

AIRLINES

 OF THE WORLD
THE BRITISH CARRIERS . . .

inclusive tours is operated, also charter services, flying training, aerial survey, aircraft sales and maintenance.

Head Office: 78 Buckingham Palace Gate, London SW1. **Executives:** Gp Capt C. A. B. Wilcock, chairman; Wg Cdr H. A. Roxburgh, R. R. Paine, D. W. T. Sullivan, directors; M. Ager, secretary; A. C. Felts, commercial manager; Capt R. Milson, chief pilot; D. Aldridge, traffic manager. **Fleet:** six DC-3, three Marathon, two Anson, one Consul.

Don Everall (Aviation) Ltd operate scheduled services from the Midlands to Jersey, Guernsey, Exeter and the Isle of Wight; inclusive tours; and passenger and freight charter services. Main base: Birmingham Airport, engineering base; Wolverhampton.

Head Office: Edmond Airport, Birmingham. **Executives:** D. Everall and C. Everall, directors; E. Holden, general manager and chief engineer; A. L. Firmin, operations manager; M. J. Bastwick, commercial manager. **Fleet:** two DC-3.

Eagle Airways Ltd was founded in 1953 and has now the largest European network of scheduled passenger and freight services of any British independent carrier. Services are operated with Vikings from London to Luxembourg, Innsbruck, Dinard, La Baule, Basle (air/rail), Ostend and Jersey, and with DC-6Cs from London to Dinard and La Baule, Pisa, Rimini and Innsbruck. Viking services are operated from Manchester to Ostend and Bergen and DC-6C services from Birmingham to Palma. Eagle Airways is to be controlled by the Cunard Steamship Company, with whom an agreement has recently been negotiated (see British Eagle International Airways Ltd, page 486).

Eagle Airways (Bermuda) Ltd operates scheduled passenger and freight services from Bermuda to the US, Canada and the Bahamas.

Eagle Airways (Bahamas) Ltd operates scheduled passenger and freight services from Nassau to Miami. Both this company and Eagle Airways (Bermuda) have applied to the US Civil Aeronautics Board to operate under the name British Eagle International Airways (see page 486).

Eagle Aviation Ltd was founded in 1948 and operates charter, trooping and inclusive-tour services. This company was the original applicant for the Very Low Fare colonial coach services on British cabotage routes, applications which have led to a considerable extension of low-fare services on British cabotage—as well as international—routes.

Executair Ltd—see Rotorports Ltd.

Hunting-Clan—see Airwork/Hunting-Clan, page 485.

Inter-City Airways Ltd—see Rotorports Ltd.

Jersey Airlines Ltd operates scheduled services linking the Channel Islands to London, Manchester, Southampton, Bournemouth and Exeter in the United Kingdom to Paris, St Brieuc and Dinard in France.

Head Office: The States' Airport, Jersey. **Executives:** M. L. Thomas, chairman and managing director; B. W. Gardiner, T. C. Chandler, R. L. Weir, directors; H. F. Popham, secretary. **Fleet:** six Heron, six DC-3, one Rapide.

Orion Airways Ltd operates inclusive tours and charters from Blackbushe, Gatwick and Coventry Airport. Scheduled services will be operated from Coventry Airport on the completion of the runway which is to be finished in September 1960. These services are to Dinard and Toulouse with passengers, and freight services to Rotterdam, Antwerp and Dusseldorf. The head office will be moved to Coventry Airport on the completion of the runway.

Executives: A. V. Donati, chairman and managing director; P. Cross, secretary; A. D. Heard, commercial manager; A. S. K. Paine, chief engineer; Capt D. W. Heard, operations manager. **Fleet:** three Viking.

Pegasus Airlines Ltd was formed in 1958 for inclusive tours and charter flights. Operational base is at Blackbushe Airport.

Head Office: 236 Old Bedford Road, Luton. **Executives:** C. G. Claydon, chairman; R. P. Wigley, chief engineer. **Fleet:** three Viking.

Pegasus operate a fleet of three Vikings from Blackbushe Airport



Jersey operate the world's largest fleet of Herons on scheduled services

Morton Air Services Ltd—see Airwork/Hunting-Clan.

North-South Airlines Ltd was formed in 1959. Services from Leeds to Exeter - Bournemouth - Isle of Wight started in June. Charter flying and training are other activities.

Head Office: Yeadon Airport, Leeds. **Executives:** E. O. Boardman, chairman; A. W. Platts, vice-chairman; G. G. Rennard, managing director; A. C. Southward, chief pilot. **Employees:** 6. **Fleet:** one Heron 1B.

Olley Air Service Ltd—see Airwork/Hunting-Clan.

Rotorports Ltd was founded in 1957 to construct and operate heliports in the United Kingdom. An associate company, Executair Ltd, has been formed to operate charter air services primarily for business executives using a Westland Widgeon. Rotorports is now associated with Inter-City Airways Ltd, which subject to Government approval is planning to operate scheduled helicopter services over the route Portsmouth - Ryde and Southampton - Ryde.

Scottish Airlines Ltd is engaged on charter services for passengers and freight and on a scheduled service between Prestwick and Ronaldsway.

Head Office: Prestwick Airport, Ayrshire. **Executives:** I. C. Grant, general manager; D. McConnell, secretary; W. A. Wilkinson, technical manager. **Fleet:** two Twin Pioneer, one DC-3.

Silver City—see British Aviation Services.

Skyways Ltd operate scheduled services between London - Malta - Tunis and Cyprus and an animal scheduled freight service between Stansted and Beauvais.

Head Office: 6-7 Berkeley St, London W1. **Executives:** Sir Wavell Wakefield, chairman; E. Rylands, managing director; C. F. Dickson, D. J. Bibby, L. O'B. Harding, directors; D. J. Davies, secretary; H. P. Snelling, general manager (commercial); Capt J. Michie, operations manager; J. Twiss, general manager (admin). **Fleet:** four Constellation, six Hermes, eight York, one DC-3.

Skyways Coach-Air Ltd operates scheduled coach-air services from London to Paris, Lyons and Nice, Montpellier and Vichy, Tours and Dijon.

Head Office: 33 Elizabeth St, London SW1. **Executives:** directors as Skyways Ltd; D. J. Davies, secretary; R. Birkett, general manager; J. L. Clarke, manager (UK).

Starways Ltd operate a scheduled service between Liverpool and London, to Glasgow, Newcastle, Leeds, Manchester, Birmingham, London, and Liverpool to Exeter and Newquay, in addition to charter flights in inclusive tours.

Head Office: Speke Airport, Liverpool 24. **Executives:** F. H. Wilson, chairman; J. A. Wilson, A. M. Wilson, Capt G. K. Leigh, G. C. Gates, directors; J. M. Kent, traffic manager; B. C. L. Johnson, commercial manager; L. C. Crompton, chief inspector.

Tradair Ltd, formed in 1957, operates scheduled passenger freight, inclusive tour, contract and *ad hoc* charter flights from Southend, Essex. An innovation is an unscheduled freight service to Hamburg and Gothenburg at rates well below the basic IATA scale.

Head Office: Prince Rupert House, 64 Queen St, London EC4. **Executives:** E. S. Hanks, chairman; L. N. Monickendam, technical director; Capt J. L. T. Allen, operations director; A. S. Pike, commercial manager; H. H. Porter, sales manager. **Fleet:** four Viking Mk 2, two Viking 1B, two Viking 1B freighters, two Viscount 707.

Transair Ltd—see Airwork/Hunting-Clan.