

*As Flight Lieutenants, extended service (four years on the active list)\*:*

- Alan John Herbert KITLEY (111994). 23rd Jan. 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- 12th Feb. 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- Michael HOYLE (47407).
- Rufus LEGGETT (103037).
- James John William LEWIS, D.F.M. (47570). 28th Feb. 1946 (seny. 1st Jan. 1943).
- 28th Feb. 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- Alfred Peter KNAPTON, D.F.C. (116984).
- John Harding LEWIS (101513).
- Kenneth Noel HOLLAND (84723). 8th Aug. 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- 22nd Aug. 1946.
- Edward Quentin MOODY (40006) (seny. 1st Dec. 1942).
- Arthur John Howard GORDON (116138) (seny. 1st Jan. 1943).
- Peter Charles BARGE, D.F.C. (45896). 10th Oct. 1946 (seny. 1st Jan. 1943).
- 12th Dec. 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- Arthur Vincent PLOWRIGHT (63476).
- Oliver Charles Howard STANFORD-SMITH (104470).
- Joseph Richard SAUNDERS (113421). 1st Jan. 1947 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).
- Nicholas John Crawford POLLOCK (102601). 9th Jan. 1947 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).

*As Flying Officers, extended service (four years on the active list)\*:*

- 18th Dec. 1945.
- John Joseph CANNING, D.F.C. (127544) (seny. 31st July 1943).
- Sidney Arthur BUNTING (132766) (seny. 21st Nov. 1943).
- George CUBBY (139255) (seny. 12th Dec. 1943).
- William John BASER, D.F.C. (161047) (seny. 28th July 1944).
- Raymond Edmond LIND, D.F.C. (179076). 21st Feb. 1946 (seny. 7th June 1945).
- John Henry MAISEY (128522). 28th Feb. 1946 (seny. 28th Aug. 1943).
- 23rd May 1946.
- James Charles PENNY (138502) (seny. 30th Oct. 1943).
- Ronald William HAPPE (182710) (seny. 19th July 1945).
- Douglas Frank ORCHARD (150618). 6th June 1946 (seny. 1st Oct. 1944).
- 27th June 1946.
- John William WOOD (137583) (seny. 8th Dec. 1943).
- Herbert Henry WRIGHT (141271) (seny. 9th Dec. 1943).
- 8th Aug. 1946.
- George Edward JONES (132013) (seny. 9th Oct. 1943).
- Eric Richard DICKETTS, D.F.C. (169871) (seny. 17th Oct. 1944).
- Alan Thomas GAMBLE (182816) (seny. 28th July 1945).
- 22nd Aug. 1946.
- Kenneth George CHAMBERLAIN, D.F.C. (132332) (seny. 3rd Sept. 1943).
- Wilfred BEAUMONT, D.F.C. (157453) (seny. 31st Aug. 1944).
- William Leslie MUDWAY (131876). 26th Sept. 1946 (seny. 24th Oct. 1943).
- Robert Albert BLINCOE (171928). 24th Oct. 1946 (seny. 8th Dec. 1944).
- Alan Peter DUNN (165544). 28th Nov. 1946 (seny. 16th June 1945).
- 5th Dec. 1946.
- Karl Ernest CHRISTENSEN (123190) (seny. 1st May 1943).
- Ronald Charles ETHERIDGE, D.F.C. (138470) (seny. 30th Jan. 1944).
- John McGuire, D.F.C. (155394) (seny. 30th July 1944).
- John Edward BROUH (184383). 12th Dec. 1946 (seny. 2nd Sept. 1945).
- 1st Jan. 1947.
- Charles Henry CLARKE (138404) (seny. 1st Mar. 1945) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

William TASKER (181244) (seny. 3rd June 1946) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

Joseph CLARKE, D.F.C. (184979) (seny. 26th Sept. 1946) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

John George FOWLER (166853) (seny. 6th Oct. 1946) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

Reginald EASTOE (190593) (seny. 24th Jan. 1947) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

Alan BLUE (191002) (seny. 30th Jan. 1947) (*and transferred to the Equip. Br. on appt.*).

Donald Gilchrist CAMERON (190444). 9th Jan. 1947 (seny. 20th Jan. 1946).

#### Notification amended.

28th Jan. 1947 (p. 492, col. 1) concerning Ronald Charles PENNING (49784) should have appeared under the heading "As Flying Officer extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)" and not "As Flying Officer, extended service (four years on the active list)".

1st Apr. 1947 (p. 1490, col. 1) concerning Desmond John DARTMOUTH (179671) for (seny. 29th Feb. 1945) *read* (seny. 1st Mar. 1945).

#### Appointment to commission and transfer between branches.

*As Flying Officer, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B):—*

John WHELAN, A.F.C. (52561). 3rd Oct. 1946 (seny. 5th June 1944). (This officer is transferred to the Tech. Br. with effect from 3rd Oct. 1946 and granted the temporary rank of Flight Lieutenant with seniority 5th June 1945) (subs. for notifn. of 24th Dec. 1946 (p. 6242, col. 1)).

#### Promotion.

*Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) to Flight Lieutenant:—*

J. WISHART (128981). 1st July 1946 (seny. 5th Mar. 1946).

B. J. ROCK, D.F.C. (159235). 27th Mar. 1947.

8th Apr. 1947.

A. W. F. BURGE (53498).

D. E. GRAY (161007).

W. K. OWEN, D.F.M. (53677).

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—*

K. R. MAKIN (50582). 5th Aug. 1944.

#### Notification amended.

17th Dec. 1946 (p. 6119, col. 1) concerning amendment notification for L. E. DAVIES (133340) *for* 29th Sept. 1946 *read* 26th Sept. 1946.

18th Mar. 1947 (p. 1255, col. 2) concerning S. W. ARCHER, D.F.M. (158003) and J. S. EDWARDS (54630) *for* 2nd Mar. 1947 *read* 28th Feb. 1947.

#### Acting rank.

Air Vice-Marshal Sir Thomas W. ELMHIRST, K.B.E., C.B., A.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal. 13th Feb. 1947.

#### Retirement.

Group Captain C. W. MACKEY. 29th Sept. 1945.

Wing Commander W. V. HYDE (07171). 15th Nov. 1946.

#### Flight Lieutenants:—

G. A. S. CLIFT (45226). 2nd Dec. 1945.

C. L. COUGH (45236). 3rd Dec. 1945.

A. K. COOK, D.F.C. (43525), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 15th Dec. 1945.

#### Transfer to reserve (class "C").

Squadron Leader (temp. Wing Commander) G. S. K. HAYWOOD (37879). 24th Mar. 1947.

Flying Officer (Flight Lieutenant (war subs.)) A. F. DAY (164151). 6th Mar. 1947.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

##### Appointments to commission.

*As Squadron Leader (permanent)\*:—*

Samuel George TAYLOR (47086). 1st July 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).

*As Flight Lieutenants (permanent)\*:—*

1st July 1946 (seny. 1st Sept. 1945).

Bertram Roy BERGIN (46629).

William Raymond CUMBERS (44152).

Douglas Arthur HAYDON, A.F.M. (47424).

Norman Deag HUMPHREYS (44099).

Patrick MACMAHON (47197).

Albert John ROPER (47028).

Douglas Duncan THOMPSON (48022).

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