

# THE ROYAL AIR FORCE

*London Gazette, August 27th.*

The following temporary appointment is made:—  
*Staff Officer, 3rd Class.*—Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) H. M. Ferreira, and to retain his temp. rank whilst so employed; June 10th.  
 The name of Capt. T. C. Macaulay, M.C., is as now described, and not as stated in *Gazette* May 10th.

*Flying Branch.*

Capt. M. Le Blanc-Smith, D.F.C., to be Temp. Maj. whilst employed as Maj. (A.); Aug. 9th.  
 Lieuts. (Temp. Capts.) to be Temp. Maj. whilst employed as Maj. (A.):—  
 E. P. Scott; June 19th. J. S. Williams, M.C.; Aug. 2nd.  
 Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) J. P. Coleman to be Temp. Maj. whilst employed as Maj. (A. and S.); Aug. 8th.  
 Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) T. W. Elmhurst to be Temp. Maj. whilst employed as Maj. (Dir.); April 6th.  
 Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) B. D. Hobbs, D.S.O., D.S.C., to be Temp. Maj. whilst employed as Maj. (S.); May 31st.

Lieuts. to be Temp. Capts. whilst employed as Capt. (A.):—R. W. Rose; April 22nd. A. B. Dees; July 6th. G. N. Anderson; July 27th. J. R. Bell; July 29th. F. B. Barager, G. Bremridge, J. Bussey, F. F. Babbage, H. B. Burrell, D. F. Collins, I. M. Davies, A. H. G. Dunkerley, D. Dalgleish, F. M. Green, H. R. Griffin, (Hon. Capt.) F. M. Hicks, J. L. S. Hanman, W. Jones, J. G. Kidd, W. F. Mayoss, E. H. Marsden, C. E. Maslin, P. Moveney, H. F. Nicholls, W. E. Nicholson, J. J. Paine, J. W. Rayner, R. H. Stocken, W. D. B. Taylor, (Hon. Capt.) W. R. Winterbottom, C. A. B. B. Wilcock, H. W. Wheatley; Aug. 1st. C. Thomas; Aug. 3rd. E. J. Addis; Aug. 8th. S. Carlin, M.C., D.C.M., E. J. Salter, F. Smethurst; Aug. 9th. C. V. Gardner; Aug. 12th. H. Ford; Aug. 13th. A. R. McAfee; Aug. 14th. F. W. Clark, G. Gillanders; Aug. 15th. (Hon. Capt.) H. E. Winter; Aug. 16th. G. W. F. Darvill, H. W. Hewson, E. L. Zink; Aug. 18th. C. E. Abell, J. D. Breakey, J. D. McCall, A. D. K. Perkins, J. B. White; Aug. 19th.

Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) C. M. Briscoe-Owen to be Temp. Capt. whilst employed as Capt. (O.); May 31st.  
 Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) N. H. Woodhead to be Temp. Capt. whilst employed as Capt. (S.); June 15th.  
 Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) L. R. Charron relinquishes his temp. rank on reversion to Lieut. (A.); Aug. 14th.

The following Sec. Lieuts. (late Gen. List, R.F.C., on prob.) are confirmed in their rank as Sec. Lieuts. (A. and S.):—A. J. Hamilton; May 14th. R. C. Tice; May 15th. J. B. Elton; June 8th. E. McEvoy; June 9th. C. A. Harrison; June 12th. K. R. March; June 20th.

The following Prob. Flight Officers (late R.N.A.S.) are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (A. and S.):—S. Castle-Smith; April 17th. D. B. Foss, R. H. Foss; April 25th. S. J. Bolitho, J. R. Taylor; May 15th. P. B. Calder; May 22nd. A. W. Beaven; May 24th. R. E. Thompson; June 9th. R. K. Stinson; June 11th. D. F. Tysoe; June 16th. P. R. J. Roberts; June 20th. H. L. Pitt, P. H. Goodhugh; June 21st. A. H. Partridge, P. E. Clarke; June 22nd. J. R. Robertson; June 24th. G. Kidd, G. W. Cooper; June 26th.

The following are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (A. and S.):—A. M. Campbell (Lieut., R.F.A., S.R.), and to be Hon. Lieut.; April 20th. S. H. Richardson; June 18th.

The following Cadets are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (A. and S.):—A. D. Butler, G. C. Blythe, T. Gray, B. J. Hendry, E. Hughes, I. G. Morrison, C. G. Henderson, B. C. Gibaud; July 30th.

The following Flight Cadets are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (A. and S.):—F. R. Brown; July 20th. G. C. Robbins, C. L. Hurst; July 22nd. R. D. Gilpin-Brown, G. A. Millbank, F. J. Keble, J. S. King, A. R. Robb, G. W. Jones; July 29th. A. Barnes, H. W. Gill; July 30th. C. M. Allan, P. W. Scott, W. F. Smith, G. J. Dickens, C. Turner, N. Smith, R. S. Kenyon; July 31st. F. W. Moulson; Aug. 1st. B. F. J. Johnson, B. T. Humphreys, A. F. Cuthbert; Aug. 2nd. D. D. Ashley; Aug. 5th. E. C. Brown; Aug. 8th. G. L. Reid, C. M. Galletty, F. C. Andrews, M. C. Kerr, W. L. Widgery; Aug. 9th. A. R. Deans, L. C. Welch, E. H. Bird; Aug. 10th. H. D. Thornton; Aug. 11th. J. M. Kelly; Aug. 12th. T. Burton, J. E. Whitehead; Aug. 13th. A. H. Griffiths, S. E. Storey, J. Browning, N. V. Moreton, E. A. Harrison; Aug. 14th. E. F. Wilkinson; Aug. 16th.

H. B. K. Trollope (late Lieut., S.A. Forces) is granted a temp. commn. as Sec. Lieut. (Dir.), and to be Hon. Lieut.; Aug. 1st.

Sec. Lieuts. (late Gen. List, R.F.C., on prob.) are confirmed in their rank as Sec. Lieuts. (K.B.):—A. C. Whittle, J. S. Wilson, E. G. Walker, W. F. Conway, J. H. Ashton, G. C. R. List, S. K. Barnes, A. B. G. Gunn, E. Dear, T. Hall, J. A. Hinchliffe, W. Barrett; May 16th. H. Shoosmith; July 16th.

The following are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (K.B.):—W. C. Harvey (Sec. Lieut., Arg. and Suth'd. Hghrs., T.F.); July 1st. W. Barlow (Sec. Lieut., L'pool. R., T.F.); July 10th. J. L. Booth (Maj., R.E., T.F.), and to be Hon. Maj.; July 30th. C. R. Smallwood (Sec. Lieut., L'pool. R., T.F.); Aug. 4th. H. Hough (Sec. Lieut., N. Staff. R., T.F.); Aug. 7th.

Sec. Lieut. A. Barnes to be Sec. Lieut. (K.B.) from (T.); July 23rd.

The following prob. Flt. Offs. (late R.N.A.S.) are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (K.B.):—H. M. Whittle, H. J. Graves; May 11th. W. R. Atkinson, H. D. Johnson, A. H. Walton, W. J. Guppy, E. C. Parkinson, H. W. Symes, J. E. Wilkinson; May 16th. A. H. Wooster; May 17th. T. C. Lennox, H. P. Woodman, C. E. Jones, P. N. Kerney, E. H. H. Peel, A. Paveley, R. A. Mills, E. I. Davis, R. A. Talley, L. N. Mudditt; July 1st. W. J. Stratford, S. V. Annis; July 16th. A. E. Haylett; Aug. 7th.

The following Flight Cadets are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. (Ob. Offrs.):—H. Buckner, P. A. Clayson; May 18th. J. C. Baxter, A. A. Tutte, J. Wood; July 26th. I. S. Woodhouse; Aug. 10th. B. E. J. D. Tuke, J. Leitwick, W. T. S. Lewis, H. G. Lewis, A. McL. Miller, S. M. Myles, L. P. Perry, C. R. Pickering, S. C. Read, J. Ritchie, C. H. Senegal, E. T. Shone, W. M. Thompson; Aug. 16th. E. G. R. V. Bramble; Aug. 22nd. R. H. Armstrong, S. A. Barnett, W. Bailey, L. C. Belcher, W. V. Philpott, H. J. Pretty, C. E. Robinson, H. H. Senior, H. W. Williams, H. P. Hobbs, J. Davison, H. S. Chapman, A. G. Squire, A. E. Stock, C. O. Thompson, W. L. Walker, A. I. Watts, C. Wilkinson, H. C. Allen, G. S. Barber, R. Dunn, F. N. Coxhill, W. C. Brudenell, S. Burbidge, H. R. Burnett, R. F. Crossing, J. D. Evans, E. D. Barnes, C. E. Bellord, T. Calvert, J. C. Castle, R. Davison, G. A. Large, F. W. Ford; Aug. 23rd. D. E. Coe, S. F. Bett, S. F. Blackwell, F. Baylis, A. P. Booth, O. Berridge, P. F. Bruce, F. A. Bradley, J. B. Ballantyne, R. B. Gordon, R. C. Holdom, A. Johnson, A. S. H. Mills, A. Mulholland, P. V. Dobby, R. C. Cornell, H. N. Callaway, H. C. Norman, F. Nottingham, F. J. Shrive, E. V. Smith, B. Shaw, L. F. R. Ollington, J. R. Wilkinson, W. F. Watson, A. H. Winham, G. D. Lane, D. Neale, A. Taylor; Aug. 24th. W. H. Greaves, W. C. Benton; Aug. 25th. W. B. Clarke, H. S. Cranfield, R. H. Dilloway, A. Gammon, G. W. Pearce, T. L. Rose, A. Tretheway, H. Wittup, J. H. Kennedy; Aug. 26th.

The following relinquish their comms. on ceasing to be employed:—Sec. Lieut. C. P. Todd; July 10th. Lieut. C. P. Sheppard; Aug. 1st.

Lieut. F. W. Chambers relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health, and is granted the hon. rank of Lieut.; Aug. 28th.

The following Sec. Lieuts. relinquish their comms., having been found permanently unfit for further instruction as Pilots or Observers:—W. E. Hunt, C. P. Rumball, J. D. Taylor; Aug. 28th.

The date of relinquishment of commn. by Sec. Lieut. F. Steel is July 26th, and not as stated in *Gazette* July 12th.

The surname of Lieut. J. F. Forster, Bord. R., T.F. (Sec. Lieut., A. and S.), is as now described, and not as in *Gazette* July 19th.

The surname of Charles Evans Thorp is as now described, and not Thorpe, as in *Gazette* Aug. 9th.

The initials of Sec. Lieut. L. J. W. Murphy are as now described, and not as in *Gazette*, July 12th.

The notification in *Gazette* Aug. 6th, concerning H. B. King, is cancelled.

*Administrative Branch.*

Capt. to be Temp. Maj. while employed as Maj. :—S. H. Cleall; July 9th. A. M. Lester; July 23rd.

Lieuts. (Temp. Capts.) to be Temp. Maj. while employed as Maj. :—R. A. Hassard; July 23rd. M. Skitt; Aug. 1st. J. C. Forsyth; Aug. 19th.

Lieuts. to be Temp. Capts. whilst employed as Capt. :—W. C. Hacon, C. W. Jamieson, W. G. Nutter; May 15th.

Lieuts. to be Lieuts., from (A.):—(Temp. Capt.) J. S. Michie, M.C., and to be Hon. Capt.; June 6th. E. R. Evans; July 23rd. (Hon. Capt.) A. B. Campbell, and to be Hon. Capt.; Aug. 1st. B. H. Godfrey; Aug. 10th. J. W. Jackson; Aug. 16th.

Lieut. C. Clarke to be Lieut., from (K.B.); Aug. 20th.

Lieuts. to be Lieuts., from (O.):—H. S. Cudlip; June 10th. V. J. Holland; June 30th.

Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) J. C. Watson to be Lieut., from (S.), and to be Hon. Capt.; Aug. 6th.

W. H. D. Phillips (Temp. Qrnr. and Hon. Lieut., R. Mar.) is granted a temp. commn. as Lieut.; June 26th (substituted for notification in the *Gazette* of July 30th).

C. H. Markham (Capt., North'd. Fus.) is granted a temp. commn. as Lieut., and to be Hon. Capt.; Aug. 15th.

Sec. Lieuts. to be Temp. Lieuts. whilst employed as Lieuts. :—W. A. Carroll, R. C. Clements, F. Freeman, A. E. Marriott, A. H. Read, G. F. Tidbury, G. Williams; May 15th. G. J. Mackie, D.C.M.; July 26th. H. P. Souter; Aug. 18th.

The following are granted temp. comms., as Sec. Lieuts., and to be Temp. Lieuts. whilst specially employed:—C. A. Assiter, L. H. Bainton; Aug. 26th.

The following are granted temp. comms. as Sec. Lieuts. :—S. J. Croad; Aug. 13th. W. Chester, D. T. Davies, T. J. Harrington (Qrnr. and Hon. Lieut. Lond. R.), and to be Hon. Lieut., H. A. Pippett, F. W. Waller; Aug. 24th. R. H. Clarke, H. D. Diggle, C. Green, A. A. Loveridge, A. H. Searle (late Lieut. S.A. Rif.), and to be Hon. Lieut., K. M. Vaughan; Aug. 26th.

Sec. Lieut. P. H. Hutchings resigns his commn.; Aug. 28th.

The initials of Lieut. L. A. Woodward are as now described, and not as in *Gazette*, Aug. 16th.

*Technical Branch.*

Capt. to be Temp. Maj. while employed as Maj. :—T. Macleod; June 19th. S. A. Currin; July 23rd.

Lieuts. (Temp. Capts.) to be Temp. Maj. while employed as Majors:—J. H. B. Burgess, W. S. Hammond; July 9th. R. E. Cook; July 23rd.

Lieuts. to be Temp. Capts. while employed as Capt. :—A. W. Phillips, M.C.; April 1st. F. G. Brockman; May 1st. H. G. Etheridge, F. B. Nichol; May 15th. W. J. R. Sheppard; May 31st. W. G. Barry, G. L. Chater; June 1st. H. J. Finer, from (A.); July 23rd. (Hon. Capt.) E. S. Cohen; July 24th. H. J. L. Cappel, from (O.); Aug. 5th. Lieut. A. Firth to be Lieut., from (A.); June 1st.

Lieuts. to be Lieuts. from (O.):—W. Hinsley; June 28th. W. McC. Taylor; July 1st.

Sec. Lieuts. to be Temp. Lieuts. while employed as Lieuts. :—(Hon. Lieut.) J. B. Roth; April 1st. (Hon. Capt.) T. R. Duff, and retains his hon. rank; P. Haselock, E. W. M. Tomlinson; May 1st. J. Booth, H. H. Cox, F. B. Woods; May 15th. W. R. Munro; June 1st. F. Atkins; June 14th. (Hon. Lieut.) J. B. Bown, (Hon. Capt.) U. Brown, and retains his hon. rank, C. Hammersley, C. G. Whitmore; July 1st. (Hon. Lieut.) D. G. Bown Aug. 4th. J. Darwen, F. P. Williams; Aug. 18th.

D. Simmons is granted a temp. commn. as Sec. Lieut.; Aug. 26th.

Lieut. R. H. Whittington resigns his commn.; Aug. 28th.

The initials of Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) F. B. Bedford are as now described, and not as in *Gazette* July 2nd.

*Medical Branch.*

P. T. J. O'Farrell is granted a temp. commn. as Capt.; Aug. 26th.

The following are granted temp. comms. as Lieuts. :—J. G. Bird; Aug. 23rd. J. Ferguson; Aug. 26th.

The date of appointment of N. Homewood as Temp. Lieut. is Aug. 12th, and not as stated in *Gazette* Aug. 16th.

*Dental Branch.*

S. C. Turner is granted a temp. commn. as Lieut.; Aug. 26th.

*Memoranda.*—Capt. H. A. Porter relinquishes his appointment as S.O.; April 15th.

Lieut. (Hon. Capt.) D. C. Woods to take rank and prec. as if his appointment as Lieut. bore date Jan. 1st.

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The following temporary appointments are made at the Air Ministry:—

*Deputy Chief of the Air Staff.*—Col. (Temp. Brig.-Gen.) O. Swann, and to retain the temp. rank of Brig.-Gen. while so employed, vice Lieut.-Col. (Temp. Brig.-Gen.) R. M. Groves, D.S.O.; Aug. 12th.

*Staff Officer, 2nd Class.*—Air.—G. J. Watney (actg. Staff Paym., R.N.), and is granted a temp. commn. as Maj.; July 15th.

*Staff Officer, 3rd Class.*—A. J. Dawson (Temp. Capt. in Army), and is granted a temp. commn. as Capt.; April 22nd.

The following temporary appointments are made:—

*Staff Officer, 1st Class.*—Maj. R. B. B. Colmore, and to be Temp. Lieut.-Col. while so employed; May 14th.

*Staff Officers, 3rd Class.*—P.—Lieut. G. E. Moore, and to be Temp. Capt. while so employed; April 1st.

The name of Capt. C. C. Treatt is as now described, and not as in *Gazette* May 10th.

*Flying Branch.*

Capt. (Temp. Maj.) W. G. Sitwell to be Temp. Lieut.-Col. while employed as Lieut.-Col. (A. and S.); Aug. 8th.

To be Temp. Lieut.-Cols. while employed as Lieut.-Cols. (S.):—Maj. E. R. C. Nanson, D.S.C., Capt. (Temp. Maj.) E. V. S. Wilberforce; Aug. 8th.

To be Temp. Maj. while employed as Maj. (A.):—Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) W. A. Hannay; May 31st. Capt. C. M. Leman, M.C.; Aug. 14th. Lieut. (Temp. Capt.) T. Q. Back; Aug. 15th.