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MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the publication of the following name in recognition of Distinguished Service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

Mention in Despatches

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (NAVY DEPARTMENT)

Lieutenant Michael Dennison BOOTH, Royal Navy.

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

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

Air Force Cross

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (NAVY DEPARTMENT)

Lieutenant Richard Paul SEYMOUR, Royal Navy.

On the 12th July 1972, H.M.S. YARMOUTH proceeded to the assistance of the ORIENTAL FALCON aground on Pratas Reef 200 miles south-east of Hong Kong. Typhoon Susan had caused very heavy seas with a force 7 gale and poor visibility due to continuous heavy rain.

H.M.S. YARMOUTH's Wasp helicopter was launched at dusk 25 miles from Pratas and located the ORIENTAL FALCON hard and fast on the reef but upright and steady. A hatch cover provided a clear winching area but was bounded by the bridge super-structure and tiers of containers 24 feet high. The area was illuminated and torches were placed to outline the rigging after the first sortie. A total of four sorties, totalling 2½ hours (2¼ hours in total darkness) were flown in order to rescue thirteen survivors; the remainder of the crew wished to stay with their ship.

During these operations Lieutenant Seymour flew with great accuracy in spite of intermittent electrical failures and much rain entering the cockpit. Over the wreck he had to maintain accurate hover in spite of the periodic failure of his landing lights, and the shifting centre of gravity as survivors were loaded. His deck landings on H.M.S. YARMOUTH were excellent even though there was severely reduced visibility and a violently moving deck. H.M.S.

YARMOUTH then proceeded to Hong Kong for fuel and stores and return to the wreck on the 14th July in answer to a further distress call. On arrival at the reef and under similar weather conditions to those on the 12th July, the Wasp rescued the remaining twenty-nine members of the ORIENTAL FALCON's crew.

Throughout the whole operation Lieutenant Seymour consistently demonstrated a very high degree of flying skill and personal courage combined with excellent judgement. As the survivors could not have been rescued other than by this helicopter, they owe their safety entirely to Lieutenant Seymour's display of these qualities.

Lieutenant Seymour's outstanding performance and determination and devotion to duty were in the highest traditions of the service.

NAVY DEPARTMENT

ROYAL NAVY

Cdr. H. M. JOHNSON, M.B.E., M.I.Mech.E., placed on Retired List. 3rd Feb. 1973.

Cdrs. placed on Retired List on dates stated:

R. H. PINSON, D.S.C. 13th Feb. 1973.

M. K. FAULKNER. 16th Feb. 1973.

D. F. MILLS. 19th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdr. F. W. BURGESS, placed on Retired List. 16th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdr. L. R. HARVEY, to be placed on Retired List. 24th Feb. 1973.

Instr. Lt.-Cdr. J. ROLSTON, to be placed on Retired List. 28th Feb. 1973.

Lt. B. A. TAFT, M.B.E., placed on Retired List. 3rd Feb. 1973.

Lts. to be placed on Retired List on dates stated:

W. R. DANIELS. 23rd Feb. 1973.

A. M. FORD. 24th Feb. 1973.

R. S. WORTH. 27th Feb. 1973.

Lt. J. E. BOND, placed on Retired List. 7th Jan. 1973 and re-apptd.

Lts to be placed on Retired List (own request) on dates stated:

D. G. GLASGOW. 23rd Feb. 1973.

M. J. COWIN. 28th Feb. 1973.

Lt. D. L. HUGHES, released from Active List (own request). 17th Feb. 1973.

Actg. Lt. R. G. ALLEN, to be promoted Lt. 10th Jan. 1973 with seny., 1st May 1971.

F. GLEDHILL, B.E.M., C.P.O.M.A. (CA) to be promoted Actg. Lt. (CS). 25th Feb. 1973.

Lts. (SL) placed on Emerg'y. List on completion of Short Service Commissions for period of 4 years, 5th Feb. 1973:

M. J. BROWN, J. A. MACRAE.

Lts. (SL) to be placed on Emerg'y. List on completion of Short Service Commissions for period of 4 years on dates stated:

W. D. REES. 23rd Feb. 1973.

P. FAGGE. 24th Feb. 1973.

Lt. (SL) A. D. BOLDERSTON, transferred from 10-year Supplementary List Short Career Commission to 16 year Pensionable Commission. 7th Jan. 1973.

Lt. (Emerg'y.) C. J. HARRIS, Commission terminated. 17th Feb. 1973.

Instr. Lt. (Emerg'y.) A. G. KEELING, Commission terminated on transfer to a Permanent Commission in the R.A.F. 22nd Oct. 1972.

Surgn. Lt. R. H. HUNT, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P., promoted Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. 5th Feb. 1973 with seny., 5th Feb. 1973.

Surgn. Lt. M. J. L. HOPKINS, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., promoted Surgn. Lt.-Cdr. 14th Feb. 1973 with seny., 14th Feb. 1973.

Surgn. Lts. (SSC) transferred to 16-year Pensionable Commissions in rank of Surgn. Lts. on dates and with seny. stated:

N. B. HOPKIN, M.B., Ch.B. 31st Mar. 1972 (1st Oct. 1969).

C. W. EVANS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.T.M. & H. 24th Aug. 1972 (1st Oct. 1968).

E. P. DEWAR, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. 4th Dec. 1972 (1st Jul. 1970).

Granted 5-year Short Service Commission in rank of Surgn. Ltd. 12th Feb. 1973 with seny. 12th Aug. 1972:

M. A. BOURKE, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O., B.A.

Surgn. Lts. placed on Emerg'y. List on completion of Short Service Commissions for period of 4 years. 5th Feb. 1973:

D. A. MARTIN, M.B., Ch.B., C. M. RENDALL, M.B., B.S., D.A.

Surgn. Lt. P. J. TAYLOR, M.B., B.Ch., placed on Emerg'y. List on release from Short Service Commission (own request) for period of 4 years. 11th Dec. 1972.

Actg. Surgn. Lts. granted 5-year Short Service Commissions. 1st Feb. 1973 and promoted Surgn. Lts. 1st Feb. 1973 with seny. 1st Feb. 1973:

W. EDMONDS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., G. J. MOORE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

Sub Lt. T. H. WILLIS, promoted Lt. 13th Dec. 1972, with seny., 1st Jun. 1972.

Actg. Sub Lt. N. S. PATTENDEN, confirmed Sub Lt. 26th Oct. 1972 with seny., 1st Sep. 1971.

Actg. Sub Lts. confirmed Sub Lts. 16th Feb. 1973 with seny. stated:

M. A. GRINTER. 14th Jun. 1971.

G. T. BRADFIELD. 8th Nov. 1971.

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

P. L. RICE. 5th Jan. 1973 (4th Dec. 1972).

P. E. SMITH. 18th Jan. 1973 (7th Dec. 1971).

R. W. W. CRAIG, A. J. MEAD. 1st Feb. 1973 (1st Feb. 1973).

Sub Lt. (SL) J. C. DAVIDSON, transferred to General List (Engr'g. Spec'n.). 2nd Nov. 1972 in rank of Sub Lt. with seny., 1st Sep. 1971.

Actg. Sub Lt. (SL) P. R. CLINTON, confirmed Sub Lt. (SL). 1st Jan. 1973 with seny., 1st Jan. 1972 and promoted Lt. (SL). 1st Feb. 1973 with seny., 1st Feb. 1973.

ROYAL MARINES

Lt. (Actg. Capt.) (Loc. Maj.) R. P. WILLIAMS, to relinquish ranks of—Actg. Capt. 22nd Feb. 1973.—Loc. Maj. 23rd Mar. 1973.

Lt. (Loc. Capt.) J. W. TURNER, relinquished rank of Loc. Capt. 19th Feb. 1973.

Lt. E. M. WHITE, to be placed on Retired List (own request). 28th Feb. 1973.

ROYAL MARINES RESERVE

Lieutenant Colonel T. SHERMAN, O.B.E., V.R.D.,* R.M.R., has been appointed Honorary Colonel Royal Marines Reserve, Merseyside, with effect from 1st Jan. 1973.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

Lt.-Cdr. R. A. E. STUDD, placed on Retired List. 7th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdrs. (Sp) placed on Retired List on dates stated:

H. E. WOOD. 12th Jan. 1973.

R. E. THORPE, R.D. 7th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdr. (Sp) F. BAMFORD, R.D., placed on Retired List. 19th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdr. (Sp) G. LIGHTFOOT, V.R.D., to be placed on Retired List. 28th Feb. 1973.

Lt.-Cdr. (S) R. D. THOMS, R.D., placed on Retired List. 31st Jan. 1973.

Lts. promoted Lt.-Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:

A. M. B. BELL. 5th Feb. 1973 (5th Feb. 1973).

C. M. MACRAY. 6th Feb. 1973 (6th Feb. 1973).

Lt. J. McA. IRVINE, promoted Lt.-Cdr. 19th Feb. 1973 with seny., 19th Feb. 1973.

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

M. H. JULIAN. 9th Dec. 1972 (1st Sep. 1969).

D. J. WHITBY. 3rd Feb. 1973 (26th Apr. 1971).

Lt. (Sp) C. GRIMSTER, promoted Lt.-Cdr. (Sp). 14th Dec. 1972 with seny., 19th Jun. 1972.

Lts. (Sp) promoted Lt.-Cdrs. (Sp). 23rd Jan. 1973 with seny. 23rd Jan. 1973:

F. A. BEVIS, G. COWIE, R. J. K. ELLIS, D. W. V. EVISON, H. S. SPENSLEY.

Lts. (Sp) to be promoted Lt.-Cdrs. (Sp). 23rd Feb. 1973 with seny. 23rd Feb. 1973:

R. M. ALFREY, M. J. BARNES, F. A. DARK, J. F. GARROOD, J. W. F. GILES, C. W. HAIGH, J. R. LOWE, J. H. PARKER, K. E. SIMPSON, J. A. SMEATON, G. M. STOCKS, R. J. TRACEY.

Lt. (L) F. P. HARWOOD, promoted Lt.-Cdr. (L). 7th Oct. 1972 with seny., 27th Jan. 1972.

Surgn. Lts. promoted Surgn. Lt.-Cdrs. on dates and with seny. stated:

T. M. BUCKNILL. 11th Jan. 1973 (2nd Aug. 1972).

R. F. M. WOOD. 5th Feb. 1973 (5th Feb. 1973).

Proby. Actg. Surgn. Lt. P. B. CAREY, apptd. Actg. Surgn. Lt. with seny. 6th Oct. 1971.

Lt. (S) C. R. BATTEN, promoted Lt.-Cdr. (S). 6th Feb. 1973, with seny., 6th Feb. 1973.

Sub Lts. promoted Actg. Lts. 22nd Jan. 1973 with seny. 22nd Jan. 1973:

R. BAIRD, E. T. DICKSON.

Sub Lt. (Sp) C. V. PAGET, promoted Lt. (Sp). 20th Jan. 1973 with seny., 20th Jan. 1973.

Sub Lts. (Sp) promoted Lts. (Sp). 18th Feb. 1973 with seny. 18th Feb. 1973:

R. E. M. JAMES, D. R. SIMMONDS, I. V. WILLIAMS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT

20th February 1973.

Brig. Sir Jeffrey DARELL, Bt., M.C., late Ft. Gds. is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN, 19th Feb. 1973, in succession to Brig. Arthur John HARDY, C.B.E., retired.

COMMANDS AND STAFF

REGULAR ARMY

Maj.-Gen. A. G. LEWIS, C.B.E. (363423) late R.A.C. relinquishes the appointment of Director-General of Fighting Vehicles and Engineer Equipment, Ministry of Defence and retires on retired pay, 8th Jan. 1973. (Substituted for the notifn. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 9th Jan. 1973.)

Brig. J. G. R. ALLEN (245305) late R.A.C. is appointed Director-General of Fighting Vehicles and Engineer Equipment, Ministry of Defence and is granted the acting rank of Maj.-Gen., 8th Jan. 1973.

Brig. R. A. NIGHTINGALE, M.B.E. (232773) late R.C.T. retires on retired pay, 16th Feb. 1973.

Brig. A. J. HARDY, C.B.E. (86386) late Inf. retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1973.

Col. E. D. V. PRENDERGAST, M.B.E., D.F.C. (74510) late R.A. retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1973.

ROYAL ARMOURED CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt.-Col. S. R. M. FRAZER (271899) 14/20 H. retires on retired pay, 18th Feb. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Capt. A. H. SIMPSON (377157) 9/12 L. resigns his commn., 8th Feb. 1973 on conviction by the Civil Power.

Short Serv. Commn.

Lt. D. C. J. CLIVE (487824) 16/5 L. from Active List to be Lt., 18th Feb. 1973.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. Reginald Cecil TAYLOR, M.B.E. (482205) from Special Reg. Commn. to be Capt. (Q.M.), 12th Dec. 1972.

Special Reg. Commn.

Capt. Dennis Robert Bruce MUNRO (485623) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 23rd Nov. 1972, with seniority 20th Aug. 1964. To be Lt., 23rd Nov. 1972, with seniority 20th Aug. 1966. To be Capt., 23rd Nov. 1972, with seniority 20th Aug. 1970.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. W. F. MAIR (485545) to be Capt., 18th Feb. 1973.
2nd Lt. Roger Brian DENNIS (490340) from Special Reg. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 5th Dec. 1972, with seniority 31st Oct. 1970.

Capt. (Svy. E.O.) W. J. JENKINS (475927) to be Maj. (Svy. E.O.), 1st Jan. 1973.

Special Reg. Commn.

Maj. T. S. MORGAN (359618) retires on retired pay, 20th Feb. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III

Capt. (N.M.) B. CHISLETT (462186) from T.A.V.R., R.A.M.C. (N.M.) to be Capt., 28th Aug. 1972.

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. K. G. DANBY (484615) to be Capt., 16th Dec. 1972, with precedence in Corps next below P. A. COOPER (485580).

Special Reg. Commn.

2nd Lt. N. J. CORY (490339) to be Lt., 16th Feb. 1973.

INFANTRY

GUARDS DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.

22216690 W.O. I (R.S.M.) Alfred Weir CUNNINGHAM (494855) I.G. to be 2nd Lt., 18th Dec. 1972. To be Lt., 18th Dec. 1972.

REGULAR ARMY

SCOTTISH DIVISION

2nd Lt. I. J. HENDERSON (488275) Q.O. Hldrs. resigns his commn., 24th Jan. 1973.

QUEEN'S DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. S. F. A. PARKER (391040) R. Anglian to be Capt., 15th Feb. 1973.

Lt. R. J. BENSON (490295) Queens to be Capt., 19th Feb. 1973.

LIGHT DIVISION

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. (Q.M.) A. S. DUNCAN (474129) R.G.J. to be Maj. (Q.M.), 14th Feb. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY

BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

The undermentioned to be Lts. (Q.G.O.) on the dates shown:

21145384 W.O. II DILBAHADUR LIMBU (495413) 10 G.R., 1st Jul. 1972.

21140701 C/Sgt. NARBIR LIMBU (495414) 10 G.R., 19th Sep. 1972.

21148090 W.O. II LALMAN PUN (495412) 2 G.R., 17th Nov. 1972.

21140323 C/Sgt. RATNAMAN RAI (495417) 10 G.R., 9th Dec. 1972.

21140869 C/Sgt. MANBAHADUR RAI (495416) 10 G.R., 10th Dec. 1972.

21147144 C/Sgt. GAJURMANI RAI (494415) 10 G.R., 14th Dec. 1972.

21147374 S/Sgt. DIGBIR THAPA (495667) G.T.R., 9th Dec. 1972.

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group B

Rev. J. A. GRIMSON, M.A. (229771) Chapln. to the Forces 4th Class resigns his commn., 1st Feb. 1973.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commns.

Non Medical Section

The undermentioned Lts. (N.M.) to be Capt. (N.M.), 29th Jan. 1973:

G. BANKS (490876).

F. GREEN (490877).

R. E. I. REID (490878).

G. R. YOXALL (490880).

Short Serv. Commns.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. (on probation) to be Lts. (on probation) (Pre-registration Commn.) on the dates shown:

John CARROLL, L.R.C.P. (488837). 27th Oct. 1972.

John Roderick HEDGES, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (488839) 6th Nov. 1972.

David Alexander PUGH, L.R.C.P. (488992). 10th Nov. 1972.

John Joseph BYRNE, L.R.C.P. (I), L.R.C.S. (I) (486285). 13th Nov. 1972.

Simon Neil SLAFFER, M.B. (490271). 20th Nov. 1972.

Peter Laurence Stanley HARD, M.B. (488367). 20th Nov. 1972.

Carl Lindsay GRIFFITHS (495060) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (Medical Cadetship). 15th Jan. 1973.

Peter SURTEES (495061) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation) (Medical Cadetship), 15th Jan. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Class III

Maj. J. D. HUNTLEY, T.D., M.B. (375415) from T.A.V.R., Group A to be Maj., 27th Dec. 1972.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Maj. (Acting Col.) R. W. LOGAN, M.B. (469485): the degree is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement), dated 2nd Jan. 1973.

The undermentioned Maj. (Actng Lt.-Cols.) to be Lt.-Cols., 6th Dec. 1972, with seniority on the dates shown:

G. L. FEATHERSTONE, M.B. D.(Obst), R.C.O.G. (457531), 1st Oct. 1970.

J. B. RYDER, T.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (461071), 1st Nov. 1971.

W. V. JAMES, M.B., F.R.C.S. (483258), 1st Apr. 1972.

Maj. R. L. MACQUEEN, T.D., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (261156) retires, 1st Dec., 1972 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

2nd Lt. (N.M.) (on probation) R. P. SYMONDS (489142) is confirmed as 2nd Lt. (N.M.), 6th Mar. 1970. To be Lt. (N.M.), 5th Jul. 1972 (Provisionally Registered).

GROUP B

Charles Gethyn BARBER, M.B. (495402) to be Capt., 4th Nov. 1972.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. (O.E.O.) W. L. ROWE (466997) retires on retired pay, 15th Feb. 1973.

Maj. (Q.M.) T. E. LEWIS (473331) retires on retired pay, 20th Feb. 1973.

Capt. (O.E.O.) J. A. CARGILL (479768) to be Maj. (O.E.O.), 14th Feb. 1973.

Capt. (O.E.O.) W. DEXTER (475766) to be Maj. (O.E.O.), 17th Feb. 1973.

Capt. (Q.M.) D. N. PADDY (475991) to be Maj. (Q.M.), 20th Feb. 1973.

Special Reg. Commns.

22450957 W.O. I Ronald Edward Frederick LILLINGTON (494623): the name is as now shown and not as in Gazette (Supplement), dated 6th Feb. 1973.

CORPS OF ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

REGULAR ARMY

Capt. John Robert MARTIN (488746) from Short Serv. Commn. to be Capt. (E.M.A.E.), 26th Oct. 1972.

2nd Lt. John Charles Beddoes MORGAN (491714) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 14th Dec. 1972, with seniority 30th Nov. 1970. To be Lt., 14th Dec. 1972, with seniority 30th May 1972.

Special Reg. Commns.

Maj. W. A. BOAZMAN (369891) retires on retired pay 18th Feb. 1973.

Maj. L. M. COX (472678) retires on retired pay, 19th Feb. 1973.

CORPS OF ROYAL MILITARY POLICE

REGULAR ARMY

Short Serv. Commn.

2nd Lt. C. J. FARLEY (483521) from Res. of Offrs., Class I to be 2nd Lt., 1st Jan. 1973, with seniority 12th Jun. 1970.

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A

Maj. D. E. WOOD, E.R.D. (200749) retires 17th Feb. 1973.

Capt. (Acting Maj.) T. I. SEATON, T.D. (432617) to be Maj., 1st Mar. 1972, with seniority 1st Mar. 1971.

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commn.

Capt. David John HOLDING (489760) from Short Serv. Commn. to be 2nd Lt., 29th Nov. 1972, with seniority 5th Jul. 1966. To be Lt., 29th Nov. 1972, with seniority 5th Jul. 1968. To be Capt., 29th Nov. 1972, with seniority 5th Jul. 1972.

Short Serv. Commns.

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. J. MARTINDILL (493629) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 27th Apr. 1972, with seniority 3rd Jul. 1970. To be Lt., 3rd Jul. 1972

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 8th Jan. 1973.

Kenneth Gordon LAWSON (495102).

Peter John LEWIS (494876).

Robert Alexander PARSONS (494877).

Anthony WILDGOOSE (494878).

ROYAL PIONEER CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. G. E. HAINES, D.C.M. (365081) retires on retired pay, 18th Feb. 1973.

ARMY CATERING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Special Reg. Commns.

Lt. R. W. WALKER (490579) to be Capt., 4th Jan. 1973.

10632830 W.O. I John Leslie BRUMFITT (495069) to be 2nd Lt., 15th Jan. 1973, with seniority 15th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 15th Jan. 1973, with seniority 15th Jan. 1971.

22848553 W.O. I William Harold Wilson ROBERTSON (495068) to be 2nd Lt., 15th Jan. 1973, with seniority 15th Jan. 1969. To be Lt., 15th Jan. 1973, with seniority 15th Jan. 1971.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL ARMY NURSING CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Maj. A. R. RICHARDSON (413490) to be Lt.-Col., 28th Jan. 1973.

Short Serv. Commns.

Lt. S. J. MEIER nee MANLEY (490278) relinquishes her commn., 10th Jan. 1973.

Lt. J. B. BOND (490055) relinquishes her commn. on account of disability, 17th Feb. 1973.

REGULAR ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS

Lt. P. M. THOMPSON (488324) relinquishes her commn., 18th Jan. 1973.

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Group A.

Norma NAISBITT (495094) to be Lt., 4th Dec. 1972, with seniority 29th Nov. 1966. To be Capt., 4th Dec. 1972, with seniority 29th Nov. 1970.

WOMEN'S ROYAL ARMY CORPS

REGULAR ARMY

Lt. M. G. SILCOCK (484372) resigns her commn., 28th Jan. 1973.

GENERAL LIST

COMBINED CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Group B**Kingham Hill School Contgt.*

Lt. Edward Bruce STRONGMAN (486431) from Oxford, A.C.F. to be Lt., 28th Aug. 1972, with seniority 26th Jul. 1968. (Substituted for the notifi. in Gazette (Supplement) dated 2nd Jan. 1973.)

ARMY CADET FORCE

TERRITORIAL AND ARMY VOLUNTEER RESERVE

*Group B**Merioneth & Montgomery*

Lt. D. S. LLOYD (389427) resigns his commn., 24th Sep. 1972 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.

20th February 1973.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of distinguished services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

To be Additional Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Lieutenant-Colonel Derek Edgar Shillington BYRNE (378882), Ulster Defence Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Francis Massey GREAR (407849), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Richard Alexander MACMILLAN (431870), The Gordon Highlanders.

Lieutenant-Colonel Ian David Brearley MENNELL (403540), The Royal Regiment of Wales.

Lieutenant-Colonel (now Colonel) Michael John TOMLINSON, M.B.E. (403706), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order, for Gallantry :

Major (now Lieutenant-Colonel) Peter MARSH (427214), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :

Major Ian Stuart BAXTER (456440), Royal Corps of Transport.

Major William Robert Morrison KNOX (360880), Ulster Defence Regiment.

Major Gerald Vernon LORD (387124), Royal Corps of Transport.

Major Daniel Niblock SHIELDS (463870), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major James Robert TEMPLER (445984), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major Anthony Laurence Payne WEEKS (449074), Royal Tank Regiment.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.
20th February 1973.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the George Medal to the undermentioned in recognition of outstanding bravery in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

23466198 Warrant Officer Class II Peter Barry DANDY, Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

22825282 Staff Sergeant Brian John MITCHELL, Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.
20th February 1973

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal for Gallantry (Military Division) in recognition of gallant services in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

23832440 Driver Francis O'Donald McLAUGHLIN, Royal Corps of Transport.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.
20th February 1973.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) in recognition of meritorious service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

23570708 Sergeant Ronald Howe, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Ministry of Defence,
Whitehall, London S.W.1.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the awards of the Military Cross, the Military Medal, and for the publication of the names of those Mentioned-in-Despatches in recognition of distinguished service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

Awarded the Military Cross for Gallant Services :

Captain Julian Antony BALL (489891), The King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Lieutenant Richard Charles COOKE (486620), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Captain Thomas Durie MOORE (478601), 4th/7th Royal Dragoon Guards.

Lieutenant Nigel Barry MUIR (484922), Royal Tank Regiment.

Major (Acting) Charles John RADFORD (469082), 16th/5th The Queen's Royal Lancers.

Awarded the Military Medal for Bravery :

24143893 Lance Corporal Raymond John BENNETT, The Royal Green Jackets.

24044667 Lance Bombardier Lionel BUSHELL, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

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24169490 Lance Corporal William John CASHMORE, The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).

23726980 Sergeant Robert Anthony CAUSER, 16th/5th The Queen's Royal Lancers.

24114763 Corporal (Acting) Nevil JEPHCOTE, The Royal Anglian Regiment.

23546147 Staff Sergeant Norman SMITH, Corps of Royal Military Police.

Mention in Despatches :

Major John William AYRES (445784), The Royal Regiment of Wales (24th/41st Foot).

23932591 Lance Corporal Norman Franciczek BARTONOWICZ, Royal Corps of Transport.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Ulick Hubert BURKE (445495), The Parachute Regiment.

Lieutenant Jerome Wilfred CHURCH (485691), The Royal Regiment of Fusiliers.

23532442 Warrant Officer Class 2 John Michael COLDRICK, Royal Army Ordnance Corps.

23943220 Staff Sergeant Alan Leslie COLTON, Corps of Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

23388747 Warrant Officer Class 2 Richard Alan CONNOR, 16th/5th The Queen's Royal Lancers.

21002580 Warrant Officer Class 2 Daniel Robert CUMMINS, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

24111838 Lance Corporal Allan FRANKS, The Duke of Wellington's Regiment (West Riding).

22771410 Warrant Officer Class 2 William Edwin GREENHILL, Royal Corps of Signals.

Lieutenant-Colonel John HALL-TIPPING (418416), The Royal Anglian Regiment.

24205410 Corporal James Alexander HOGG, The Ulster Defence Regiment.

Captain (Acting) Peter Robin Philip HOWE (484884), The Queen's Regiment.

Major Michael John Henry HUDSON (443477), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major David John JOLLY (457193), Royal Corps of Signals.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Acting) Charles Edward Webb JONES (448994), The Royal Green Jackets.

Lieutenant-Colonel David Ansleigh JONES (424370), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major Peter Byrne LEONARD (431152), Royal Corps of Signals.

Captain (Acting) Thomas John LUDLAM (482777), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Captain Donald MOORE (483377), Corps of Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Christopher David PIGGINS (412039), The Royal Regiment of Fusiliers.

24129246 Corporal John Arthur PULLMAN, The King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Major Peter Boverton REDWOOD (451584), The King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William RIDDLE (426988), The King's Own Scottish Borderers.

24171397 Lance Corporal Alan ROBE, The Royal Green Jackets.

Captain Michael Gordon Louis Minchin STACPOOLE (463399), The Duke of Wellington's Regiment (West Riding).

Captain (Acting) Peter Mark Anthony SMEETH (495833), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

24047881 Corporal John Eric STAFFORD, Corps of Royal Engineers.

Major Francis STEWART (437172), Corps of Royal Engineers.

Captain (Quartermaster) Peter James STRATTON (483100), 13th/18th Royal Hussars (Queen Mary's Own).

Captain Edward Charles TAIT (476649), Army Air Corps.

24143227 Lance Corporal Geoffrey TAYLOR, The Royal Welch Fusiliers.

23887288 Sergeant Edward Gilbert TUVEY, The Royal Green Jackets.

24004917 Sergeant Peter William UTTERIDGE, Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major (Acting) Trevor Duncan Aydon VEITCH (471373), The Royal Anglian Regiment.

Lieutenant Peter Martin WATT (490384), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

22771157 Sergeant Digby Malcolm WHITEHEAD, Corps of Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers.

Major Henry David WILLIAMS (433267), Army Air Corps.

23833021 Warrant Officer Class 2 Alan Heatherill WILLSON, Intelligence Corps.

Major John Trevor WILSON (457313), The Worcestershire and Sherwood Foresters Regiment (29th/45th Foot).
Lieutenant-Colonel Anthony Gordon Ford YARNOLD (341454), Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (Military)

The following officers are awarded the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (Military) without Gratuity:

ROYAL SIGNALS

Lt. R. GOODMAN, B.E.M. (491095).
Lt. (now Capt.) P. B. WYMS (483279).

INFANTRY

THE KING'S DIVISION

The Royal Irish Rangers
Lt. (now Capt.) L. R. N. RICKARDS (484806).

THE LIGHT DIVISION

The Royal Green Jackets
Capt. B. HILL (489049).

THE BRIGADE OF GURKHAS

2 G.R.
Capt. (Q.G.O.) CHANDRAHAHUR THAPA (487625).
Lt. (Q.G.O.) GOPIRAM THAPA (489838).
Lt. (Q.G.O.) MANBAHADUR SUNWAR (490616).

ROYAL CORPS OF TRANSPORT

Capt. R. M. READER (488358).

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

Lt. (now Capt.) H. S. ALLEN (481157).
Capt. (Q.M.) A. RODGERS (482441).

ROYAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

Capt. B. KERSHAW (487235).

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

Lt. (now Capt.) J. A. PARK (486982).

ROYAL ARMY EDUCATIONAL CORPS

Lt. (now Capt.) J. P. FORD (467940).

The following officers are awarded the Clasp to the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (Military).

ROYAL ARTILLERY

Capt. G. F. STIRLING, M.B.E. (482202).

INFANTRY

THE SCOTTISH DIVISION

The Queen's Own Highlanders
Capt. J. A. MACLELLAN, M.B.E. (485434).

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

Capt. (Q.M.) W. C. PEARSON (478535).

Forfeiture of Long Service and Good Conduct Medal (Military)

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

Capt. G. CLARKE (482584) (awarded as 19086252 W.O. Cl. I in List 67, Army Order 34 of 1965).

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

20th February 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officers:

Sergeants

18th Jan. 1973

Stuart Ian MELLOR (690394) (*Seniority 20th Jul. 1971*).
Barry Anthony STEEN (4286011) (*Seniority 16th Apr. 1971*).

As Acting Pilot Officers:

Aircraftmen

18th Jan. 1973

Timothy ALMOND (8026178).
Gary ANCELL (8026196).
Jeremy Charles BATEMAN (8026195).
John Leonard BEST (8026202).
Patrick John CHAPMAN (8026193).
Geoffrey COOPER (8026142).
Kevin Clifford EATON (8026150).
Christopher John FINN (8026204).
Julian Charles REDFERN (8026137).
Peter William RYCROFT (8026206).
Peter Rex SHILTON (8026189).
David Barry SNOW (8026187).
Jeffrey Michael THORNTON (8026141).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

P. R. CROSS (8024870). 16th Feb. 1973.

18th Feb. 1973

P. A. BARRETT, B.Sc. (2607679).
J. A. BOYLAN, B.Com. (5200786).
G. A. ELLIS, B.A. (2615308).
F. A. GREER, B.Sc. (2619107).
A. D. H. TURNER, B.Sc. (2618951).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

P. KEMP, B.Sc. (2616738). 1st Nov. 1972.

Regrading Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

Notification Cancelled

London Gazette dated 16th Jan. 1973 concerning Acting Pilot Officer P. L. BAXTER (8025842).

Transfer between Branches

Acting Pilot Officer S. J. LOBLE (8025950) has transferred to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, in the rank of Pilot Officer 15th Jan. 1973 with seniority of 6th Oct. 1972.

Acting Pilot Officer D. R. ANTHONY (8025776) has transferred to the General Duties (Ground) Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer 19th Feb. 1973 with seniority of 9th Sep. 1972.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant G. V. WHITTEN (5200227). 8th Feb. 1973.

Retirement

Group Captain W. J. O. MORRISON, A.F.C., A.F.R.Ae.S. 14th Feb. 1973.

Group Captain R. N. G. ALLEN, C.B.E., D.F.C. (at own request). 8th Feb. 1973.

Squadron Leaders:

D. L. MITCHELL (911102). 25th Jan. 1973.

J. ARMSTRONG (2548852). 4th Feb. 1973.

Flight Lieutenant D. E. DOWNS (4129631). 22nd Jan. 1973.

Flight Lieutenant L. C. MILLS (3514787), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 13th Feb. 1973.

Commission Terminated

Flying Officers:

M. J. PRICE, B.A. (5201747). 29th Jan. 1973.

M. A. LEWIS (8025161). 10th Feb. 1973.

Acting Pilot Officer D. L. WRIGHT (8021255). 16th Jan. 1973.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Acting Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F. (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Aircraftwoman Cecelia CLBGG (8031855). 18th Jan. 1973.

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

J. W. A. O'BRIEN (4232903). 14th Feb. 1973.

Change of Type of Commission

Flying Officer N. A. GREGORY (4335887) has changed his commission from Short Service to a Permanent Commission. 9th Oct. 1972.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flying Officer H. BARTON (4335894). 2nd Feb. 1973.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant B. R. ALLEN (507958). 3rd Feb. 1973.

Flight Lieutenant R. FRENCH (58042) (at own request).
17th Jan. 1973.

**PHOTOGRAPHIC
INTERPRETATION BRANCH**

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Acting Pilot Officer W.R.A.F.:*

Aircraftwoman Anne Mary HODGE (8031843). 18th Jan. 1973.

ENGINEER BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Acting Pilot Officer:*

Aircraftman Leslie John Taylor HENDRY (8023063). 18th Jan. 1973.

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

L. C. BATE (688754). 14th Feb. 1973.

17th Feb. 1973.

P. C. FROST (689024).

I. T. MOORE, C.Eng. (5208949).

Retirement

Squadron Leader C. W. TAGGSELL (51921). 5th Feb. 1973.

Squadron Leader B. BRIMLOW, M.A., D.C.Ae., C.Eng.,
A.F.R.Ae.S. (609018), retaining the rank of Wing Com-
mander. 31st Jan. 1973.

Squadron Leaders (at own request):

13th Jan. 1973.

I. R. G. SMITH (49482).

J. M. SMITH (579498).

Flight Lieutenant J. G. TURNER (566749). 5th Feb. 1973.

Commission Resigned

Flying Officer J. PICKERING, B.Sc. (8022528). 16th Jan. 1973.

Commission Terminated

Acting Pilot Officer D. J. CRITCHLOW (8018605). 10th Feb. 1973.

SUPPLY BRANCH

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

18th Feb. 1973.

D. P. BOOTH (4335481).

B. P. CLUCAS (608723).

D. A. GREEN (608690).

W. T. J. LAWRENCE (608688).

K. M. REES (608730).

P. A. A. WOODS (608709).

Notification Amended

London Gazette dated 23rd Jan. 1973 concerning Pilot Officer R. K. TAPLIN, B.Sc. (5201206). This notification should be inserted under "SECRETARIAL BRANCH".

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer V. WOOD-WOLFE (8031449) W.R.A.F., is extended to 7th Nov. 1978.

Retirement

Squadron Leader J. K. HUDSON (2705177). 15th Feb. 1973.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

*Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**As Flight Lieutenant:*

Bernard Martin LIMBREY, M.Sc. (4335411) 17th Sep. 1972. (Substituted for notification in *London Gazette* dated 31st Oct. 1972.)

As Flying Officers:

Sergeant Anthony Russell SMITH (593828). 18th Jan. 1973 (*Seniority 7th Jan. 1969*).

Corporal Michael Hamish Anthony LINDOW (3523782).
18th Jan. 1973 (*Seniority 7th Mar. 1967*).

*As Acting Pilot Officers:**Aircraftmen*

18th Jan. 1973

Christopher John ABBOTT (8023070).

Gary Graham MARTIN (8023061).

Ian Edward PANTON (8023057).

Robert James PARMEE (8023056).

*Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**As Acting Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. (six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):*

Aircraftwoman Judith Christine COLLETT (8031861).
18th Jan. 1973.

As Acting Pilot Officer W.R.A.F. (four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve):

Aircraftwoman Jean Margaret HUTTON (8031854). 18th Jan. 1973.

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

18th Feb. 1973

R. CONDON (4232476).

Notification Cancelled

London Gazette dated 30th Jan. 1973 concerning Flying Officer B. M. LIMBREY (4335411).

*Regrading**Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F.:*

A. H. JONES (8031817). 1st Dec. 1972.

Change of Type of Commission

Flying Officer W. MCGEORGE (2797578), W.R.A.F., has changed her commission from Short Service to a Permanent Commission. 27th Nov. 1972.

Transfer between Branches

Pilot Officer (now Flying Officer) R. K. TAPLIN, B.Sc. (5201206) has transferred to the Supply Branch. 4th Dec. 1972.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flying Officer D. E. STUART (8031581) W.R.A.F. 11th Jan. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*

18th Feb. 1973

D. A. G. BREMNER (608702).

R. J. FISHWICK (608583).

MEDICAL BRANCH

*Promotion**Wing Commander to Group Captain:*

N. VINCENTI, M.D., F.R.C.S., D.L.O. (504649). 20th Feb. 1973.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:

D. ALLERA, M.B., Ch.B. (5201705). 1st Jan. 1973.

Antedate of Seniority

Flight Lieutenant A. V. SMITH, B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B. (9063) (Woman Medical Officer) is awarded an antedate of seniority of 21st Jan. 1972 from 7th Sep. 1972.

Change of Type of Commission

Flight Lieutenant J. A. C. HOPKIRK, B.A., M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P. (507935) has changed his commission from Short Service to a Permanent Commission. 6th Dec. 1972.

Retirement

Wing Commander R. M. TODD, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. (Edin.) (505309). 4th Feb. 1973.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH

Change of Type of Commission

Rev. J. McL. BLACK, M.A., B.D. (5201152) has changed his commission from Short Service to a Permanent Commission. 1st Sep. 1972.

Commission Resigned

Rev. G. A. BACKHURST (5201443). 16th Jan. 1973.

LEGAL BRANCH

Retirement

Wing Commander F. G. BUDD, B.L. (147378). 14th Feb. 1973.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Promotion

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

17th Feb. 1973

G. S. BOWDEN, B.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.E.E., Dip.El. (503729).

T. G. E. CHURMS, B.Sc., C.Eng., D.U.S., M.I.E.R.E., M.Inst.P., A.F.R.Ae.S. (504402).

A. WILDING, M.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (505796).

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE
NURSING SERVICE*Extension of Service*

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Officer D. M. REID, R.G.N., S.C.M. (408483), has been extended to 14th Sep. 1975.

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer C. M. MACDONALD, R.G.N. (408672), has been extended to 29th Apr. 1975.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Officer E. B. STEIN, R.G.N. (408522). 6th Feb. 1973.

Commission Relinquished

Flying Officer C. M. GRAHAM, R.G.N. (408530). 31st Jan. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF
OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenants (retaining their rank) :

6th Feb. 1973

G. E. BARRETT (4159855).

H. A. HICKLING (5011441).

D. A. LINDSEY (4230019).

P. J. NORRIS (5039616).

L. H. MYATT (4230047). 20th Feb. 1973.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant J. F. MUMBY, B.A. (4102202), retaining his rank. 7th Feb. 1973.

Flying Officer M. A. JOHN (2797116), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 14th Feb. 1973.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Squadron Leader J. P. CULLEN, M.B., B.Chir., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (507953), retaining his rank. 3rd Feb. 1973.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant D. W. HENRY, B.Sc. (507954), retaining his rank. 2nd Feb. 1973.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

ENGINEER BRANCH

Extension of Service

Squadron Leader P. L. HARRIS, B.Sc., C.Eng., M.I.E.E. (2600776), is granted an extension of service on the Active List to 17th Feb. 1977.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE
RESERVE OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant D. J. T. WILLIAMS (582604). 5th Feb. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER
RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission

As Acting Pilot Officers :

Michael John FARMERY (2622868). 7th Oct. 1972.

Nigel John HANDLEY (2623728). 17th Nov. 1972.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER
RESERVE

(TRAINING BRANCH)

Appointment to Commission

As Pilot Officers (Four Years) :

Martin HADLEY (209039). 22nd Sep. 1972.

Antony David Hamilton GARNER, B.A. (209044). 16th Oct. 1972.

Stuart John NICOL, M.A. (209043). 8th Nov. 1972.

Gerard Vincent HEGARTY (3119762). 4th Dec. 1972.

Vernon Harry GIGG (623215). 11th Dec. 1972.

Paul Graham KELLY (209042). 18th Dec. 1972.

Anthony John IRELAND, B.Sc. (209041). 20th Dec. 1972.

Extension of Service

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted an extension of service to the dates stated :

K. J. AINSLIE (2720973). 15th Feb. 1977.

D. J. CARR (207559). 17th Feb. 1974.

E. B. DUCKETT (1832853). 17th Feb. 1977.

N. GROGAN (116151). 14th Feb. 1974.

H. KNIGHT (138913). 19th Feb. 1977.

D. MATHEWS (208337). 4th Feb. 1977.

W. A. NUTTER, L.R.A.M. (189800). 4th Feb. 1974.

D. PRET (2206027). 3rd Feb. 1977.

L. A. POTTER, B.E.M. (1615722). 8th Feb. 1977.

J. U. RIACH (207563). 15th Feb. 1977.

G. B. RICKABY (2682125). 7th Feb. 1977.

E. T. ROBINSON (1582741). 31st Jan. 1977.

D. O. SAMUELS (1383042). 10th Feb. 1977.

K. C. F. TUTTON (1150657). 4th Feb. 1974.

J. F. VERNON (3502748). 22nd Feb. 1977.

P. T. WHITMORE, J.P. (2564472). 6th Feb. 1977.

Commission Resigned

Flying Officers (retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant) :

W. D. COUPLAND (1622297). 19th Nov. 1972.

D. R. STEMBRIDGE (184064). 9th Dec. 1972.

Flying Officers :

M. G. MOORE (208155). 27th Oct. 1972.
D. W. TRICKETT (3101979). 15th Nov. 1972.
I. G. GARDNER (2714264). 30th Nov. 1972.
B. W. LEWINGTON (3139600). 20th Dec. 1972.
R. L. TEDMAN (207850). 1st Jan. 1973.
P. C. BARNES (207844). 2nd Jan. 1973.

Flying Officer G. HUDSPITH (3515986), retaining his rank. 25th Nov. 1972.

Pilot Officer C. YOUNG, M.Sc. (208648). 28th Sep. 1972.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

Whitehall,
London, SW1A 2HB.
20th February 1973.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the publication of the name of the undermentioned officer who has been mentioned in despatches in recognition of distinguished service in Northern Ireland during the period 1st May 1972 to 31st July 1972.

Mention in Despatches

Flying Officer Gordon Anthony MONAGHAN (4233457),
Royal Air Force.

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