

*Grant of acting rank.**Air Vice-Mshl. as Air Mshl.:—*

H. E. P. WIGGLESWORTH, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.C.  
15th Oct. 1944.

J. J. BREEN, C.B., O.B.E. 1st Dec. 1944.

*Transfer between branches.*

Flt. Lt. L. W. C. LACEY (49670) to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 13th Oct. 1944.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Plt. Off. as prob (emergency):—*  
Wt. Off.

551127 Edward Guy Ashley HART (56156). 2nd Nov. 1944.

*Notification amended.*

18th Apr. 1944 (p. 1764, col. 1) concerning 510035 Wt. Off. Albert Ernest Richard FINN (54220) for Plt. Off. (prob.) read Flg. Off. (prob.).

*Promotion.**Air Cdre. (temp. Air Vice-Mshl.) to Air Vice-Mshl.:—*

H. H. McL. FRASER, C.B. 1st Dec. 1944.

*Gp. Capt. (temp. or war subs. Air Cdre.) to Air Cdre. 1st Dec. 1944:—*

C. B. COOKE, C.B.E.

E. J. CUCKNEY, C.B.E., D.S.C. (actg. Air Vice-Mshl.).

E. D. DAVIS, O.B.E. (actg. Air Vice-Mshl.).

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency):—*

Flt. Sgt.

700295 William Albert Charles KINGHAM (56157). 2nd Nov. 1944.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Flg. Off. on prob. (emergency):—*

Wt. Off.

354159 Harry Cecil Woods (56159). 2nd Nov. 1944.

*Reversion to retired list.*

Sqn. Ldr. H. SLEIGH (10148) at his own request, retaining the rank of Wg. Cdr. 10th Oct. 1944.

**ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.***Reversion to retired list.*

Flt. Lt. (temp. Sqn. Ldr.) W. E. ENNIS (11166), retaining the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 13th Nov. 1944.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

James Leonard BROWN, M.D., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23414), as Flg. Off. (short service) for three years on the active list. 30th Aug. 1939 (*Seny. 30th Aug. 1938*). (Subs. for notifs. of 26th Sept. 1939 (p. 6503, col. 2) and 16th July 1940 (p. 4366, col. 1).)

*Retirement.*

Flt. Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) L. JONES (23149) (and re-employed). 12th Sept. 1944.

Gp. Capt. E. W. CRAIG, M.C., M.B., B.Ch., at his own request, retaining the rank of Air Cdre. 12th Aug. 1944. (Subs. for notfn. of 29th Aug. 1944 (p. 3996, col. 1).)

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.***Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial.*

Flg. Off. W. R. BUCK (48886). 15th May 1944.

**RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Transfer between branches.*

Flt. Lt. E. S. RHEIN (41532) to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 20th Nov. 1944.

Wg. Cdr. J. F. MCKENNA, A.F.C., L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (70430), relinquishes his rank at his own request and is transf'd. to the Medical Br. in the rank of Sqn. Ldr. 1st Nov. 1944.

*Commission relinquished.*

*The undermid. (on abpt. to R.C.A.F.):—*

Sqn. Ldr. (temp. Wg. Cdr.) N. W. TIMMERMAN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39046). 7th Nov. 1944.

*Flt. Lts. (temp. Sqn. Ldrs.):—*

R. W. THOMPSON (41496). 18th Oct. 1944.

K. G. TAYLOR (41331). 20th Oct. 1944.

Flt. Lt. W. I. ANSTEY, D.F.C. (36214) (on abpt. to R.N.Z.A.F.). 17th Aug. 1944.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—*

Wt. Offs.

1204706 Ernest Doods BOYD (186401). 11th June 1944.

1525207 Thomas FENWICK (186260). 17th June 1944.

921380 Leonard Frederick CANNON (186219). 18th June 1944.

1313747 Thomas Benjamin Oswyn EVANS, D.F.M. (186109). 10th July 1944.

1331913 Kenneth William LEAFORD (186169). 11th July 1944.

655200 Thomas DERRICK (186116). 12th July 1944.

1304390 Stanley Claud FERRIS (186536). 15th July 1944.

1029826 Henry GALGUT (186115). 16th July 1944.

1021214 Hugh Crawford YOUNG (186542). 17th July 1944.

18th July 1944.

1230144 Frank Cyril COOKE (187363).

1391498 James Herbert NEWBERY (186420).

1250600 Alexander Norman BORROW (186421). 19th July 1944.

1076457 David Ernest DUTHIE (187359). 24th July 1944.

1335793 Wilfred Hay CHOWNS (187364). 28th July 1944.

1042283 Bernard Percival CASE (186105). 2nd Aug. 1944.

1293286 Albert NOYES (186271). 4th Aug. 1944.

1319186 Victor Douglas VALENTINE (186163). 5th Aug. 1944.

970161 James CARRUTHERS (186537). 8th Aug. 1944.

755316 Douglas Victor Milne HARDING (186570). 14th Aug. 1944.

1179316 Eric Arthur WILKINS (186162). 15th Aug. 1944.

655718 Edward Henry Ernest LUCAS (185923). 20th Aug. 1944.

745532 Frank William Gordon ADAMS (186159). 24th Aug. 1944.

26th Aug. 1944.

1252915 Dick MANSER, D.F.M. (186170).

1255934 Arthur James WELLSTED (186154).

1293409 Alfred John DOUBLE (186214). 28th Aug. 1944.

31st Aug. 1944.

1258432 David GOLDING (186423).

1333825 Alfred Robert William MILNE (186495).

1st Sept. 1944.

1176616 Douglas Sydney WEED (186263).

1060768 Andrew JAFFRAY (186419).

2nd Sept. 1944.

1166458 Russell Edward John DENIS BURDEN (186250).

923265 John Linton GARDNER (181585).

1336160 John William GILCHRIST (186400). 3rd Sept. 1944.

4th Sept. 1944.

1255389 Robert Donald SAUNDERS (186489).

923111 William Wallace OTTEWILL (186487).

1245673 Robert Colin WILLDEY (186486).

5th Sept. 1944.

1193126 Lionel John Herbert TALBOT (186538).

1265057 Raymond Wynne PRICE (186496).

1003139 William Edward HOPKINS (186294).

810104 Leslie Francis FOSTER (186155). 8th Sept. 1944.

9th Sept. 1944.

1391269 William Edward BRYANT (186158).

1354342 Arthur Weston SANDERS (186404).

12th Sept. 1944.

1199304 Hugh Joseph KEENAN (187348).

1190919 Robert Ferguson GRAY (186266).

1320103 Clifford Denis BRINDED (186157).

777862 Richard Exeter DAVISON (186228).

749312 Stanley George GERMAINE (186324).