

P. F. BLACKFORD (33507).
 D. D. HAIG, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33540).
 J. F. HATTON (33541).
 P. DE L. LE CHEMINANT, D.F.C. (33544).
 D. T. M. LUMSDEN (33545).
 R. B. MORISON, D.F.C. (33516).
 R. W. PYE (33517).
 F. A. ROBINSON, D.F.C. (33520).
 M. M. STEPHENS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33522).
 R. VEAL (33553).
 T. A. VIGORS, D.F.C. (33554).
 R. L. WADE, D.F.C. (33524).

A. R. T. BEDDOW (33556). 8th July 1943.
 7th Sept. 1943.

B. R. CHAMPION (33558).
 M. W. COOMBES (33561).
 J. M. O. DYER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (33564).
 A. F. FEGEN (33565).
 P. I. HOWARD-WILLIAMS, D.F.C. (33569).
 T. DE T. MACDONALD (33571).
 R. C. L. PARKHOUSE (33575).
 J. N. ROWLAND, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33577).
 A. A. J. SANDERS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (33578).
 J. A. SOWREY, D.F.C. (33551).
 A. H. HUMPHREY, D.F.C., A.F.C. (33543).
 1st Nov. 1943.

12th Nov. 1943.
 I. R. CAMPBELL (33557).
 G. E. CRUWYS (33510).

21st Jan. 1944.
 P. R. CASEMENT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (44188).
 J. G. HAIGH (44193).
 H. A. JENKINS, D.F.C. (44195).
 N. M. MAYNARD, D.F.C. (44196).
 T. R. N. WHEATLEY-SMITH (44200).

J. F. D. ELKINGTON (44184). 14th Apr. 1944.
 L. M. GILCHRIST (31221). 17th Mar. 1946.
 J. R. VALENTINE, D.F.C. (31183). 26th Mar. 1946.

M. B. COOPER (31211). 24th Apr. 1946.

To Flg. Off.:—

G. W. TOPLISS, D.F.C. (31167). 15th June 1944.
 R. PEEL (21201). 20th Oct. 1944.
 P. S. GEE (21236). 17th Mar. 1945.

Transfer between branches.

Flg. Off. T. W. GOLDSMITH (56460) to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br. 7th May 1946.

Retirement.

Air Ch. Mshl. Sir Christopher L. COURTNEY, G.B.E., K.C.B., D.S.O. (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 9th Nov. 1945. (Subs. for notfn. of 22nd Jan. 1946, p. 565, col. 1.)

Commission relinquished.

Flg. Off. I. A. W. D. FERGUSON (55449) (on appt. to the Admin. and Spec. Duties Br.). 7th Feb. 1946.

The undermid. (on return to Army duty):—

Wg. Cdr. R. E. S. SKELTON (Maj., R.T.R.) (25050). 26th Apr. 1946.
 Wg. Cdr. G. F. WATSON-SMYTH (Capt. D.C.L.I.) (25069). 1st May 1946.
 Flt. Lt. D. SMITH (Lt., R.T.R.) (44805). 26th Feb. 1946.
 Flt. Lt. A. M. R. MALLOCK (Lt., R. Signals) (51544). 26th Apr. 1946.
 Flt. Lt. P. D. MORRIS (Lt., R.A.) (43551). 9th May 1946.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Sqn. Ldrs. (permanent):*—
 1st Sept. 1945.

Anthony George Patrick BRIGHTMORE (90073).
 Richard Henry Corthorn BROUSSON, O.B.E. (73102).

As Flt. Lts. (permanent):*—

1st Sept. 1945.
 Marcus Liege Louvain BATHE (45298).
 Lawrence WAKELIN (43836).

As Flg. Off. (permanent):*—

1st Sept. 1945.
 Dennis HEALY (52958).

As Plt. Offs. on prob. (emergency):—

650747 Wt. Off. John William Douglas STEVENS (57928). 4th Apr. 1946.
 571043 Flt. Sgt. Alfred John BUNNER (57752). 14th Feb. 1946.
 574037 Sgt. Kenneth Charles SKILLMAN (57927). 4th Apr. 1946.

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

569018 Flt. Sgt. Cecil Herbert MORRIS (57855). 28th Mar. 1946.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flg. Off. F. AMANN (51757) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 29th Oct. 1945) as if his appt. as Flg. Off. bore date 13th Nov. 1944.

Retirement.

Wg. Cdr. (temp. Gp. Capt.) C. A. HOY, M.C. (and re-employed). 13th Feb. 1946.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Ian Alexander William Drysdale FERGUSON (55449), as Actg. Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 7th Feb. 1946.

Transfer between branches.

Flt. Lt. C. J. BROOMHEAD, D.F.M. (47581) to the Tech. Br. 5th Sept. 1945.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

532971 Sgt. Adam LAWSON (57966) as Plt. Off. on prob. (emergency). 28th Mar. 1946.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

515256 Wt. Off. John William EASTHAM (57916) as Plt. Off. (Qr.-Mr.) on prob. (emergency). 4th Apr. 1946.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Sqn. Ldr. (temp. Wg. Cdr.) to Wg. Cdr.:—
 1st Apr. 1946.
 H. I. CLAPPERTON, L.D.S. (23100).
 P. M. MARGAND, L.D.S. (23102).

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Sqn. Ldr. C. M. D. CHAMBERS (27121) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 27th Oct. 1945) as if his appt. as Sqn. Ldr. bore date 5th Mar. 1942.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court-Martial.

Sqn. Ldr. D. B. BARNARD, D.F.C. (40352). 17th Jan. 1946.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class CC).

As Flt. Lts.:—
 John Francis LENAGHAN. 11th Apr. 1946.
 15th Apr. 1946.
 Evory William CARMICHAEL.
 Langdon NANCARROW.

17th Apr. 1946.
 Reginald Stacey HELLER, D.F.C.
 Reginald Meywell KIRTON.

As Flg. Offs.:—

Charles Edward BUCK. 9th Apr. 1946.
 Edward Ernest NABB. 15th Apr. 1946.

As Plt. Off.:—

Alexander Brown HOUSTON, D.F.C. 15th Apr. 1946.

Commission relinquished (class CC).

The undermid. (on cessation of duty):—

Gp. Capt. J. O. ARCHER, C.B.E. 1st May 1946.
 Wg. Cdr. A. R. MACRAE. 26th Apr. 1946.
 Sqn. Ldr. F. E. ALLEN. 18th Apr. 1946.

Flt. Lts.:—

B. V. BISHOP. 13th Apr. 1946.
 F. JARRETT. 17th Apr. 1946.
 D. E. O. HAYTER. 22nd Apr. 1946.

* Retaining their existing ranks under war time rules. Relative seniority in permanent rank will be determined later.