMHAM (496289) from Special Reg. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 4th Aug. 1976, with seniority 30th Jun. 1973. To be Lt., 4th Aug. 1976, with seniority 30th Jun. 1975.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Maj. Roger Anthony BAGNALL (439938) (Res. of Offrs., Class I) to be Maj., 1st Nov. 1976, with seniority 20th Feb. 1969.
Capt. R. G. BARRON, T.D. (480834) to be Maj., 1st Nov. 1976.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.

Admin. Section.
W.O. I Frank ROSE (502602) to be 2nd Lt., 11th Oct. 1976, with seniority 11th Apr. 1972. To be Lt., 11th Oct. 1976, with seniority 11th Apr. 1974.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. William Patrick MASTERSON (497850) from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (O.E.O.), 24th Dec. 1976.
Maj. (O.E.O.) D. B. HERDMAN-GRANT (481965) retires on retired pay, 24th Dec. 1976.

CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Lt. M. D. HEPPLE (494796) reverts from Short Serv. Voluntary Commn. to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1976, with seniority 25th Mar. 1975.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. H. C. SMITH, M.C. (174897) retires on retired pay, 22nd Dec. 1976.

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.
Alan John CARDY (502849) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (University Candidate), 29th Sep. 1976.

ROYAL ARMY DENTAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Short Serv. Commn.
Capt. I. G. RICHMOND, B.D.S. (489635) from Active List to be Capt., 24th Dec. 1976.

INTELLIGENCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commn.
Capt. N. F. WILLIAMS (489831) retires on retired pay 28th Dec. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A
Lt. J. RUTHERFORD (495760) to be Capt., 27th Oct. 1976.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Sally Ann WEBBER (503034) to be Lt., 6th Oct. 1976, with seniority 19th Jan. 1972. To be Capt., 6th Oct. 1976, with seniority 13th Jun. 1976.

Ann CLOUSTON (503177) to be Lt., 3rd Nov. 1976, with seniority 3rd Jan. 1973.

Elizabeth Carol ACKAH (503182) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 30th Oct. 1976.

WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. E. D. ELLIOTT (491219) to be Capt., 23rd Dec. 1976.

Lt. G. TRAVERS (490696) retires on account of disability, 23rd Dec. 1976.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. B. A. MITCHESON (491220) to be Capt., 23rd Dec. 1976.

2nd Lt. L. M. KERLEY (501109) to be Lt., 26th Dec. 1976.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. E. M. LINDSAY (490411) to be Maj., 1st Nov. 1976.

ROYAL MONMOUTHSHIRE ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA)

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Capt. H. D. B. WILLIAMS, T.D. (465702) to be Maj., 15th Oct. 1976.

OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt.-Col. George James ELTRINGHAM, O.B.E., T.D. (138267) relinquishes the appointment of Honorary Colonel, East Midlands Universities Officers Training Corps, T.A.V.R., 26th Nov. 1976, tenure ends.

ULSTER DEFENCE REGIMENT

W.O. II 24275697 Robert Hugh MARTIN (503252) to be Capt., 20th Oct. 1976. (OPS Officer Concrate.)

William James NETHERCOTT (503253) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 24th Oct. 1976.

GENERAL LIST

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Section B

Lt.-Col. F. G. STEWART, T.D. (449276) on completion of the tenure of his appointment retires, 1st Sep. 1976.

24286175 O/Cdt. John Bernard HURST (503214) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 20th Oct. 1976.

The undermentioned O/Cdts. to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 5th Nov. 1976:

24318729 Ian Dawson JEFFERSON (503211).
24318763 Philip REES (503210).
24272877 Roger Barrie SMITH (503209).
24318942 Gordon Joseph TREGASKIS (503212).
24262728 Phillip WYCHE (503213).

COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Glasgow Academy Contgt.

Charles MYLNE (503244) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 17th Nov. 1976.

Ian WRIGHT (503243) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 17th Nov. 1976.

ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Antrim & City of Belfast

Lt. J. G. SMYTH (483381) resigns his commn., 7th Oct. 1976 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Bedfordshire

Lt. D. M. HOPE (495880) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

Lt. B. F. HUME (487805) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 17th Nov. 1976:

Brian Joseph DUFF (503249).
Michael David HUNT (503248).
William David LLOYD (503247).
Stanley Victor McGRATH (503246).
John Lawrence James O'DONNELL (503245).

Borders Bn.

John Davis DEAMER (503251) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 4th Feb. 1976.

Glasgow, City of

Lt. E. O'D. McD. MURPHY (486841) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

Greater Manchester

Lt. W. A. PICKERING, M.M. (404242) resigns his commn., 4th Oct. 1976 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

2nd Lt. (on probation) R. CARLING (497330) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Jan. 1974. To be Lt., 24th Oct. 1976, with seniority 28th Dec. 1975.

Merseyside

2nd Lt. (on probation) R. W. BEVAN (498499) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 15th Jul. 1974. To be Lt., 31st Oct. 1976, with seniority 19th Oct. 1975.

Norfolk

Lt. C. L. CARTER, T.D. (212491) on completion of the tenure of his appointment relinquishes his commn. and is restored to the rank of Lt.-Col., 2nd Nov. 1976.

Lt. W. NELSON (454950) on completion of the tenure of his appointment relinquishes his commn., 14th Nov. 1976, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Shropshire

Lt. G. H. DUNNING (490452) resigns his commn., 18th Oct. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) P. H. HORDLEY (498462) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 25th Jun. 1974. To be Lt., 20th Sep. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. A. C. SHAW (464822) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 10th Nov. 1975, with seniority 9th Mar. 1973. To be Lt., 31st Oct. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) M. S. WATSON (501327) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Dec. 1975. To be Lt., 23rd Dec. 1976, with seniority 23rd Dec. 1975.

24364384 W.O. II Ronald COOKSON (503250) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 26th Oct. 1976.

Somerset

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. TEASDALE (499459) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

Staffordshire & West Midland (N. Sector)

Lt. I. R. McNEILL (487204) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

Lt. M. G. SHAW (487208) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1976.

Strathtay Bn.

Lt. W. W. D. BROCK (486043) resigns his commn., 1st Oct. 1976.

Wiltshire

2nd Lt. (on probation) N. F. GORDON (497083) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 9th Nov. 1973. To be Lt., 11th Oct. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) W. E. G. WILD (499429) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Jan. 1975. To be Lt., 24th Oct. 1976, with seniority 8th Jan. 1975.

Yorkshire

Lt. D. GREENWOOD (474335) resigns his commn., 1st Apr. 1976 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Lt. R. C. JOHNSON (490820) resigns his commn., 1st Oct. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. C. MITCHINSON (498573) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 7th Aug. 1974. To be Lt., 3rd Oct. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) G. I. MACKENZIE (499149) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Nov. 1974. To be Lt., 8th Nov. 1976 with seniority 8th May 1975.

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. WILKINSON (499355) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 20th Dec. 1974. To be Lt., 20th Dec. 1976, with seniority 5th Jan. 1976.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

28th December 1976.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

24th Dec. 1976

S. R. FOSTER (8025717).
R. A. LEVER (8025693).
P. T. McDONALD (208581).
M. W. ROBINSON (8025653).
C. M. ROWLEY (8025646).
B. C. SCOTT (8025682).

Specialist Aircrew

Flight Lieutenants designed Specialist Aircrew :

L. A. COOPER, B.Sc. (2620497), 16th Dec. 1976.
W. I. C. WIGMORE (607940), 18th Dec. 1976.
I. G. M. STEWART (585454), 19th Dec. 1976.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :

25th Dec. 1976

P. M. PORT (5203339).
T. J. WRATTEN (5203340).

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant K. F. DAWSON (4232580), 8th Dec. 1976.

Retirement

Air Commodore D. C. H. SIMMONS, C.B.E., A.F.C., M.A., M.B.I.M, 11th Dec. 1976.

Group Captain M. J. HARDY (at own request), 26th Nov. 1976.

Wing Commander J. T. LILLEYSTONE, A.M.B.I.M. (128644), 25th Dec. 1976.

Squadron Leaders :

P. P. CRAMPTON (654325), 21st Dec. 1976.
S. K. KNOTT (1430853), 25th Dec. 1976.

Flight Lieutenants :

7th Dec. 1976

I. S. GRAHAM (4233331).
K. A. HARRISON, B.Sc. (2617406).

D. W. GREEN (5091539), 22nd Dec. 1976.

Commission Resigned

Squadron Leader J. S. HINDLE, A.F.C. (58255) (Ret'd.), 1st Nov. 1976.

Flight Lieutenant D. W. McCREADY, B.A. (5201379), 10th Nov. 1976.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :

24th Dec. 1976

M. R. BOOTH (8023319).
J. CLARK (8023329).
A. LEE (8023313).
R. P. PINCHIN (8023315).
P. ROBERTS (8023323).
M. J. WILLIAMS (8023318).

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant D. G. EVERSON, D.F.M. (51287), 13th Dec. 1976.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant A. C. SCOTT, B.Sc. (5201954), 15th Dec. 1976.

Retirement

Squadron Leaders :

N. A. GRIFFITHS (572119), 3rd Dec. 1976.
R. G. A. JONES, C.Eng., M.R.Ae.S. (571284), 12th Dec. 1976.
D. PERRY (54478), 14th Dec. 1976.
F. J. GOW (571231), 17th Dec. 1976.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Retirement

Air Commodore M. G. ALLOTT, C.B., M.B.I.M., W.R.A.F., 28th Dec. 1976.

Flight Lieutenant D. O. TOPHAM (4248983), 15th Dec. 1976.

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

B. WITHINGTON, B.Sc. (5203022), 22nd Dec. 1976.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :

24th Dec. 1976

M. R. BIGGS (8031963), W.R.A.F.
C. A. M. CLAYTON (8023320).
B. J. HUBBARD (8031966), W.R.A.F.
E. MOYLES (8031965), W.R.A.F.
M. STRACHAN (8031872), W.R.A.F.
G. T. THORNE (8023330).
S. THORPE (8031977), W.R.A.F.
J. C. WHITTAKER (8031970), W.R.A.F.
L. T. WILLSON (8031969), W.R.A.F.

Retirement

Air Commodore H. H. PICKARD, M.B.E., B.Sc., 18th Dec. 1976.

Wing Commander C. HARRIES, B.Sc. (122953), 13th Dec. 1976.

Squadron Leader L. J. MADDERS, M.B.E., D.F.C., A.M.B.I.M. (149931), 20th Dec. 1976.

SECURITY BRANCH

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant J. E. BUCHAN, D.F.M. (53436), 25th Dec. 1976.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

M. J. H. MILLER, M.B., B.S. (5202675), 16th Nov. 1976.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(MEDICAL SECTION)

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

M. N. JAMES (4072862), 28th Dec. 1976.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH

Retirement

The Reverend R. W. POIL, A.K.C. (3133728), 10th Dec. 1976.

Commission Relinquished

The Reverend H. B. TASKER (3527858), 26th Nov. 1976.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flying Officers:

P. J. BETTS, B.Sc. (5201406) retaining rank of Flight Lieutenant, 24th May 1976.

P. J. HOOPER (8031472) W.R.A.F.R.O. retaining her rank, 27th Jul. 1975.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Wing Commander H. R. KERR, O.B.E. (136728), 1st Nov. 1976.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(TRAINING BRANCH)

Appointment to Commission

As Flying Officer (Four years):

Patrick Francis STEVENS (8026367), 12th Oct. 1976.

Extension of Service

Flying Officer J. W. D. WEIR (3142608) is granted an extension of service until 21st Dec. 1980.

Commission Relinquished

Flying Officer R. S. PRESTON (175551) retaining rank of Flight Lieutenant, 22nd Dec. 1976.

Commission Resigned

Flying Officers:

R. L. BROWN (208833), 9th Sep. 1976.

B. GOULDEN (208460), 1st Nov. 1976.

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