WW1 RFC PILOTS INSIGNIA FROM RAF 1918 PATTERN TUNIC AND CAP



WW1 RFC pilots insignia from uniform and cap, as removed from the pilots uniform. This insignia was worn by Lieutenant G L Newman, a flight instructor and test pilot with the RFC and RAF 1917-18.



Group consists of all the RFC buttons (10); large, pocket an epaulette. Very attractive embroidered and paper backed pilots wings, removed from tunic. Officer cap badge stamped 'J R Gaunt of London'— one prong missing. Lieutenants rank pips and a scarce to find cap ribbon (from part only), as worn by probationary/trainee pilots in the RFC. RFC badge is similar in size to RFC collar insignia but is sewn into ribbon so backing can't be seen.



