

Acting Squadron Leader Frank Roland MANGHAM (66863), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Acting Squadron Leader Christopher Berkeley WYNN-PARRY, B.M., B.Ch. (500295), Royal Air Force.

Acting Squadron Leader Gerard Francis TURNBULL, A.F.C. (195913), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Frederick Ernest ASHFORD (51946), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Edward Charles BARTLETT (44385), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Murray BARTON (57695), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant William Maxwell Bush FARROW (47373), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Gordon Edward Peer FOOT (188394), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Leonard George HOPKINSON (49141), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Alexander Geoffrey KENYON (117309), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Ernest Frederick George LAUNDER (51935), Royal Air Force (Retired).

Flight Lieutenant John NINIAN, D.F.C. (53478), Royal Air Force.

Flight Officer Winifred Joan POTTS (1905), Women's Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Ernest SCOTT (55945), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Robert Guy SHILLINGFORD (204331), Royal Auxiliary Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Jack Leslie WALLACE (57450), Royal Air Force.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Joseph Abner LEE (136229), Royal Air Force Reserve of Officers.

Warrant Officer Alexander FINDLAY (510744), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer William Alexander FRASER (550908), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer William GOMMO (358562), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer John Samuel Allan MADELEY (565333), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer William Rendall MOODIE (520261), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer Albert Emsley PARKER (560371) Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer William George SLEEP (590371), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer William THOMPSON (590241), Royal Air Force.

Acting Warrant Officer John Francis George HUNTER (565165), Royal Air Force.

Rab Tremma Yacube KHOSHABA (X. 13), Royal Air Force Levies, Iraq.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

1st January, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be an Ordinary Dame Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

The Right Honourable Margaret Diana, Countess ALEXANDER OF TUNIS. For public services.

To be Ordinary Knights Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Sir Thomas Penberthy BENNETT, C.B.E., Chairman, Crawley Development Corporation.

Sir Robert Bland BIRD, Bt., Member of Parliament for West Wolverhampton, 1922-1929 and 1931-1945. For political and public services.

Colonel Douglas Stephenson BRANSON, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., T.D., D.L., Chairman, Territorial and Auxiliary Forces Association, West Riding of Yorkshire.

Jacob EPSTEIN, Esq., Sculptor.

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Leonard Percy LORD, Esq., Chairman and Managing Director, British Motor Corporation, Ltd.

Commander Seton Stuart Crichton MITCHELL, C.B., O.B.E., Royal Navy (Retired), Controller of Guided Weapons and Electronics, Ministry of Supply.

Richard Royle POWELL, Esq., C.B., C.M.G., Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Defence.

The Right Honourable John Campbell, Baron TRENT, J.P., D.L. For social and educational services.

Edgar William VERITY, Esq., C.B., Deputy Chairman, Board of Inland Revenue.

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Roy George Douglas ALLEN, Esq., O.B.E., Professor of Statistics, University of London.

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John Thomas Asprey BROOKS, Esq., Chief Quantity Surveyor, Ministry of Works.

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Stephen France BURMAN, Esq., M.B.E., lately Chairman, now Vice-Chairman, Board of Governors of the United Birmingham Hospitals.

James Anderson BURNETT, Esq., Divisional Road Engineer, Scotland, Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation.