

G. F. H. SAYERS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (50457) (at own request). 27th May 1947.

Flying Officer D. LINK (55453) (at own request) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 14th July 1947.

*The undermentioned retaining their rank:—*

*Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—*

F. T. THORP (51123). 8th Mar. 1946.

J. H. R. HICKS (53719). 19th May 1947.

*Flying Officers:—*

G. W. DOSSETTER (54771). 15th Oct. 1945.

R. W. E. JARRETT (56779). 17th Apr. 1946.

*Notification cancelled.*

23rd July 1946 (p. 3779, col. 2), concerning Group Captain O. W. de PUTRON, C.B.E., A.D.C.

*Transfer to Reserve (Class "C").*

Pilot Officer V. W. M. MATTLAND (58141). 24th May 1947.

*Commission resigned.*

*The undermentioned retaining their rank:—*

Flight Lieutenant M. E. HILLACRE-RICHARDS (54661). 11th Mar. 1947.

Flying Officer P. J. MCCOMISKEY (56743). 24th Mar. 1947.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

*Appointment to commission.*

*As Squadron Leaders (permanent)\*:—*

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

Richard Lionel BLOODWORTH (43579).

Frederick John SEABROOK, O.B.E. (43588).

Horace TILZEY, M.B.E. (48163).

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

Felix Edgar LUDGATE (44157). 1st July 1946 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

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

John Michael Skelton ADAMS (81159).

Ivor Lewis Saer CHATFIELD (46358).

Patrick Lawrence CROWELL (76381).

Richard LOS, M.B.E. (47915).

Ronald Frank NICE (45387).

*As Flying Officers (permanent)\*:—*

1st July 1946.

Tom Desmond SPENCER (48535) (seniority 27th May 1943).

Arkles Page HARVEY (49279) (seniority 7th Aug. 1943).

Theodore William HARPER (49188) (seniority 12th Oct. 1943).

Ronald STONE (49489) (seniority 11th Nov. 1943).

Hugh Patrick MCGRATH (52319) (seniority 8th July 1944).

*As Flight Lieutenants, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)\*:—*

William John CAWTE (43560). 3rd Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

Andrew Charles BEATTIE (46418). 24th Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

31st Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Alexander Chisholme NISBET (46265).

Emmanuel Thomas TUCKER (46321).

Arthur John AKHURST (43221). 14th Nov. 1946 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

Frederick Roy PAICE (47943). 3rd Apr. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

William Henry CLARK (52370). 8th May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Reginald Jack BEDELLS (44009). 15th May 1947 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

Charles William LAYTON, M.B.E. (46159). 6th June 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

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

Stanley Laurence BECKET (51759). 8th May 1946 (seniority 13th May 1944).

Robert BROMLEY (48187). 16th May 1946 (seniority 28th Mar. 1943).

John Fabian Buckwell STONER (53520). 23rd May 1946 (seniority 18th Nov. 1944).

15th Aug. 1946.

Ronald DIMBERLINE (49424) (seniority 11th Nov. 1943).

Francis Patrick MORAN (50407) (seniority 10th Dec. 1943).

5th Sept. 1946.

Frederick Henry GREEN (50063) (seniority 12th Nov. 1943).

Douglas Stephen PERRIN (50049) (seniority 12th Nov. 1943).

James Leslie Lee CRERAR (54061) (seniority 27th Jan. 1945).

31st Oct. 1946.

John Edward TOMPKINS (48262) (seniority 24th June 1943).

Charles Wilfred TAGGESELL (51921) (seniority 27th May 1944).

Vernon BUCKMAN (49851). 14th Nov. 1946 (seniority 15th Oct. 1943).

Richard William READ (50506). 28th Nov. 1946 (seniority 15th Jan. 1943).

5th Dec. 1946.

George Walter SPARKS (50008) (seniority 5th Nov. 1943).

Harry Walter SMITH (51173) (seniority 21st Apr. 1944).

George Seymour THOMAS (57512) (seniority 21st Oct. 1945).

9th Jan. 1947.

Horace Mervyn HAWORTH (53716) (seniority 9th Dec. 1943).

Alfred William PAWSON (54349) (seniority 21st Sept. 1945).

Ronald Ewart WARDROP (52278). 17th Apr. 1947 (seniority 4th Aug. 1944).

1st May 1947.

Reginald George LITTLE (50742) (seniority 5th Apr. 1944).

Robert Whyte DALGLEISH (54806) (seniority 15th June 1945).

8th May 1947.

Raymond Reginald WHITE (49469) (seniority 11th Nov. 1943).

Sydney Colin TAYLOR (56005) (seniority 21st Sept. 1945).

*As Pilot Officers, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)\*:—*

5th Dec. 1946.

Ralph Peter KAY (52188) (seniority 12th Apr. 1945).

Herbert Alfred RIDDIFORD (57623) (seniority 23rd Dec. 1945).

John George BOAGEY (57858). 1st May 1947 (seniority 28th Feb. 1946).

Peter Kenneth WHITAKER (57989). 8th May 1947 (seniority 1st July 1946).

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

Alexander BAIN (116043). 14th Nov. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Robert William MONEY (78917). 15th May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

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

Trevor Albert John STOCKER (159211). 28th Nov. 1946 (seniority 20th Apr. 1945).

*As Pilot Officers (emergency):—*

12th June 1947.

565033 Warrant Officer Alfred George FRIPP (565033).

*Flight Sergeants.*

572119 Noel Arthur GRIFFITHS (572119).

550944 John Douglas HOWARD (550944).

550360 John Buchan RITCHIE (550360).

516667 Andrew STEVENSON (516667).

550920 Edward WILSON (550920).

575068 Sergeant David William Stanhope HANDS (575068).

553813 Corporal Donald Cubitt BOND (553813).

*Promotion.*

*Air Vice-Marshal to Air Marshal:—*

Sir Cyril B. COOKE, K.C.B., C.B.E. (acting Air Marshal). 1st July 1947.

*Air Commodore (temp. Air Vice-Marshal) to Air Vice-Marshal:—*

1st July 1947.

G. A. H. PIDCOCK, C.B.E.

T. A. WARNE-BROWNE, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.C.

C. W. WEEDON, C.B., C.B.E.

W. E. THEAK, C.B.E.

E. B. ADDISON, C.B., C.B.E.

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