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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

**NAVY DEPARTMENT**

Whitehall, London S.W.1.  
10th February 1970.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Air Force Cross for gallantry to the undermentioned:

**AIR FORCE CROSS**

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (NAVY DEPARTMENT)

Lieutenant-Commander Peter Charles MARSHALL,  
Royal Navy.

On 3rd December 1969, Lieutenant-Commander Marshall, in a Phantom aircraft operating from R.N. Air Station, Yeovilton, was engaged in air interception exercises over the sea north of Land's End.

At 18,000 feet a heavy blow struck the aircraft, immediately followed by severe vibration. The windscreen became opaque with a thick covering of hydraulic fluid and both engines appeared to have flamed out as their respective r.p.m. ran rapidly down.

Instinctively, Marshall thought that he had suffered a mid-air collision and prepared for immediate ejection. Relying on his experience, however, he decided to remain with the aircraft for a little while longer in an attempt to take stock of the situation. He found that the aircraft was still controllable although he was experiencing severe airframe buffeting.

The starboard engine was badly damaged by pieces of metal passing through it and debris had badly damaged the starboard intakes, punctured the wing leading edge flaps and ripped the fuselage skin.

Assessing the situation and assisted by another aircraft which joined him in the air, Marshall decided to attempt a return to Yeovilton, 130 miles away.

On the final approach to a landing extreme difficulty was experienced. Forward vision, due to the hydraulic fluid which still obscured his windscreen, was practically nil, while pronounced yaw and severe airframe buffet threatened to throw the aircraft out of control.

By his cool thinking and personal courage, Lieutenant-Commander Marshall brought his aircraft and observer safely back to base.

He took this decision in the full realisation of the great value to be gained from bringing the aircraft back for technical investigation. To have escaped by ejection and left the aircraft to crash would in this case have been the easier course.

At the risk of his life, he saved a valuable aircraft and also weeks of speculative investigation with the consequent disruption to all Phantom aircraft flying.

**ROYAL NAVY**

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure Surgeon Captain P. B. NICOL, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., D.I.H., M.C.Path., R.N., has been appointed an Honorary Physician to The QUEEN from 1st February 1970, in succession to Surgeon Captain F. B. ELLIS, O.B.E., R.N.

Surgn. Capt. P. J. O'MEARA, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H., to be placed on Retired List. 11th Feb. 1970.

Grant of 4-year Short Service Commission to the Reverend M. W. BUCKS, B.D., A.K.C., as Chapl'n on 18th Nov. 1969, with seny. 18th Nov. 1969, confirmed on completion of training. 9th Feb. 1970.

Cdr. J. R. H. McILWRAITH, to be placed on Retired List (own request). 14th Feb. 1970.

Lt. Cdrs. to be placed on Retired List (own request) on dates stated:

E. COPE. 14th Feb. 1970.

W. A. T. AVES. 21st Feb. 1970.

Lt. Cdr. (SD) F. RODGERS, to be placed on Retired List. 17th Feb. 1970.

Lts. promoted Lt. Cdrs. with seny. 1st Feb. 1970:

M. C. GORDON-LENNOX, R. P. JONES, O. M. WINDLE, C. S. STAFFORD, W. D. S. KAY-SMITH.

Lt. C. M. BARRETT, to be promoted Lt. Cdr. with seny. 16th Feb. 1970.

Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

J. E. V. MADGWICK. 11th Dec. 1969 (1st Nov. 1969).

R. J. TALBOT. 8th Jan. 1970 (16th Aug. 1969).

Lt. (SD) K. J. COOKSLEY, to be placed on Retired List. 16th Feb. 1970.

Lt. (SD) P. J. FORD, placed on Retired List (own request). 7th Feb. 1970.

Lt. (SL) A. E. S. ATKINSON, to be placed on Emerg'y List on completion of Short Service Commission for period of 4 years. 12th Feb. 1970.

Engr. Lt. (SD) S. D. HENLEY, placed on Retired List. 5th Feb. 1970.

Engr. Lt. (SD) L. V. ROWE, to be placed on Retired List. 13th Feb. 1970.

Engr. Lt. (SD) H. MIDDLETON, placed on Retired List (own request). 7th Feb. 1970.

Sub Lt. E. W. ELWELL-SUTTON promoted Lt. 1st Nov. 1969 with seny. 1st Nov. 1969.

Actg. Sub Lts. confirmed Sub Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

H. S. CLARK, C. D. CRADDOCK, L. A. WILLCOCKS.  
7th Nov. 1969 (1st Sep. 1967).

C. S. TIBBETS. 6th Dec. 1969 (1st Sep. 1967).

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

E. FITZGERALD, D. R. D. TEER. 1st Feb. 1970 (1st Feb. 1970).

I. G. DAVISON. 10th Feb. 1970 (10th Feb. 1970).

Sub Lts. (SL) to be promoted Lts. (SL) on dates and with seny. stated:

M. J. PRIESTLEY. 16th Feb. 1970 (16th Feb. 1970).

T. A. ADAMS, J. GRANTHAM. 18th Feb. 1970 (18th Feb. 1970).

J. S. M. CHANDLER. 19th Feb. 1970 (19th Feb. 1970).

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) P. BENNETT, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL) 5th Dec. 1969 with seny. 9th Jun. 1967 and promoted Lt. (SL) 5th Dec. 1969, with seny. 9th Jul. 1969.

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) T. J. I. HOWARD-JONES, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL) 5th Dec. 1969, with seny. 31st Jul. 1967, and promoted Lt. (SL) 5th Dec. 1969 with seny. 16th Aug. 1969.

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) N. PEARCE, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL) 6th Jan. 1970 with seny. 6th Apr. 1968.

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) S. B. PHILLIPS, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL) 4th Feb. 1970, with seny. 4th May 1968.

Actg. Engr. Sub Lts. (SD) to be confirmed Engr. Sub Lts. (SD) 16th Feb. 1970 with seny. stated:

G. W. LANE. 10th Nov. 1968.

J. D. CASEY, R. J. MILLER, M. S. PEARCE, P. E. WILLERTON. 6th Jan. 1969.

Actg. Supply Sub Lts. (SD) confirmed Supply Sub Lts. (SD) 6th Jan. 1970 with seny. 6th Jan. 1970:

J. D. SHIPTON, W. M. ADAMS, A. D. BRUCE, D. J. DOVE, P. EDDOWES, P. W. PAGE, D. A. DOOLE, M. HUNTER, P. G. EDGER, D. WESTON, M. H. G. QUINNELL.

#### ROYAL MARINES

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure Colonel J. J. DAY, R.M. has been appointed an Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN with effect from 30th Mar. 1970 in succession to Brigadier N. S. E. MAUDE, R.M.

Lt.-Col. W. A. C. HORSFALL, O.B.E., promoted Local Colonel. 2nd Feb. 1970.

Lt. R. J. C. SIMPSON, commission terminated. 7th Feb. 1970.

Actg. Lt. P. L. JEANS, M.A., withdrawn from training (own request). 18th Dec. 1969.

2nd Lt. G. R. DARBY, withdrawn from training. 2nd Jan. 1970.

Grant of Short Service Commissions to the following 2nd Lts. on 23rd Sep. 1968, with seny. 23rd Sep. 1968, confirmed on completion of training. 28th Jan. 1970:

T. A. CARDALE, C. W. K. DANIEL, P. THOMPSON, T. W. TOPPER.

#### ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Lt.-Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

J. H. J. SLATER, V.R.D. 31st Dec. 1969.

J. E. BROUGHTON, R.D. 9th Jan. 1970.

F. C. STARKEY, V.R.D. 12th Jan. 1970.

L. M. ANSTEY, R.D. 13th Jan. 1970.

Lt.-Cdr. N. M. LEVY (L) R.D., placed on Retired List (own request). 7th Jan. 1970.

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. M. B. CARSON, placed on Retired List. 20th Jan. 1970.

Actg. Lts. promoted Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

P. F. HOGAN. 26th Nov. 1968 (16th Jun. 1968).

R. D. STRAUSS. 5th Dec. 1969 (16th May 1963).

A. M. B. BELL. 6th Dec. 1969 (5th Feb. 1965).

P. J. F. PUGSLEY. 6th Dec. 1969 (26th Nov. 1967).

Actg. Surgn. Lt. A. J. A. RAW, promoted Surgn. Lt. 18th Jan. 1970, with seny. 27th Aug. 1968.

Sub Lt. B. K. RUFFHEAD, promoted Lt. 29th Nov. 1969, with seny. 29th Nov. 1969.

Sub Lt. M. SOWMAN, promoted Actg. Lt. 15th Nov. 1969, with seny. 20th Jul. 1968.

Actg. Sub Lts. confirmed Sub Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

C. R. LAW. 8th Jan. 1970 (10th Nov. 1969).

J. M. M. NOBLE. 9th Jan. 1970 (8th Dec. 1969).

#### ARMY DEPARTMENT

10th February 1970.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the name shown below as having received an expression of Commendation for Brave Conduct:

21124984 Sergeant John Elias JONES, Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

On 8th October 1969 a 4 ton vehicle of 12 Ordnance Field Park, which was taking part in a Brigade exercise, was involved in a traffic accident.

One of the front wheels of the vehicle was sheered off and it somersaulted on to its back with the cab in a ditch and the body flat on the road surface, its canopy superstructure completely crushed. Twelve soldiers were trapped inside the space between the road and the floorboards of the vehicle. All of them were injured, some severely, and some were unconscious. One of them, Sergeant Jones, had his foot trapped in the canopy frame and was lying under another soldier who was bleeding profusely from his injuries. Petrol was dripping out of the tanks and there was imminent danger of an explosion and fire.

Sergeant Jones took control of the situation, calming the young soldiers and directing some of them out through a small opening. When he himself was released he stayed inside the upturned vehicle, freeing and dragging to safety those who were still trapped and unconscious, despite the fact that he had a broken shoulder blade and severe lacerations and with complete disregard for his personal safety.

When all the soldiers had escaped he moved them to a safe distance and started first aid. Later, on the way to hospital, Sergeant Jones reassured and helped the badly injured.

Throughout, Sergeant Jones showed courage and selflessness of the highest order. His calm control of the situation and personal example prevented a particularly nasty accident from becoming a disaster.

10th February 1970.

Brig. Robert Anthony LINDSELL, M.C., late R.E. is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 1st Apr. 1969, in an existing vacancy.

Brig. Richard Allestree BLAKEWAY, O.B.E., late R.E. is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 3rd Jan. 1970, in an existing vacancy.

Col. William Charles Stuart HARRISON, C.B.E., E.R.D., late R.E., T. & A.V.R. is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The Queen, T. & A.V.R., 7th Nov. 1969, in an existing vacancy.

Col. Ian Clement CAMPBELL, O.B.E., D.F.C., T.D. late R.A., T. & A.V.R. is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, T. & A.V.R., 22nd Nov. 1969, in an existing vacancy.

Col. John Frederick HILL, O.B.E., T.D. late R.E., T. & A.V.R., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, T. & A.V.R., 22nd Nov. 1969, in an existing vacancy.

#### COMMANDS AND STAFF

##### REGULAR ARMY

Maj.-Gen. T. H. ACTON, C.B.E. (71213) late Inf. relinquishes his appointment as General Officer Commanding, South West District, 4th Feb. 1970.

Brig. J. K. I. DOUGLAS-WITHERS, C.B.E., M.C. (151389) late R.A. is appointed General Officer Commanding, South West District, and is granted the acting rank of Maj.-Gen., 4th Feb. 1970.

The undermentioned Cols. retire on retired pay on the dates shown:

A. R. T. LUNDIE, O.B.E., M.C., M.D. (94926) late R.A.M.C., 2nd Feb. 1970.

R. O. F. FRICHARD, O.B.E., M.C. (64603) late Inf., 6th Feb. 1970.

A. R. WALLER, M.B.E., M.C. (89986) late Inf., 6th Feb. 1970.

Lt.-Col. H. S. GAVOURIN, M.B.E., M.B., F.R.C.O.G. (375656) from R.A.M.C. to be Col, 9th Feb. 1970.

HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY  
R.H.G./D.

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. C. A. BANHAM, M.C. (94146) is appointed to the Special List, 6th Feb. 1970.

ROYAL ARMoured CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. (Q.M.) G. B. SHAW, M.B.E. (432080) Scots Greys retires on retired pay, 10th Feb. 1970.  
Capt. (Q.M.) J. T. DIXON (474763) 9/12L retires on retired pay, 7th Feb. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

14025060 W.O. I (R.S.M.) Charles Joseph EDWARDS (488099) 13/18H to be 2nd Lt., 5th Jan. 1970. To be Lt., 5th Jan. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Lt. W. M. HARRIS (480731) R.T.R. from Active List to be Lt., 22nd Jan. 1970.  
Lt. M. W. J. WITHERELL (482553) R.T.R. from Active List to be Lt., 8th Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt.-Col. Robert Arthur BARNETT, M.C., T.D., D.L., is appointed Honorary Colonel, The Northumberland Hussars, R.A.C., T. & A.V.R., 1st Apr. 1969, in a new appointment.

Capt. (Hon. Col.) The Lord MARGADALE of ISLAY, T.D., J.P., D.L., is appointed Honorary Colonel, The Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry (Prince of Wales's Own) R.A.C., T. & A.V.R., 1st Apr. 1969, in a new appointment.

Lt.-Col. (Bt.-Col.) Graham Chatfield CHATFIELD-ROBERTS, T.D., is appointed Honorary Colonel, Inns of Court and City Yeomanry, R.A.C., T. & A.V.R., 1st Apr. 1969, in a new appointment.

The undermentioned Maj. to be Bt. Lt.-Cols., 1st Jan. 1970:

N. H. PHILLIPS (387847) D.L.O.Y.  
C. A. EADE, T.D. (393518) Shrops. Yeo.  
J. HENDERSON, T.D. (403811) Ayr Yeo.

Capt. (Acting Maj.) B. MOLLO, T.D. (439627) R.Y.R. to be Maj., 7th Jan. 1970, with seniority 18th Jul. 1968.

Lt. M. E. BROWNE (468548) R.Y.R. is granted the acting rank of Capt., 1st Nov. 1969. To be Capt., 6th Dec. 1969, with seniority 1st Nov. 1969.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. C. R. PINFOLD (380638) retires on retired pay, 21st Jan. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. R. J. BOYLE (484574) to be Lt., 22nd Jan. 1970.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Maj. (Q.M.) J. MCLEAN, M.B.E. (439371) is appointed to Res. of Offrs., 23rd Dec. 1969, in the rank of Maj. (Q.M.).

*Class II*

Capt. T. J. JOHNSTON, T.D. (432082) from T. & A.V.R., to be Capt., 31st Oct. 1969.

Lt. G. M. LILLEY (481342) from T. & A.V.R., R.C.T., to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

The undermentioned Maj. to be Bt. Lt.-Cols., 1st Jan. 1970:

I. D. GRAHAM, T.D. (379609).  
D. M. TATLOW, T.D. (390928).  
J. B. SCOWCROFT, T.D. (419395).

Maj. B. P. PRYER, M.B.E. (200941) (formerly R.A.), to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1970.

Capt. D. JOHNSTON, T.D. (451655) from T. & A.V.R., N.I.H., to be Capt., 16th Nov. 1969, with seniority 22nd Jun. 1960.

Lt. H. E. BOAG-MUNROE (484421) to be Capt., 1st Apr. 1969.

Lt. T. A. HEATHCOTE (467115) from Res. of Offrs., Class III, to be Lt., 1st Apr. 1969, with seniority 5th Sep. 1963.

2nd Lt. J. L. M. THORNTON (488661) from T. & A.V.R., Gen. List, to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 1st Jan. 1970, with seniority 30th Oct. 1969.

24155579 Gnr. Thomas Jameson HOLMES (488894) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. R. A. BEVAN (74559) retires on retired pay, 6th Feb. 1970.

Maj. D. T. HARMAN (414876): the name is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement) dated 13th Jan. 1970.

*Special Regular Commn.*

Lt. K. ALLISON (484499) to be Capt., 6th Feb. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Lt. R. J. JACKSON (484664) to be Capt., 6th Feb. 1970.

Lt. N. WILSON (484696) to be Capt., 6th Feb. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Lt. J. P. RUFFLE (478819) to be Lt. (Q.M.), 15th Dec. 1969, with seniority 2nd Mar. 1965.

*Postal & Courier Section*

The undermentioned Capt. to be Maj., 1st Jan. 1970:

R. F. SQUIRES (412074) with seniority 21st Jun. 1966.  
J. A. JESSOP (469769).  
M. W. COLGAN (470444).  
R. ALLEN (473045).

Capt. J. H. ANDERSON (469770) is granted the acting rank of Maj., 1st Jan. 1970.

Capt. D. A. PAIN (469264) is granted the actg. rank of Maj., 23rd Jan. 1970.

The undermentioned Lts. to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1970:

D. S. HAY (476431).  
S. G. ELMY (480079).  
L. BIRKETT (480080).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Clement William PALMER, M.B.E. (481931) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 3rd Jan. 1970.

Capt. John DEAN (483032) from Short Serv. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 3rd Jan. 1970.

Capt. Geoffrey Anthony GRANGER (476011) from Spec. Reg. Commn., to be Capt. (Q.M.), 3rd Jan. 1970.

2nd Lt. Keith Graham DANBY (484615) from Short Serv. Commn., to be 2nd Lt., 31st Oct. 1969, with seniority 16th Dec. 1966. To be Lt., 31st Oct. 1969, with seniority 16th Jun. 1968.

Capt. (Q.M.) J. V. NEEDHAM (469669) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 7th Feb. 1970.

Capt. (Tfc. Offr.) J. C. PENDOCK (457950) to be Maj. (Tfc. Offr.), 8th Feb. 1970.

22265090 W.O. I Thomas JOHNSTONE (488856) to be Capt. (Tfc. Offr.), 29th Dec. 1969, with precedence in Corps next above A. G. MAXWELL (488840).

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. P. M. TAYLOR (481636) relinquishes his commn., 30th Nov. 1969.

*Class II*

Capt. N. V. C. JACKAMAN (457329) from T. & A.V.R., to be Capt., 18th Dec. 1969.

*Class IV*

Maj. C. D. BURGESS, E.R.D. (419304) to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. A. D. LOGAN, T.D. (461069), to be Maj., 1st Nov. 1969.

Cyril George JOHNSON (488898) to be Capt., 11th Dec. 1969.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. P. G. D. T. Del C. NISBETT (483230), Gren. Gds., from Active List, to be 2nd Lt., Res. of Offrs., 11th Feb. 1970.

SCOTTISH DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

2nd Lt. N. F. M. LAMB (483220), Q.O. Hldrs., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

## QUEEN'S DIVISION

## REGULAR ARMY

Maj.-Gen. Michael Walter HOLME, C.B.E., M.C., is appointed Deputy Colonel, The Royal Anglian Regiment (Bedfordshire, Hertfordshire and Essex), 5th Feb. 1970, in succession to Col. (Hon. Brig.) Charles Morgan PATON, C.V.O., C.B.E., D.L., tenure expired.

Capt. (Q.M.) L. C. V. MCKEAN (469270), R. Anglian, to be Maj. (Q.M.), 4th Feb. 1970.

*Special Reg. Commn.*

2nd Lt. R. A. J. MACDONALD (483222), R.R.F., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

2nd Lt. P. H. AMOS (483187), R.R.F., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

2nd Lt. R. G. MILLS (483226), R.R.F., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

19133915 W.O. II (L/W.O. I) George Dennis CRIPPS (488776), Queens, to be 2nd Lt., 4th Jan. 1970. To be Lt., 4th Jan. 1970.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj.-Gen. Basil Perronet HUGHES, C.B., C.B.E., is appointed Honorary Colonel, 10th Battalion, The Queen's Regiment (Middlesex) T. & A.V.R., 1st Apr. 1969, in a new appointment.

## KING'S DIVISION

## REGULAR ARMY

2nd Lt. A. D. ROBERTS (479979), D.W.R., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

2nd Lt. A. J. BIRD (483192), Loyals, to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

2nd Lt. D. FLETCHER (483206), R. Irish, to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

## REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Class IV*

Capt. P. D. GREEN (463698) from T. & A.V.R., Category III, Leeds Rifles, to be Capt., 1st Apr. 1969.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. R. H. HARGREAVES, T.D. (371867), 8/9 Manch., to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

Maj. R. L. MCKILLOP, T.D. (432348), 5 Inniskillings, to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

## PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION

## REGULAR ARMY

*Short Serv. Commns.*

2nd Lt. P. T. E. MILLER (482996), R. Hamps., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. K. S. AYRTON, T.D. (380786), 4/7 Cheshire, to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

Capt. (Acting Maj.) A. B. GRIFFITHS, T.D. (438179), Mercian, to be Maj., 31st Dec. 1969, with seniority 31st Aug. 1968.

## LIGHT DIVISION

## REGULAR ARMY

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Lt. G. A. D. EGAN (485151), L.I., to be Capt., 5th Feb. 1970.

2nd Lt. N. A. CARRINGTON SMITH (483198), L.I., to be Lt., 11th Feb. 1970.

22353588 W.O. I Thomas McWILLIAMS (488578), L.I., to be 2nd Lt., 10th Dec. 1969. To be Lt., 10th Dec. 1969.

22473926 W.O. I James PRICE (488579), R.G.J., to be 2nd Lt., 6th Jan. 1970. To be Lt., 6th Jan. 1970.

## REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Class II*

Capt. (Acting Maj.) D. E. BULMER (447056) from T. & A.V.R., L.I., to be Capt., 11th Oct. 1969.

Lt. J. T. MACKIE (479846) from T. & A.V.R., L.I., to be Lt., 27th Oct. 1969.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Maj. F. PHILLIPS, T.D. (369364) L.I., to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

Capt. (Acting Maj.) M. G. M. HAINES (463473) 4 R.G.J., to be Maj., 30th Dec. 1969, with seniority 1st Jan. 1969.

## PARACHUTE REGIMENT

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. (Acting Maj.) J. G. FARNHILL (471818) resigns his commn., 1st Dec. 1969.

## BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

## REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.G.O.) PURNABAHADUR GURUNG (479089) G.T.R., retires on retired pay, 11th Feb. 1970.

Lt. (Q.G.O.) RABILAL RAI, D.C.M. (480146) 7 G.R., to be Capt. (Q.G.O.), 23rd Dec. 1969.

Lt. (Q.G.O.) TENZING TSHERING LAMA (482285) 6 G.R., retires on retired pay, 11th Feb. 1970.

Lt. (Q.G.O.) AMERBAHADUR GURUNG (483691) 6 G.R.: the Personal Number and Regiment is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement) dated 6th Jan. 1970.

## SPECIAL AIR SERVICE REGIMENT

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. (Acting Maj.) R. L. WHITLOCK (439753) to be Maj., 5th Dec. 1969, with seniority 1st May 1969.

## ARMY AIR CORPS

## REGULAR ARMY

Capt. M. F. ANDREWS (459205) from R. Signals, to be Capt., 4th Feb. 1970, with seniority 19th Dec. 1964.

## ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Rev. D. R. COLE (365850) Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, to be Chapln. to the Forces, 3rd Class, 3rd Feb. 1970.

Rev. D. B. GILLESPIE (484383) Chapln. to the Forces, 4th Class, (R.C.) resigns his commn., 1st Jan. 1970.

## ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

## REGULAR ARMY

Capt. R. C. THOMPSON (469453): the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 2nd Dec. 1969 is cancelled.

Capt. (Staff Q.M.) H. E. SADD, M.B.E. (468797) to be Maj. (Staff Q.M.), 8th Feb. 1970.

*Special Reg. Commn.*

Capt. David Brian NICHOLAS (480440) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 31st Jul. 1969, with seniority 18th Apr. 1962. To be Lt., 31st Jul. 1969, with seniority 18th Apr. 1964. To be Capt., 31st Jul. 1969, with seniority 18th Apr. 1968.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

21028256 W.O. I William BUCHANAN (488593) to be 2nd Lt., 5th Jan. 1970. To be Lt., 5th Jan. 1970.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Capt. A. I. DRYSDALE (467668) from Res. of Offrs., Class II, to be Capt., 31st Dec. 1969, with seniority 21st Sep. 1966.

2nd Lt. R. F. CARSON (485352) (on probation) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 1st Feb. 1968. To be Lt., 1st Feb. 1970.

24152723 Dvr. Charles CROSS (488874) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Dec. 1969.

24166832 Dvr. John Wyatt HARDIMAN (488875) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Dec. 1969.

24075945 O/Cdt. William TOAL (488876) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

## REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. S. C. BLAKE, M.B., F.F.A.R.C.S. (426012) retires on retired pay, 2nd Feb. 1970.

## REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Maj. J. ERSKINE, M.B. (477166) from Active List to be Maj., 29th Jan. 1970.

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

The undermentioned Capt. to be Maj., on the dates shown:

L. BURN, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (477581). 30th Sep. 1969.

R. B. ANDREWS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (478160). 11th Dec. 1969.

D. C. WILKINS, M.B. (478736). 25th Dec. 1969.

Capt. Archibald Douglas BREMNER, M.B. (481539) from Res. of Offrs., to be Capt., 25th Dec. 1969, with seniority 3rd Jul. 1968.

Lt. (Q.M.) J. H. YATES (476050) to be Capt. (Q.M.), 2nd Feb. 1970.

*Non-Medical Section*

Richard Wyn JONES (488881) to be Lt. (N.M.), 11th Dec. 1969.

**ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Lt.-Col. S. V. GANNON (285276) (Special List) retires on retired pay, 4th Feb. 1970.

Lt.-Col. C. W. FOSKETT (186823) retires on retired pay, 10th Feb. 1970.

Capt. William Charles Clayton PEARSON (478383) from Spec. Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (O.E.O.), 7th Jan. 1970.

Capt. (Q.M.) W. J. BRADFORD (472026) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 5th Feb. 1970.

*Special Reg. Commns.*

14189810 W.O. I (S.S.M.) William Harold THOMAS (488758) to be 2nd Lt., 5th Jan. 1970, with seniority 5th Jan. 1966. To be Lt., 5th Jan. 1970, with seniority 5th Jan. 1968.

23673473 S/Sgt. Alastair Stevenson WALLACE (488300) to be 2nd Lt., 5th Jan. 1970. To be Lt., 5th Jan. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

2nd Lt. J. A. TURNER (486141) from A.A.C. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jan. 1970, with seniority 10th Aug. 1968.

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*E.F.I. Section*

Robert Harle HESLOP (488829) to be 2nd Lt., 29th Dec. 1969.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

Maj. R. D. CRAWFORD-CLARKE, M.B.E., T.D. (419544) to be Bt. Lt.-Col., 1st Jan. 1970.

Capt. P. D. GREEN (463698) from Res. of Offrs., Class IV, King's Division to be Capt., 14th Oct. 1969, with seniority 25th Dec. 1965.

Christopher John TYCE (479373) (formerly R.A.O.C.) to be Lt., 19th Dec. 1969, with seniority 19th Jun. 1968.

**CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS**

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

Maj. R. H. MCGREGOR (431215) (formerly T.A.) at his own request reverts to the rank of Capt., 12th Dec. 1969, with seniority 13th Jun. 1961.

Capt. R. A. McALISTER (472910) from T. & A.V.R., R.C.T. to be Capt., 10th Oct. 1969, with seniority 1st Mar. 1969.

**CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE**

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*Class II*

Maj. R. C. HAY (458128) from T. & A.V.R., to be Maj., 21st Nov. 1969.

**ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. (Asst. Pmr.) C. J. STOREY (468888) retires on retired pay, 4th Feb. 1970.

4614591 W.O. I Leslie HILL (488835) to be Capt. (Asst. Pmr.), 1st Feb. 1970, with seniority 6th Sep. 1969.

**ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Capt. O. J. MASSEY (472290) to be Maj., 9th Feb. 1970.

**ROYAL ARMY DENTAL CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

2nd Lt. (on probation) James Howard HARDY, B.D.S. (480089) from Dental Cadetship is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 27th Sep. 1965. To be Capt., 6th Jan. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commn.*

2nd Lt. (on probation) David Michael BLAKESLEY, L.D.S. (483146) from Dental Cadetship is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 5th Jan. 1967. To be Capt., 6th Jan. 1970.

**ROYAL PIONEER CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. E. C. BARBER (276575) retires on retired pay, 5th Feb. 1970.

Capt. Ross Justin BENNETT (478951) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 8th Jan. 1970.

Lt. John Richard McLennan RAYNER (482971) from Short Serv. Commn., R.A. to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jan. 1970, with seniority 4 Jun. 1967. To be Lt., 1st Jan. 1970, with seniority 3rd Dec. 1969.

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**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*Class II*

Capt. P. J. HARTIGAN (428669) from T. & A.V.R. to be Capt., 15th Nov. 1969.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

Lt. J. M. BEWLEY (481506) from Res. of Offrs., Class IV Queen's Division to be Lt., 19th Dec. 1969, with seniority 6th Jan. 1969.

**INTELLIGENCE CORPS**

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

Capt. J. K. LUSHER (438233) retires, 9th Sep. 1969, retaining the rank of Capt.

**ARMY CATERING CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Lt. J. G. RUSSELL-ROBERTS (474372) to be Capt., 8th Feb. 1970.

**QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Lt.-Col. E. O. BASSETT, R.R.C. (221511), retires on retired pay, 2nd Feb. 1970.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

Capt. S. JONES née MAGGS (483601) relinquishes her commn., 20th Dec. 1969.

Lt. D. E. BOWERS née MANGNALL (438488) relinquishes her commn., 26th Dec. 1969.

Elizabeth Anne STRINGER (487683) to be Lt., 25th Aug. 1969, with seniority 25th Aug. 1967. (Substituted for the notifi. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 7th Oct. 1969.)

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

Capt. H. J. DOBSON (460859) ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 24th Jun. 1967.

Capt. C. E. C. BUCHANAN (476222) ceases to belong to the Res. of Offrs., 30th Oct. 1969.

*Short Serv. Commns.*

The undermentioned Capts. from Active List to be Capts. on the dates shown:

M. GIBSON (480650), 31st Jan. 1970.

M. M. WALLY (480674), 31st Jan. 1970.

M. A. SEAWARD (480866), 31st Jan. 1970.

Y. JARVIS (472695), 4th Feb. 1970.

Capt. E. A. WOOD, née JOHNSON (479763) resigns her commn., 8th Mar. 1969.

Lt. C. E. STUART-LYON (483018) from Active List to be Lt., 30th Jan. 1970.

Lt. B. BARTLETT (483062) from Active List to be Lt., 30th Jan. 1970.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

Capt. Margaret Jean SMITH (474297) from Res. of Offrs. to be Capt., 6th Jan. 1970, with seniority 6th Jan. 1968.

Capt. Maureen Olga Margaret KEATING (474586) from Res. of Offrs. to be Capt., 6th Jan. 1970, with seniority 6th Jan. 1968.

Doris Jean KINGSFORD (488883) to be Lt., 12th Dec. 1969.

Barbara Ann NANGLE (488882) to be Lt., 1st Jan. 1970.

**WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Maj. A. M. HARLE (433984) retires on retired pay, 5th Feb. 1970.

Lt. S. E. STOTT (476156) resigns her commn., 7th Feb. 1970.

**ARMY LEGAL SERVICES**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Capt. B. J. CRIFTON (473957) from R.R.W. to be Capt., 1st Jan. 1970, with precedence in A.L.S. next below J. MURRAY (470866).

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

*Short Serv. Commn.*

Capt. N. L. R. JONES (470640) relinquishes his commn., 5th Feb. 1970.

**GENERAL LIST**

**REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

Lt. K. GRANDVILLE (342546) relinquishes his commn., 3rd Dec. 1969.

**TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

2nd Lt. D. R. KERR (480602) (on probation) (Unatt'd.) resigns his commn., 23rd Nov. 1969.

James Peter BRADFORD (488897) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 19th Dec. 1969.

## COMBINED CADET FORCE

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

## SECTION B

*Churcher's College Contgt.*

Ian Stewart FUDGE (488845) (Appointed Offr.) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 13th Nov. 1969, with seniority 29th Oct. 1967.

*Durham School Contgt.*

David William WELSH (488880) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

*Epsom College Contgt.*

Robert PLIMMER (488862) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Dec. 1969.

*Gordon Boys School Contgt.*

Edward Philip BLOOMFIELD (488864) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 3rd Dec. 1969.

*Ipswich School Contgt.*

David John REID (488859) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Nov. 1969.

*Lord Wandsworth College Contgt.*

Lt. J. P. SEELIG (485421) resigns his commn., 31st Dec. 1969.

*Wymondham College Contgt.*

Derek MOSS (488858) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Nov. 1969.

## ARMY CADET FORCE

## TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

## SECTION B

*Bedford*

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 21st Nov. 1969:

Peter Cyril DAVIS (488846).

Keith HAMLIN (488847).

Derek SOMES (488849).

*Berkshire*

John Archibald RYDER (488848) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Nov. 1969.

*Brecknock*

Brian James DAVIES (488857) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 20th Nov. 1969.

*Buckingham*

Lt. V. R. CLARKE (480925) resigns his commn., 14th Nov. 1969.

*Cambridge, Isle of Ely & Huntingdon*

Capt. E. OVERALL (347825) from Res. of Offrs., Class II, Queen's Division, and at his own request, reverts to the rank of Lt., 15th Oct. 1969.

*Devon*

Lt. A. T. W. FOSS (485102) resigns his commn., 8th Dec. 1969.

*Edinburgh, City of, The Lothians & Peebles*

Andrew CULLEN (488861) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 24th Oct. 1969.

*Greater London North West Sector*

Ronald Alexander STACEY (488901) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 27th Nov. 1969.

*Hampshire & Isle of Wight*

Barry William ADAMS (488863) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Dec. 1969.

Lewis Nicholas EVANS (488900) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 5th Dec. 1969.

*Hereford*

Lt. R. A. THIRTLE (469674) resigns his commn., 22nd Aug. 1969.

William George HILL (488878) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 11th Dec. 1969.

*Lancashire (East)*

Arthur THICKETT (488865) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 26th Nov. 1969.

*North Highland*

Lt. J. D. FORSYTH (476377) resigns his commn., 30th Nov. 1969.

Colin Duncan MACLEOD (488139) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 9th Aug. 1969.

*Perth*

John McIntyre MCKENZIE (488843) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 27th Nov. 1969.

*Shropshire*

Lt. D. R. LINCOLN (478476) resigns his commn., 25th Nov. 1969.

*Somerset*

Colin Stanley BARROW (488892) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 19th Dec. 1969.

*Warwick*

Robert Alan BULLIVANT (488877) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 3rd Dec. 1969.

Nicholas Bernard TABRAM (488879) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 3rd Dec. 1969.

*Wilts*

Lt. D. BUCKERIDGE (389902) resigns his commn., 29th Dec. 1969, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

*York (East Riding)*

Trevor Bryndley Alexander EVANS (488893) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 12th Dec. 1969.

*York (North Riding)*

2nd Lt. W. HALL (481533) (on probation) resigns his commn., 1st Nov. 1969.

*York (West Riding)*

2nd Lt. A. J. PODMORE (488090) (on probation) resigns his commn., 1st Dec. 1969.

## MEMORANDUM

Hon. Capt. N. D. TURNER (265786) is granted the hon. rank of Maj., 1st Oct. 1948.

ROYAL MILITARY ACADEMY SANDHURST  
REGULAR ARMY

The undermentioned O/Cdts. from Royal Military Academy Sandhurst, to be 2nd Lts., 19th Dec. 1969.

## HOUSEHOLD CAVALRY

## L.G.

Anthony Philip De RITTER (488417).

## ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

Michael John DUDLEY-JONES (488424) R.T.R.  
Robert Sarsfield MACCURRACH (488462) Q.R.I.H.  
John Charles GORDON-FINLAYSON (488436) Q.O.H.

Ian Patrick Garston STEVENS (488491) R.T.R.  
Robin James Darragh GOLDSMITH (488435) 17/21 L.

Anthony William BYRDE (488401) 14/20 H.  
Eyre Roland MAUNSELL (488465) R.T.R.  
Michael John MOCKRIDGE (488467) 3 D.G.  
Robert Ian TALBOT (488495) 4/7 D.G.  
John Michael Walker MOODY (488469) Q.R.I.H.  
Hugh Thomas DICKENS (488572) 9/12 L.  
John Marshall OWEN (488474) R.T.R.  
Peter Maclaren CAMPBELL (488403) 16/5 L.  
John Nicholas SYMONS (488493) 14/20 H.  
Rodney Bellamy MARCUS (488463) R.H.  
Nicholas Owain Peter WATTS (488505) 9/12 L.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Alan Charles SMITH (488487).  
Howard Neil FAIRMAN (488429).  
Robert Peregrine Martin BLAKE (488391).  
Graham Leslie KERR (488455).  
Rhett Justin DREW (488423).  
Michael Richard RAWORTH (488476).  
John Henry OAKLEY (488472).  
William Montier WADDINGTON (488502).  
David Arthur HANCOCK (488439).  
Michael Charles TUCKER (488499).  
Michael John ROBINSON (488481).  
Charles Frederick Roger KENYON (488454).  
Clive Francis VALENTINE (488501).  
Christopher Paul BONNEY (488393).  
Julian Anthony BOURNE (488394).  
John Nicholas Gregor BECKETT (488386).  
Christopher Michael Bruce COATS (488407).

## CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

Michael Ivan LAURIE (488459).  
Roger William DIXON (488418).  
Graham Edward SMITH (488488).  
Colin McFall PEEBLES (488475).  
David John WILLIS (488577).  
Alexander Richard Thomas WARDROP (488504).  
Simon ESKELL (488427).  
Roland Mark CROSSKEY (488412).

## ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Robin Graham Langdon HILL (488442).  
Ian Douglas BINGHAM (488389).  
Allan MCVITTIE (488466).  
Malcolm John SINTON (488486).  
John Edward Francis KIRBY (488457).

Raymond John LLOYD-JONES (488461).  
 Graeme Keith THOMPSON (488496).  
 Graham Stewart HAND (488440).  
 Stewart John DAVIES (488415).  
 Robert Frederick BINHAM (488390).  
 Robert John Riby WEST (488507).  
 Carl Patrick CONLON (488408).  
 Richard John GITTINGS (488434).  
 Edward Christopher Thomas CRAMPTON (488410).  
 Timothy BUSHELL (488400).  
 John Christopher SMITH (488576).  
 Douglas William Maurice CONRAN (488570).  
 Christopher Patrick DONAGHY (488420).  
 Paul Seton HOLDEN (488444).  
 Michael Richard CROSS (488411).  
 David Anthony ROBINSON (488480).  
 James Lindsay KENNARD (488453).  
 Duncan Busill JONES (488573).

**INFANTRY**

**GUARDS DIVISION**

Timothy Hugh HOLBECH (488443) Gren. Gds.  
 Michael Guy Adrian DRAGE (488422) Gren. Gds.  
 Christopher Nigel Rupert BROWN (488397) Gren. Gds.  
 Iain REID (488477) Gren. Gds.  
 The Hon. Andrew Francis Clive WIGRAM (488509) Gren. Gds.  
 Thomas Lamplugh BALLANTINE DYKES (488383) S.G.  
 Jeremy Hugh Kennedy TREVASKIS (488498) S.G.  
 Michael Anthony Crampton SUMMERFIELD (488492) W.G.

**SCOTTISH DIVISION**

Mark Hugo Cameron FRASER (488433) Gordons.  
 Karl Phillip Allardyce BARCLAY (488384) A. & S.H.  
 David Allister John NOBLE (488471) B.W.  
 Torquil John MACLEOD (488574) B.W.  
 Timothy James HOPE THOMSON (488445) R.H.F.

**QUEEN'S DIVISION**

Richard Murray JACKSON (488450), Queens.  
 David Scott ALLIN (488380), R.R.F.  
 David JAMES (488451), R.R.F.  
 Peter William FIELD (488431), R. Anglian.  
 Hugh James Michael BRADBURY (488396), R.R.F.  
 Jason Frank SMITH (488489), R. Anglian.  
 Roland Miles THOMPSON (488497), R. Anglian.  
 Peter Lewin DOVE (488421), R.R.F.  
 Malcolm Patrick LAWSON (488460), Queens.

**KING'S DIVISION**

John Christopher Law KING (488456), Green Howards.  
 Christopher Sinclair EDDISON (488425), P.W.O.  
 David Vincent WALSH (488503), Kings.  
 Richard Trevor CARMAN (488404), Loyals.  
 Claude John Lloyd DAVIDSON (488413), R. Irish.  
 Andrew Graham Campbell FERRIER (488430), Kings Own Border.  
 Ian Thomond HORSFORD (488446), Kings.  
 Michael Stuart SHERLOCK (488485), D.W.R.

**PRINCE OF WALES'S DIVISION**

Richard Charles TULLOCH (488500), Foresters.  
 Paul Anthony DAVIS (488416), R. Hamps.  
 Nicholas Henry WEBER (488506), Staffords.  
 David Stephen BALDWIN (488382), Worc. R.  
 Christopher George Manners NIGHTINGALE (488470), Staffords.  
 David Alexander BILLING (488388), Staffords.  
 Peter William Llewellyn HUGHES (488447), R. Hamps.  
 Martin Lloyd DAVIES (488414), R.W.F.  
 Timothy Peter WHEADON (488508), R.R.W.

**LIGHT DIVISION**

David ELIOT (488426), L.I.  
 Anthony Brian Christopher DOLLARD (488419), R.G.J.  
 Anthony James Relton JACKSON (488449), R.G.J.

**PARACHUTE REGIMENT**

John George REITH (488478).  
 Clifford Lewis BURRAGE (488399).

**BRIGADE OF GURKHAS**

Collin Stuart CAMP (488402), 7 G.R.

**ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT**

Michael Edwin Alan SYMS (488494).  
 John Ralph BARNES (488385).

David Leslie JOHNSON (488452).  
 Brian William CARTER (488405).  
 Andrew John Clifford FISHER (488432).  
 Paul Anthony Dennis EVANS (488428).  
 Alan DAVIDSON (488571).  
 Michael Jeremy RICHARDS (488479).  
 Michael John RUST (488482).  
 Allen Patrick COUZENS (488409).  
 Stuart Cresswell HUNTER (488448).  
 Gerald Alfred BETTS (488387).

**ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS**

Joseph Brian GUNSON (488438).  
 Paul Victor SNELL (488490).  
 Ralph Haydn SCHOFIELD (488483).  
 Christopher John Merton GRAHAM (488437).  
 Clive James O'LEARY (488473).  
 Ian MARSHALL (488464).  
 Eric Paul SHARPLES (488484).  
 John Henry BOND (488392).  
 John Morgan ANDERSON (488381).  
 Stephen Martin HICKS (488441).  
 Adrian John BOUWENS (488395).

**CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS**

Kenneth Ian Fraser LAMB (488458).  
 Peter Robert CLARK (488406).  
 Jeremy Thorvald RAVN (488575).  
 Aidan Peter Dino MOMPALAO DE PIRO (488468).

**CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE**

Andrew John BURR (488569).

**INTELLIGENCE CORPS**

Noel BROWN (488398).

**AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT**

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

10th February 1970.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following award:

*Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service in the Air*

Flying Officer Alan George HOPPER (4335158), Royal Air Force.

In recognition of his outstanding tenacity, courage and airmanship, as pilot of a helicopter, which was sent to rescue a badly injured soldier, at night, from a steep-sided gully in Northern Ireland. Making a landing lamp approach, he attempted several times to land the aircraft in the gully but it was impossible to do so because of the large boulders and the fact that, in the darkness, he was unable to judge the rotor tip clearance. He, therefore, landed on a grass-covered lower ridge so that the crew could disembark and fetch the casualty. He then hovered over the rescuers, guiding them back to the landing place with his landing lamp. The escarpment over which Flying Officer Hopper had to operate is among the most difficult and awkward in the United Kingdom, for helicopter operations.

10th February 1970.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE**

Air Vice-Marshal H. A. C. BIRD-WILSON, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C., is appointed Air Officer Commanding, No. 23 Group, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal H. BURTON, C.B.E., D.S.O. 6th Feb. 1970.

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent) (D.E.C.(A))*

*As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List):*  
 Stuart Edward CRICK (690120). 17th Dec. 1969 (Seniority 10th Sep. 1969).

Christopher William BREWER (5201178). 29th Dec. 1969 (Seniority 20th Nov. 1969).

**Transfer to General List Conditions of Service**

Flight Lieutenant B. G. E. WAKLING (4231648).  
1st Oct. 1968.

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*  
S. TOAL, B.Sc. (5200740). 5th Feb. 1970.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*  
7th Feb. 1970  
S. A. FRASER (690125).  
T. R. MCCARTHY (594400).

**Transfer between Branches**

Pilot Officer D. T. MITCHAM (2607677) is transferred to the Equipment Branch (Supplementary List). 28th Dec. 1969.

**Transfer to Reserve**

*Flight Lieutenants :*  
R. B. HUMPHREYS (2617943). 25th Jan. 1970.  
5th Feb. 1970  
C. MERRITT (4230266).  
D. B. PACE (4230268).  
G. W. S. TURNER (4230258).

**Retirement**

Air Vice-Marshal G. R. MAGILL, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., M.B.I.M. 29th Jan. 1970.

Squadron Leader E. J. DENHAM (579461) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service).  
7th Feb. 1970.

*Flight Lieutenants :*  
J. WELCH (4086635). 17th Jan. 1970.  
K. G. WILLIAMS (1523861) (at own request).  
23rd Jan. 1970.

**GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List) :*  
29th Dec. 1969  
Joseph Victor Fonseca ABAYAKOON (5201184).  
Joseph Maurice Sheehan de Abrew ABBEYESINHE (5201185).  
Nallathamby SANGARAPILLAI (5201188).

**Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**

*As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*

Guruswamy SELVARAJAH (5201189). 29th Dec. 1969.

**Transfer to General List Conditions of Service**

Flying Officer G. W. HOUSE (4335276). 1st Oct. 1968.

**Regrading**

*Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*  
H. F. G. WALLIS (8022660). 13th Dec. 1969.

*Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. :*  
13th Dec. 1969  
G. E. GARRATT (8031548).  
A. M. SAYER (8031551).

**Transfer between Branches**

Flying Officer B. D. DAWKINS, B.Sc. (4335350), is transferred to the Engineer (Photography) Branch on a Permanent Commission (General List). 11th Jul. 1969 (Seniority 24th Apr. 1965).

**Retirement**

*Flight Lieutenants :*  
J. L. KEMP (70862) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 4th Feb. 1970.  
E. W. POOLE (142578). 10th Feb. 1970.

**ENGINEER BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Flying Officer (General List) :*  
Michael John MAUNDER (5201158). 3rd Nov. 1969 (Seniority 3rd Dec. 1967).

**Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) :*  
Junior Technician Clive John PIPER (689385)  
30th May 1969 (Seniority 1st May 1969). (Substituted for notification 8th Jul. 1969.)

**Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**

*As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (three years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*

Rodney Brian WITTER, B.Sc. (5201168) 3rd Nov. 1969 (Seniority 3rd Aug. 1968).

*As Pilot Officer (three years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*

Michael DAVIS, B.Sc.(Eng.) (5201163) 3rd Nov. 1969 (Seniority 3rd Aug. 1968).

**Transfer to General List Conditions of Service**

Flying Officer B. W. CROSBY (507862) is transferred to a Permanent Commission (General List) (since promoted to Flight Lieutenant). 1st Apr. 1969.

**Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*  
G. W. MILLWARD, M.I.E.E. (508055). 8th Feb. 1970.

**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant K. MEYER (564930). 22nd Jan. 1970.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH****Re-Employment on the Active List**

*As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) :*  
Norman Morley NORTH (183904). 21st Dec. 1969 (Seniority 20th Jul. 1958).

**Regrading**

*Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*

P. B. DILGER (8022626). 30th Nov. 1969.  
P. J. ROWNEY (8022637). 20th Dec. 1969.

*Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. :*  
20th Dec. 1969

R. A. CLARK (8031530).  
S. M. JACKSON (8031531).  
K. L. WENHAM (8031532).

**Extension of Service**

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Lieutenant A. NAVRATIL (81897) is extended until 31st Aug. 1972.

**Transfer between Branches**

Pilot Officer M. A. S. REID, M.A. (8974) W.R.A.F. is transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 1st Dec. 1969.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH****Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*  
A. G. WILLIAMS (594089). 6th Feb. 1970.

**Transfer to Reserve**

Flying Officer D. A. HUTTON (4335304). 23rd Jan. 1970.

**MEDICAL BRANCH****Promotion**

*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :*  
4th Feb. 1970

D. LAMBTON, M.B., Ch.B., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (505329).  
R. M. TODD, M.B., Ch.B. (505309).

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*

P. L. HICKEY, M.B., B.S. (507997). 1st Jan. 1970.

**Antedate of Seniority**

Flight Lieutenant R. D. RHYDDERCH, M.B., B.Ch. (5201051) is awarded an antedate of seniority of 5th Sep. 1968 from 15th Sep. 1969.

**Transfer to Reserve**

Flight Lieutenant P. J. VAUGHAN, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (2617248). 3rd Feb. 1970.

**DENTAL BRANCH****Transfer to Reserve**

Squadron Leader R. A. ANDERSON, B.D.S. (507164). 10th Feb. 1970.

**EDUCATION BRANCH****Transfer between Branches**

Flight Lieutenant P. D. THOMAS, B.Sc. (507607) is transferred to the Engineer (Photography) Branch on a Permanent Commission (General List). 11th Jul. 1969 (Seniority 6th May 1967).

**CATERING BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) :*  
David William Percival CONNETT (5201159). 3rd Nov. 1969.

**Promotion**

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

G. J. TIPPER (5200874). 25th May 1969.  
D. J. A. STEPHENSON (5200935). 14th Oct. 1969.



*Antedate of Seniority*

Flying Officer M. J. ARMSTRONG (508097) is awarded an antedate of seniority of 9th May 1966 from 9th Nov. 1967.

Flying Officer V. J. EMMERSON (8925) W.R.A.F. is awarded an antedate of seniority of 30th Apr. 1967 from 31st Oct. 1968.

**PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE  
NURSING SERVICE**

*Promotion*

*Flying Officer to Flight Officer :*

J. M. ANDREW, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408372). 5th Feb. 1970.

*Extension of Service*

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Officer V. D. WRIGHT, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408292), is extended to six years from 5th Dec. 1966.

*Commission Relinquished*

*Flight Officers :*

7th Feb. 1970

D. BARON (née SMITH), S.R.N. (408228).  
M. M. O. CLARKE, S.R.N. (408230).

Flying Officer B. HINCKESMAN, S.R.N. (408371).  
1st Jan. 1970.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE  
RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

**MEDICAL BRANCH**

*Commission Relinquished*

Wing Commander P. HALL, M.B., Ch.B., Ph.D., D.P.M. (505004), retaining his rank. 14th Dec. 1969.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE  
RESERVE OF OFFICERS**

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**

*Commission Relinquished*

*Flying Officers retaining their rank :*

W. D. GOODE (2590603). 14th Jan. 1970.  
K. J. HOLDEN (2620976). 28th Jan. 1970.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH**

*Commission Relinquished*

Flying Officer T. SNOWDEN, B.A. (504418). 16th Jan. 1970.  
Pilot Officer R. C. STEWART (176728). 18th Jan. 1970.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE  
VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

**(Reconstituted Section)**

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**

*Extension of Service*

Flight Lieutenant F. E. KEMP, M.A. (130430), is granted an extension of service of two years from 19th Jan. 1970.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH**

*Extension of Service*

Flight Lieutenant B. W. CAMPBELL-MACMILLAN-COLLINS (2682607) is granted an extension of service of two years from 24th Jan. 1970.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE  
VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

**(TRAINING BRANCH)**

*Appointment to Commission*

*As Pilot Officers (Four Years) :*

John David Bruce FREEMAN, B.A. (208434).  
30th Sept. 1969.

David John Denham ABRAHAM (208435). 7th Nov. 1969.

Alan William BLEVINS (208433). 8th Nov. 1969.

*Promotion*

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*

E. A. A. HEYM (912282). 9th Dec. 1969.

6th Jan. 1970

J. V. HEYES (4049058).

M. G. MOORE (208155).

17th Jan. 1970

J. E. HUGHES (3145577).

B. D. W. REES (3080630).

M. G. McLOUGHLIN (208159). 18th Jan. 1970.

R. B. BAKER (208184). 19th Jan. 1970.

22nd Jan. 1970

G. CARVER (208158).

G. J. COLDRON (2750474).

F. H. GIBBS (1803958).

M. T. KERR (208165).

C. LEE (3044530).

A. T. STEVENS (208162).

D. J. WALKER (208171).

J. C. A. BARGER (208180). 26th Jan. 1970.

F. WALLACE (1825283). 27th Jan. 1970.

30th Jan. 1970

B. G. PERKINS (1816771).

J. W. THOMSON (208163).

*Extension of Service*

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by four years from the dates stated :

W. D. BRADLEY (177260). 11th Sep. 1969.

J. A. SMURTHWAITE (207711). 2nd Dec. 1969.

R. DAVIES (2373485). 16th Dec. 1969.

E. S. BROWN (3121381). 19th Dec. 1969.

L. G. BATER (1808383). 8th Jan. 1970.

A. T. HARVEY, B.Sc. (207777). 25th Jan. 1970.

E. E. FARR (3204774). 27th Jan. 1970.

M. K. MARSHALL (207022). 29th Jan. 1970.

*Commission Relinquished*

*Flying Officers :*

2nd Dec. 1969

E. R. BEDDOW (2604313), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant.

F. D. GOODING (207710).

R. COOPER (1582844). 25th Jan. 1970.

*Commission Resigned*

*Flying Officers :*

A. M. SPARROW (207822). 22nd Oct. 1969.

D. M. BOYD (3020674). 30th Nov. 1969.

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