

Frank Henry Bowater, Colonel John Stollery, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, upon whom has been conferred the Volunteer Officers' Decoration, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Charles John Owens, Knight, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Sir Francis Henry Dent, Knight, Commander of Our Royal Victorian Order, Sir Herbert Ashcombe Walker, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Colonel Evelyn Fitzgerald Michell Wood, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel Jacynth D'Ewes FitzEarcald Coke, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Commander of Our Royal Victorian Order, Major William Henry Champness, Joseph Gros Colmer, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant Joseph Arthur Rank, Colonel Sir Sidney Wishart, Knight, upon whom has been conferred the Volunteer Officers' Decoration, Sir Osborne George Holmden, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire; Our right trusty and well-beloved John Henry, Lord Bethell, our trusty and well-beloved Charles Irving De Rougemont, Esquire, Sir Curtis George Ashdown, Sir Stanley Machin, Knights, Edward Robert Peacock, Esquire, Colonel Francis William Pixley, upon whom has been conferred the Volunteer Officers' Decoration, Major Walter Henry Wellsman, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Major Henry Edmund Mathews, Officer of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Sir William Plender, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Harold Mead Moore, Esquire, Member of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, on whom We have conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross, Lieutenant-Colonel Cyprian Charles Oswald Whiteley, Officer of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Vice-Admiral Henry Blackett, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Colonel Philip Carlebach, Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Leopold Albert Harward, Esquire; Our right trusty and well-beloved Cousin, Captain Walter Horace Viscount Bearsted, on whom We have conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross; Our trusty and well-beloved Hamer Forest Stanley Pryke, Esquire, Colonel Frank Dormay Watney, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Sir Henry Herbert Hambling, Baronet, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Ronald Dockray Waterhouse, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of Our Royal Victorian Order, Colonel Arthur Maxwell, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint

George, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, upon whom has been conferred the Territorial Decoration, Lieutenant-Colonel Roy Francis Truscott, Officer of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, and Herbert Roper Barrett, Esquire, Greeting:

*Air Ministry,*

11th June, 1929.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

Thomas Jerrard DAVIDSON. 2nd Oct. 1928.

Patrick George Joseph ATKINSON. 22nd Feb. 1929.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer:—

19th Sept. 1928.

Anthony George Carl SOMERHOUGH.

1st Jan. 1929.

Raymond William Pennington COLLINGS.

Thomas Jerrard DAVIDSON.

18th Jan. 1929.

John Robert MATHEWS.

10th Mar. 1929.

Reginald Stradling COLLINS.

Percy KINSEY.

John Francis Xavier MCKENNA.

Ernest Mortimer THOMAS.

9th Apr. 1929.

Francis Tresillian King BULLMORE (2nd Lt., R.A., T.A.).

George FACHIRI.

James Archibald GREENSHIELDS.

Vere Stainer Wallace SMYTH.

1st May, 1929.

John Edmond Montague BAINBRIDGE.

The undermentioned Flying Officers relinquish their short service commissions on account of ill-health:—

Howell Vernon DAVID. 7th June 1929.

William Miles PHILLIPS. 10th June 1929.

STORES BRANCH.

Flight Lt. Reginald Vivian ROBINSON, O.B.E., is transferred to the Reserve, Class C. 22nd Apr. 1929. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 26th Apr. 1929.)

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted permanent commissions as Pilot Officers on probation with effect from and with seniority of 3rd June 1929:—

Herbert Delabere NICHOLSON.

Charles Eric HUNTER.

Frederick William JUDGE.

George Eric SHIRLEY.

Eric Arthur BIDDLE.

Charles Frederick George ROGERS.

Kenneth FRASER.