

4th Bn. Gordons.—Lt. T. Fotheringham resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 26th May 1926.

ROYAL TANK CORPS.

25th (North'n) Armd. Car Co.—Capt. J. M. G. Murland, M.C., from Active List, to be Capt. 26th May 1926.

*Commission signed by the Right Honourable Anthony Earl of Shaftesbury, K.P., G.C.V.O., C.B.E., Lord Lieutenant for the County of Dorset.*

Major The Right Honourable Edward Kenelm Baron Digby, D.S.O., M.C., to be a Deputy Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

(153) Dated 10th May, 1926.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.*

Major John Oxley Parker, T.D.  
Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Usher Bradbridge to be Deputy Lieutenants.

(092) Dated 15th May, 1926.

*Air Ministry,  
25th May, 1926.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Pilot Officer Arthur John THOMPSON is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 8th Mar. 1926.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in rank:—

28th March 1926.

Philip Reginald BARWELL.  
James Leslie CHADWICK.  
Frederick George DOWNING.  
Percy Geoffrey Spear GARDINER.  
Charles Henry JONES.  
Geoffrey William TUTTLE.  
William Lawson WHITLOCK.

30th March 1926.

Hugh Forbes GOWER.

10th Apr. 1926.

Maxwell Harvey FRAME.

Group Capt. Philip Bennet JOUBERT DE LA FERTE, C.M.G., D.S.O., is restored to full pay from half-pay. 18th May 1926.

Wing Commander Percival Scott RICKCORD (Comdr., R.N., retd.), remains on loan to the R.A.F. for a further year. 1st Mar. 1926.

Squadron Leader Frederick Esk SANDFORD, A.F.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 15th May 1926.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred to the Reserve, Class A:—

William Frederick SHAYLOR. 23rd May 1926.

Anthony White Wood. 26th May 1926.

Pilot Officer on probation Arnold Ayscough RADCLYFFE resigns his short service commission. 21st Apr. 1926.

The short service commission of Pilot Officer on probation Frank Sisson is terminated on cessation of duty. 26th May 1926.

Flying Officer Edward Fickus COLAM (Lt., Middx. Regt.), relinquishes his temporary commission on resigning his commission in the Army. 22nd May 1926.

Pilot Officer Richard Rudyard TURNER is dismissed the service by sentence of General Court Martial. 4th May 1926.

STORES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Henry Owen FELLOWES is granted a permanent commission in this rank with effect from 10th Aug. 1925, on completion of probationary service.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lt. 19th May 1926:—

Alexander DICKSON, M.B.

Richard Tukino Fairfax GRACE, M.B.

Flying Officer Harris Moses LEVY resigns his short service commission. 26th May 1926.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

Observer Officer Alfred Charles WALKER is transferred from Class B to Class C. 25th May 1926.

The undermentioned Flying Officers relinquish their commissions on completion of service:—

Francis William KNOX. 8th May 1926.

Jesse Talbot RYMER. 22nd May 1926.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 22ND MAY, 1926.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE DECLARATION OF INFECTED AREAS ORDER OF 1926 (No. 72).

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1925, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

*Declaration of Further Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area.*

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area for the purposes of the Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) Order of 1925. The Foot-and-Mouth Disease Declaration of Infected Areas Order of 1926 (No. 55) shall be read and have effect as if the area described in the Schedule hereto were included as Area No. 10 in the First Schedule to that Order,