

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—
R. M. ADAMS, L.D.S. (201717). 21st Mar. 1947.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officers (five years on the active list):—
Francis George RICE (59001). 3rd Mar. 1947.
William Beesley Roy Pocock (59008). 12th Mar. 1947.

LEGAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—*
Walter Arthur Munday ORAM (199138). 1st July 1946.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Chaplains (permanent) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—*

1st Sept. 1945.
Rev. Arthur William HOPKINS (38066).
Rev. John Nevill KEELING (38054).
Rev. John Joseph ROCHE (38047).

1st July 1946.
Rev. William Andrew CLYNES (38063).
Rev. John Henry Kynaston DAGGER (79350).
Rev. Emrys DAVIES (38098).
Rev. Gordon HYSLOP (38083).
Rev. Hugh Lorimer Octavius RESS (61209).

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant J. S. WILKINSON, D.F.C. (31299) (on appt. to a new commission in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 20th Feb. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant N. GREEN (42564). 2nd Apr. 1947.

The undermtd. (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service):—

Flight Lieutenant (temp. Squadron Leader) C. G. M. ANDERSON (18039) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 22nd Mar. 1947.

Flight Lieutenant G. M. GOODMAN (42678) retaining his rank. 20th Mar. 1947.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Squadron Leader T. J. MACINERNEY (28253) (on appt. to the reconstituted Auxiliary Air Force) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 6th Mar. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

20th Feb. 1947.
James Patrick Clement CLARK (168186).
Ivan Francis Robert DICKINSON (169065).
Ronald FERGUSON (163308).
Hugh Martin HOWARD (187156).
Jeffrey Stephen WILKINSON, D.F.C. (31299).

24th Feb. 1947.
James Morriss BURCH (163349).
Ross Smith MACARTHUR (204216).

Malcolm James CONWAY (204217). 28th Feb. 1947.

5th Mar. 1947.
Arnold Leon PORRI (199002).
Brian Robert JACKSON WALKER (164773).

7th Mar. 1947.
Robert Normanton HAMER, A.F.C. (131486).
Herbert Clive Louis LEECH (129337).
Deric Newport WALLEY (153973).

As Pilot Officers (in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

5th Feb. 1947.
Walter Chishlom MACPHAIL (204229).
Ian Hunter THOMSON (204231).

Ian McMaster KILLICOAT (204230). 6th Feb. 1947.

William Victor BLAKEY (204234). 20th Feb. 1947.

28th Feb. 1947.

Kenneth BAIRD (204236).
Gerald Marcel CLARKE (204232).
Clifford Moyle FREEMAN (204235).
Alexander LIMPITLAW (204238).
Douglas Anderson WILKINSON (204237).
Graham Ivor WILLIAMS (204233).

7th Mar. 1947.
Alfred William BUCKLEY (204272).
Colin GERRARD (204270).
Kenneth Marsh HILL (204271).
Frank LUND (204273).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant J. R. BEST (133118) to the Secretarial Br. as Flight Lieutenant (temp.) retaining his seniority. 18th Mar. 1947.

Flight Lieutenant J. R. C. PROUDLOCK (135881) to the Provost Br. as Flight Lieutenant (temp.). 5th Mar. 1947 (seny. 13th July 1946).

Flying Officer (war subs.) L. A. GRAY (184508) to the Aircraft Control Br. 3rd Mar. 1947 (seny. 8th Jan. 1946).

Forfeiture of seniority.

Pilot Officer P. C. CLARKE (200556) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 12th Sept. 1946) as if his appt. as Pilot Officer bore date 10th Jan. 1946.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant J. GATISS (126965) (on appt. to a new commission in the R.A.F. Education Br.). 12th Feb. 1947.

Flying Officer D. H. FREEMAN (185743). 28th Jan. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining their rank:—

E. G. DAVIES (150336). 21st Mar. 1947.
W. R. T. TUCKER (175828). 22nd Mar. 1947.
P. O. COLLINS (133417). 29th Mar. 1947.

The undermtd. (on appt. to a new commission in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—
I. F. R. (DICKINSON (169065). 20th Feb. 1947.

7th Mar. 1947.
R. N. HAMER, A.F.C. (131486).
H. C. L. LEECH (129337).
D. N. WALLEY (153973).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

20th Feb. 1947.
J. P. C. CLARK (168186).
R. FERGUSON (163308).
H. M. HOWARD (187156).
J. M. BURCH (163349). 24th Feb. 1947.

5th Mar. 1947.
A. L. PORRI (199002).
B. R. J. WALKER (164773).

The undermtd. (on appt. to the reconstituted Auxiliary Air Force):—

Squadron Leader J. G. BENSON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (81365), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 5th Mar. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

3rd Mar. 1947.
J. P. CRUMP, D.F.C. (106096).
G. M. ROBERTSON, D.F.C. (86657).
D. E. PROUDLOVE (111108). 6th Mar. 1947.
R. S. EASBY, D.F.C. (82670). 12th Mar. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

3rd Mar. 1947.
R. M. BATTEN (116035).
H. G. M. GORDON (146416).
W. INNES (151441).
J. D. TURNBULL (149218).
W. H. WILSON (143697).

6th Mar. 1947.
H. H. COLE-BAKER, D.F.C. (162073).
M. F. GOODCHAP (117469).
A. RICHARDSON (163059).
N. B. ROGERS (150555).
J. E. VILES (175903).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

W. H. GRIFFITHS, A.F.C. (198035). 3rd Mar. 1947.

6th Mar. 1947.
J. BRANDER (196453).
J. MCILWRATH (181685).
J. B. SHARPE (195203).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.