R.N.R.

Eng. Lieut. William J. Dibb, R.D., placed on Retired List at own request, with rank of Eng. Lieut.-Comdr. 4th July 1921. Sub-Lieut. (retd.) William F. Boaden to be Lieut. (retd.). 15th Aug. 1918.

Admiralty, 8th July, 1921.

Lieut.-Cdr. (retd.) Arthur S. M. Nicholls, O.B.E., R.D., to be Commander (retd.). 6th July 1921.

Air Ministry,

12th July, 1921.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Group Capt. Edgar Rainey Ludlow-Hewitt, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.C., has been appointed Air Aide-de-Camp to the King. 1st July 1921.

PROMOTIONS.

The second christian name of Flt. Lt. Paul Ward Spencer Bulman, M.C., A.F.C., is as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 1st July 1921.

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS.

Flt. Lt. Ronald Scott Sugden, A.F.C., is restored to the active list from half-pay. 6th July 1921.

SHORT SERVICE COMMISSIONS.

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions, in the ranks stated, with effect from, and with seniority of, the dates indicated, except where otherwise stated:-

Flying Officers, from Flight Lts.
Rene John Max De St. Leger. 1st July 1921...

Francis Henry Ernest REEVE. 4th July 1921.

Lawrence Hay Thomson SLOAN, A.F.C. 29th June 1921.

Flying Officers.

William Frost DAVENPORT. 4th July

Cecil Beck Dove. 2nd July 1921.

Robert Ritchie Greenlaw. 28th June

Charles Frederic Pridden Haslegrave. 1st July 1921.

Ronald Thomas Shepherd. 4th July 1921.

Alan Thomas Kingston Shipwright. 4th July 1921.

Flying Officers, from Pilot Officers.
Frederick James Brunton. 30th June

Richard Sheridan MAITLAND-EDWARDS. 5th July 1921.

Pilot Officers on probation.

*Philip Walter Adams.

*Edward Barker Addison.

*Ian Patrick Anderson. Edward John Dashwood.

28th June 1921.

Arthur Douglas DRYSDALE. Alfred Meyrick GLOVER. *Arthur Leslie Harris. Geoffrey Paulet French HILLS. *Edward Charles Norman JEFFRIES. *Leo George Alexander Kirchner. Roger Pierre Mollard. Gerald Clifton SCLATER. James Arthur Radford Stevenson. *Frank Kenneth WRIGHT.

4th July 1921. Stanley Frederick Coles. *Stanley Herbert Cooper. Charles Douglas. Brendan John O'CONNOR HANSTOCK. Frank Harley STUART-MURRAY.

Note.—The above-named Flight Lts., who are granted short service commissions as Flying Officers, will be placed at the head of the list of Flying Officers, but junior to all officers similarly reduced in rank on the grant of permanent or short service commissions.

* Signifies previously served in R.A.F.

Flying Officer Gordon Fox-Rule, D.F.C., relinquishes his commission on account of illhealth contracted in the Service, and is granted the rank of Capt. 29th June 1921.

The commission of Pilot Officer on probation Cecil Gordon Dromgole is terminated on cessation of duty. 5th July 1921.

SECONDING:

Lt. Horace Aldridge (East Surrey Regt.) is granted a temporary commission as a Flying Officer on seconding for 4 years' duty with the R.A.F., with effect from, and with seniority of, 30th June 1921.

FLYING BRANCH.

The undermentioned relinquish their temporary commissions on appointment to T.F.:

Lt. Roland Henry Johnson (unemployed

2nd Lt. Gourley Todd (unemployed list).

2nd Lt. William Kenneth Dunmore (unemployed list) relinquishes his temporary commission on joining the Army.
Flying Officer Hugh Brownescombe

Hammond, M.C., relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Army duty. 23rd June 1921.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Lt. James Thomas Gibson is placed on the retired list. 13th July 1921.

NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Staff Nurses to be Sisters:

Miss Evelyn Rose James. 15th June

Miss Margaret Watt Walker. 4th July 1921..

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Cadets are granted honorary commissions as 2nd Lts., with effect from the dates of their demobilisation:

178669 George Samuel Baker. 70049 James Alfred Cotter. 175415 Albert Victor Stagg.