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ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

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23rd September, 1947.

ERRATUM.

London Gazette, No. 37407, dated 1st January, 1946.
Page 34.
For Wing Commander Jack Harris HARRIS, Reserve
of Air Force Officers.
Read Acting Group Captain Jack Harris HARRIS,
Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Air Ministry, 23rd September, 1947.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve
the following award:—

Distinguished Flying Medal.

1825274 Flight Sergeant (now Flight Lieutenant)
Alexander MCFALL, R.A.F.V.R.

The above award is in recognition of gallantry
and devotion to duty in the execution of air
operations.

AMENDMENTS.

In notification in London Gazette dated 1st
January, 1945 (page 63, column 1) for "Acting Wing
Commander J. L. BROWN (23414), R.A.F.O.", read
J. L. BROWN, M.B.E. (74440), R.A.F.V.R.

The rank of Wing Commander Alan Douglas
GROOM (37075), Royal Air Force, is as now described
and not as in London Gazette dated 5th April
1946 (page 1737, column 1).

Air Ministry, 23rd September, 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased
to accept the position of Air Commodore-in-Chief of
the Royal Air Force Regiment. 9th Sept. 1947.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):*

Hamish McCulloch WHITE, C.B.E. (29253).
20th Mar. 1947 (seniority 1st Dec. 1938) (and
transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

William John McLEAN, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C.
(59420). 7th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):*

Brian DEAVES, D.F.C. (40682). 1st July 1946
(seniority 1st Dec. 1942).

As Pilot Officer (permanent):*

Alan Norman McGlashan (200967). 1st July
1946 (seniority 27th Aug. 1945).

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

Rainey Munro Harvey Ross (44312). 1st May
1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to
the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

William Edward BARTLETT (46021). 22nd May
1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to
the Technical Branch on appointment).

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

Henry Ian POPAY, D.F.M. (48468). 18th Dec.
1945 (seniority 31st Mar. 1943).

Alfred Edward RICHMOND (55522). 3rd Oct.
1946 (seniority 12th Feb. 1945).

Harold Robert SUTTON (49294). 1st May 1947
(seniority 15th June 1943) (and transferred to the
Technical Branch on appointment).

William Horace SIMMONS, A.F.M. (49122). 22nd
May 1947 (seniority 28th May 1942) (and trans-
ferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

*As Pilot Officer, extended service (A.M.O.
A.775/45 scheme B)*:*

Alexander George NEAL (58529). 17th July
1947 (seniority 3rd Aug. 1945).

*As Squadron Leader, extended service (four years
on the active list)*:*

James Bernard Terence WHITEHEAD (28257).
15th May 1947 (seniority 1st Oct. 1938) (and
transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appoint-
ment) (substituted for notification of 15th July
1947 (p. 3254, col. 1)).

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

James Gordon COLE, D.F.C. (41665). 18th Dec.
1945 (seniority 1st Dec. 1942).

Archibald Duncan McLaren, D.F.C. (41440).
23rd Jan. 1946 (seniority 1st Dec. 1942).

Francis Ernest EARNSHAW (110855). 29th May
1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to
the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

Edward Lionel John COOK (104433). 24th July
1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to
the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

Gordon Alexander McDONALD (59448). 10th
Aug. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and granted
the rank of war subs. Flight Lieutenant seniority
28th Sept. 1946).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime
rules.

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rules.

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

Stanley Lionel HUTT, D.F.C. (143680). 21st Feb. 1946 (*seniority 8th Dec. 1943*).

William Bert PARKES (143727). 16th May 1946 (*seniority 18th Feb. 1944*).

30th May 1946.

Vivian BRIDGES, D.F.C. (124625) (*seniority 5th June 1943*).

St. Elmo Alfred Lionel Michael Masefield MULLER (159571) (*seniority 21st Aug. 1944*).

Reginald James Brown LEEDAL (151534). 6th June 1946 (*seniority 19th Mar. 1944*).

William MARSHALL (151655). 24th Apr. 1947 (*seniority 26th Mar. 1944*).

1st May 1947.

Lionel GEEKIE, D.F.C. (144011) (*seniority 1st Feb. 1944*).

Albert James JONES (195961) (*seniority 14th Jan. 1946*).

William Thomson CUTHILL (166910). 29th May 1947 (*seniority 20th Oct. 1946*) (*and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment*).

19th June 1947.

Richard Frank Batram POWELL (120937) (*seniority 23rd Apr. 1943*).

Robert James THORP (163227) (*seniority 16th Sept. 1946*) (*and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment*).

Errol Henry TAYLOR (59405). 16th July 1947 (*seniority 9th Oct. 1943*) (*and granted war subs. rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 9th Oct. 1944*).

17th July 1947.

Francis SANFORD (149372) (*seniority 23rd June 1944*).

Raymond Henry John MYHILL (165853) (*seniority 28th July 1945*).

Reuben Thomas William JONES (185535) (*seniority 11th Sept. 1945*).

Arthur Herbert COWTON (165013). 24th July 1947 (*seniority 21st Apr. 1946*) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

10th Aug. 1947.

George Wesley LLOYD (59443) (*seniority 26th Oct. 1944*) (*and granted the war subs. rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 26th Oct. 1945*).

Lewis WOLOSCHUK, D.F.C. (59457) (*seniority 15th Oct. 1945*) (*and granted the war subs. rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 15th Oct. 1946*).

Kelly Aeriel WHYNACHT, D.F.C. (59456) (*seniority 20th Nov. 1945*) (*and granted the war subs. rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 4th May 1946*).

James MARVIN, D.F.C. (59381) (*seniority 11th Feb. 1946*) (*and granted the rank of war subs. Flight Lieutenant seniority 11th Feb. 1947*).

Forbes Weir THOMSON (59455) (*seniority 27th Feb. 1946*) (*and granted the war subs. rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 27th Feb. 1947*).

John Homer TETROE (59454) (*seniority 27th June 1946*) (*and granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant war subs. 27th June 1947*).

David Livingstone MOORE (59447) (*seniority 1st Nov. 1946*) (*and granted the rank of war subs. Flying Officer seniority 2nd May 1946*).

Norman Edward PATTERSON, D.F.C. (59449) (*seniority 7th Nov. 1946*) (*and granted the rank of war subs. Flying Officer seniority 7th May 1946*).

Verne MONTGOMERY (59446) (*seniority 7th Jan. 1947*) (*and granted the war subs. rank of Flying Officer seniority 7th July 1946*).

Maurice Arthur Joseph St. PIERRE (59453) (*seniority 10th Aug. 1947*) (*and granted the rank of war subs. Flying Officer seniority 19th June 1947*).

Henry Maurice MASON, D.F.C. (59369). 18th Aug. 1947 (*seniority 26th May 1945*) (*and granted temp. Squadron Leader rank seniority 9th Aug. 1947*.)

25th Aug. 1947.

Joseph Leslie Harrison HEAGERTY, A.F.C. (161733) (*seniority 4th May 1945*).

Douglas Antony WEST, D.F.C. (171189) (*seniority 26th Jan. 1946*).

Maurice John HILLS, D.F.C. (164555) (*seniority 29th Jan. 1947*) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Ivor Albert JACKSON, D.F.C. (144656). 30th Aug. 1947 (*seniority 12th May 1946*) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

As Pilot Officers extended service (four years on the active list):—

Gordon MYERS (168491). 17th July 1947 (*seniority 25th May 1945*).

Robert Hugh Bennett DIXON (193514). 24th July 1947 (*seniority 8th Dec. 1945*) (*and transferred to the Physical Fitness Branch on appointment*).

Notification amended.

27th May 1947 (p. 2391, col. 1) concerning Edward Albon HYDE (152470) for seniority 16th June 1944 *read seniority 11th June 1944*, and concerning Gerald TATE, D.F.C. (129978) for seniority 27th June 1943 *read seniority 26th July 1943*.

10th June 1947 (p. 2617, col. 2) concerning Leslie James HILTON (48770) for 10th Oct. 1946 *read 1st Jan. 1947*.

17th June 1947 (p. 2716, col. 1) concerning Joseph Richard LAPHAM (48625) for seniority 1st Oct. 1946 *read seniority 31st Mar. 1944*.

24th June 1947 (p. 2840, col. 2) concerning Henry John KING (49237) for seniority 21st May 1944 *read seniority 21st May 1942*.

1st July 1947 (p. 2999, col. 1) concerning Allan GILLMAN (184897) for GILLMAN *read GILLHAM*, and concerning Theodore Oscar WEIL, D.F.C. (135025) for seniority 25th Sept. 1943 *read seniority 31st Dec. 1943*.

15th July 1947 (p. 3254, col. 2) concerning Daniel Richard FELLOWS (151345) for seniority 8th Feb. 1944 *read seniority 22nd Apr. 1944*.

22nd July 1947 (p. 3416, col. 1) concerning John Harry KIRKPATRICK, D.F.C. (63843) for seniority 1st Sept. 1945 *read seniority 1st Jan. 1943*.

19th Aug. 1947 (p. 3894, col. 2) concerning Noel Lindsay SMITH (37916) for seniority 1st Sept. 1945 *read seniority 1st July 1945*, (p. 3895, col. 1) concerning Peter Donald Samuel BENNETT, D.F.C. (40359) for seniority 1st Sept. 1945 *read seniority 1st Mar. 1945*, and concerning Roger John Eric BOULDING (41249) for seniority 1st Sept. 1945 *read seniority 1st Dec. 1942*.

Promotion (substantive):—

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (subs.):—

C. C. F. COOPER (40514). 1st Aug. 1947.

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

G. N. E. YEATES, D.F.C. (128485). 1st July 1946 (*seniority 14th Feb. 1946*).

2nd July 1946.

J. McCONNELL (136316) (*seniority 17th Apr. 1946*).

S. L. MERREN (50557).

B. C. HANSON (122698). 23rd Aug. 1946 (*seniority 1st Nov. 1945*).

J. E. CLOSE (125571). 2nd May 1947 (*seniority 11th Nov. 1945*).

W. H. GEORGE, D.F.C. (159019). 9th May 1947 (*seniority 28th Feb. 1947*).

30th May 1947.

W. T. TROTMAN, D.F.M. (142885) (*seniority 16th Sept. 1946*).

C. A. TOMLINSON (150683) (*seniority 11th May 1947*).

S. D. GUNNELL (145150). 29th July 1947 (*seniority 9th Mar. 1947*).

W. FLETCHER (172997). 5th Aug. 1947.

J. R. MAULDEN (55510). 12th Aug. 1947.

17th Aug. 1947.

J. MATTHEWS (54712).

D. S. RICHARDSON, D.F.C. (172879).

C. P. WILLCOX (172491).

18th Aug. 1947.

R. T. HOWARD, A.F.C. (177444).

P. TENNISON (176527).

19th Aug. 1947.

E. S. CHARNOCK (134589).

C. J. HOMES (162299).

20th Aug. 1947.

J. MURPHY (59184).

J. OLLERTON (52698).

21st Aug. 1947.

F. W. BELL (173863).

F. BURTON (54416).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

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22nd Aug. 1947.

W. H. HIGGS, D.F.C. (172152).
 H. A. D. PALFREY (152712).
 C. A. SULLINGS (172750).

Flying Officer (war subs.) to Flying Officer (subs.):—

R. B. ROBINSON (56766). 6th June 1947
(seniority 30th Mar. 1946).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer (subs.):—

23rd Aug. 1947.

J. N. BALMFORD (58300).

T. I. BARKER (58301).

P. E. G. BELL (58302).

G. BENNETT (58303).

T. A. BRIDGE (58304).

B. R. A. COX (58305).

P. D. A. FAY (58306).

D. A. HANKIN (58307).

L. HARRINGTON (58308).

M. E. HOBSON (58309).

R. KNIGHT (58310).

R. S. LLOYD (58312).

C. S. MACDONALD (58313).

F. W. MERCHANT (58314).

J. H. W. MOODIE (58315).

R. G. MORRIS (58316).

G. MOTT (58317).

R. NEIL (58318).

F. NEWMAN (58319).

I. A. L. O'DELL (58320).

A. ROWDEN (58321).

E. R. A. SHELTON (58322).

J. R. STERRY (58324).

J. D. UPTON (58325).

L. G. WALKER (58326).

K. S. WILLIAMS (58327).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) W. N. WOOD (44554). 13th Oct. 1945.

Flying Officer (war subs.) R. G. LEA (55669). 2nd Jan. 1946.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) (temp. Squadron Leader) J. P. RIDGE (43337). 2nd Oct. 1945.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

E. WOMPHREY, A.F.C. (43079). 9th Oct. 1945.
 A. P. PESKETT, A.F.C. (43466). 27th Oct. 1945.

F. S. BROWN (46784). 9th Dec. 1946.

Notification amended.

26th Aug. 1947 (p. 4030, col. 2) concerning G. C. MARTIN (53437) for 21st Aug. 1947 read 31st Aug. 1947.

Transfer to reserve (class C).

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) J. P. Dow (172939). 28th June 1947.

Flying Officer A. R. GLEAVES (181527). 22nd Aug. 1947.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. H. BINDING (55253) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 13th June 1947) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 12th Feb. 1946.

Commission relinquished:—

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted A.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant G. NEWALL, D.F.M. (52664), retaining his rank. 11th July 1947.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Flying Officer V. D. BIDDULPH (54728) retaining his rank. 30th June 1947.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—*

George WOOD (53464). 27th Feb. 1947
(seniority 30th Jan. 1947) (substituted for notification of 1st July 1947 (p. 3000, col. 2)).

As Flying Officer (permanent):—*

Laurence James Arthur THEOBALD (49091). 1st July 1946.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (four years on the active list):—

George Alan WHITTLE, M.B.E. (59421). 18th Aug. 1947.

As Squadron Leader, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 scheme B):—*

Alfred Webb LINDLEY (45699). 8th May 1947
(seniority 1st Sept. 1945). (Substituted for notification of 29th July 1947 (p. 3539, col. 2)).

Alfred Ernest MILLER, O.B.E. (43585). 24th July 1947 *(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).*

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

Thomas Henry BROOKS (47006). 12th Sept. 1946 *(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).*

Arthur Morris COOLE (45863). 5th June 1947
(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Herbert John Moon (47615). 17th July 1947
(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

24th July 1947 *(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).*

Andrew BANNON (47347).

James Robert MITCHELL, M.B.E. (48859).

Hugh Trounce PASCOE (47970).

Samuel Philip PATTENDEN (47573).

Geoffrey Frost SOPER (46282).

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

Donald Albér FLINT (51241). 26th Sept. 1947
(seniority 29th July 1944).

Bernard Henry Pelham DAUPHIN (50418). 31st Oct. 1946 *(seniority 11th Mar. 1944).*

Henry Frederick Victor MARSHALL (48981). 1st May 1947 *(seniority 24th June 1942).*

19th June 1947.

Charles Herbert CONNOLLY (53209) *(seniority 21st Oct. 1943).*

Laurie William HAYWARD (51665) *(seniority 6th May 1944).*

Ralph HOWES (51916) *(seniority 27th May 1944).*

Joseph PALMER (51297) *(seniority 29th July 1944).*

William Henry Tregonning WOON, B.E.M. (50652). 30th June 1947 *(seniority 7th Jan. 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).*

Walter Robert HUGHES (52180). 17th July 1947 *(seniority 8th Aug. 1944).*

24th July 1947.

Harold LANE (48922) *(seniority 11th June 1942).*

Herbert Alfred OLDFIELD (52840) *(seniority 1st Sept. 1943).*

Roy Frederick PLUCKNETT (52682) *(seniority 18th Nov. 1944).*

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

29th May 1947.

John Albert ROSE *(seniority 20th June 1946).*

John Frederick PALMER (58334) *(seniority 22nd Aug. 1946).*

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

Henry Beddome JEFFERIES (79045). 24th July 1947 *(seniority 1st Mar. 1945).*

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

Frederick Alexander GILES (120899). 26th Sept. 1946 *(seniority 10th June 1943).*

Ronald George John MARTIN (159367). 25th Aug. 1947 *(seniority 28th Aug. 1947).*

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

William Robert John CRAGGS (203155). 19th June 1947 *(seniority 27th June 1946).*

Notification amended.

15th Apr. 1947 (p. 1671, col. 1) concerning Arthur George BARLOW (48376) *for seniority 3rd Apr. 1943 read seniority 3rd Apr. 1942.*

6th May 1947 (p. 2009, col. 2) concerning Vandy Clifford William MARRIOTT (50660) *for seniority 7th Jan. 1944 read seniority 25th Mar. 1944.*

3rd June 1947 (p. 2482, col. 1) concerning Robert Alway LEONARD (134456) *for seniority 11th Mar. 1944 read seniority 7th Sept. 1944.*

17th June 1947 (p. 2717, col. 1) concerning Norman KENNEDY (53057) *for seniority 3rd Sept. 1943 read seniority 23rd Sept. 1943.*

24th June 1947 (p. 2843, col. 1) concerning William Edwin Billing HURST (50655) *for (50655) read (50653).*

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

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8th July 1947 (p. 3121, col. 2) concerning John MOCHRIE, M.B.E. (43597), should have appeared under the heading ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH and not TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Promotion (substantive).

Wing Commander to Group Captain (subs.):—
R. L. PHILLIPS, C.B.E. (26120). 1st July 1947.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (subs.):—
1st Aug. 1947.

H. J. HEMMINGS (44138).

S. J. MEAGOR (44093).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (subs.):—

W. N. COCKAYNE (50810). 15th Nov. 1946
(seniority 28th July 1946).

20th June 1947.

C. HIGGINS (48880) (seniority 1st Jan. 1946).

W. R. ROBERTS (53045) (seniority 23rd Mar. 1947).

18th July 1947.

W. BENNETT (49979) (seniority 3rd May 1946).

P. CULLEN, B.E.M. (54468) (seniority 30th Jan. 1947).

A. V. J. HICKS (51933) (seniority 30th Jan. 1947).

A. TILL (51939). 25th July 1947 (seniority 30th Jan. 1947).

H. W. JARRETT (48252). 30th July 1947
(seniority 22nd Mar. 1946).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer (subs.):—

E. W. STANLEY (199564). 2nd Sept. 1946.

G. P. WHITE (202551). 1st July 1947.

Promotion (war substantive).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer (war subs.):—
22nd Aug. 1947.

J. F. BURROW (58329).

D. J. COPLESTON (58330).

W. J. MULCAHY (58333).

J. F. PALMER (58334).

R. A. SHEASBY (58335).

R. H. SMITH (58336).

C. H. WILDER (58338).

M. S. BRUCE (58328). 29th Aug. 1947.

Notification amended.

17th June 1947 (p. 2717 col. 2) concerning E. C. EVERARD (180655) should have appeared under the heading GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH and not TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Notification cancelled.

15th Oct. 1946 (p. 5084 col. 2) concerning J. H. SMITH (87794).

5th Nov. 1946 (p. 5410 col. 2) concerning W. E. SULLY, A.F.M. (44279).

12th Nov. 1946 (p. 5530 col. 1) concerning E. C. C. WHITE (61322).

11th Feb. 1947 (p. 706 col. 1) concerning H. G. SPARKS, M.B.E. (46189).

1st Apr. 1947 (p. 1490 col. 2) concerning A. MACKELDEN (46860).

Retirement.

Flying Officers:—

J. C. BULLINGHAM (50351). 30th Oct. 1945.

H. MACKAY (50131). 27th Jan. 1946.

W. B. COOK (53789). 26th Nov. 1946.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Wing Commander.

Squadron Leaders (war subs.):—

J. LING (43435). 3rd Sept. 1945.

J. A. WILLIAMS, M.B.E. (43993). 19th Oct. 1945.

F. N. PAXMAN (21388). 24th Oct. 1945.

W. THOMPSON (43994). 31st Oct. 1945.

C. LONGSTAFF, O.B.E. (45030). 22nd Nov. 1945.

P. BROWN, O.B.E. (43498). 12th May 1946.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) (Squadron Leader (temp.)) H. V. WALDER (43782). 20th Nov. 1945.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.) (temp. Squadron Leaders):—

A. T. MARTIN (44078). 31st Oct. 1945.

W. WALLACE (43313). 11th Dec. 1945.

H. C. MOSS (43800). 25th Dec. 1946.

E. A. FRANCIS (43872) (at own request). 19th Sept. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

E. V. BOWEN (45289). 20th Dec. 1945.

L. J. PETERS (48694) (at own request). 20th Sept. 1947.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant.

Flying Officers (temp. Flight Lieutenants):—

A. G. SANCTO (43886). 24th Dec. 1945.

F. C. BRACHER (47173). 17th Jan. 1946.

Flying Officers:—

J. E. MILES (21960). 25th Nov. 1945.

D. T. H. MINTE (48292). 28th Dec. 1945.

F. D. WORBY (51073). 6th Feb. 1946.

W. H. BREWER (52895). 3rd Mar. 1946.

D. T. WATKINS (48162). 28th Nov. 1946.

C. T. PYEMONT, M.B.E. (50741) (at own request). 20th Sept. 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent)*:—

John Ernest ANN, O.B.E. (43663). 23rd Jan. 1947 (seniority 1st Jan. 1940) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

Brinley MORGAN (47099). 24th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Charles William PETERS (48099). 24th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).

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

John SHORT (49546). 12th Feb. 1946 (seniority 10th June 1945) (and transferred to the Physical Fitness Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

William SMITH (55971). 30th May 1946 (seniority 30th May 1946) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

William Reginald HART (54561). 30th June 1947 (seniority 23rd Aug. 1946) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

Donald PEARSON-KIRK (57489). 24th July 1947 (seniority 11th Oct. 1945) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenant, extended service (four years on the Active List)*:—

Arthur Henry Lucas COOPER, M.B.E. (87766). 9th May 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

As Flying Officers, extended service (four years on the Active List)*:—

Charles MERRICK (138937). 12th Sept. 1946 (seniority 8th Apr. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Owen William PEACOCK (130354). 5th Dec. 1946 (seniority 1st Dec. 1944) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Ernest Rexford POLAND (174488). 19th June 1947 (seniority 29th Apr. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

William PAUL (203831). 24th July 1947 (seniority 28th Nov. 1946) (and transferred to the Physical Fitness branch on appointment).

Promotion (war substantive).

Flight Lieutenant (temp.) R. TANDY (45928) is granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.). 21st Aug. 1947.

Notification cancelled.

5th Nov. 1946 (p. 5411, col. 1) concerning

H. J. K. SNOWDON (44110).

28th Jan. 1947 (p. 494, col. 2) concerning N. SCOTT (45173).

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Catering Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—

1st Jan. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

L. BENSON (49961).

L. G. PUTT (45571).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

E. J. GIBLETT (50259).

J. COPPOCK (58188).

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

E. C. BARTLETT (44385).

T. HAWKER (44334).

H. R. SPIRES (46994).

G. C. MOORE (45535).

Flying Officer (since promoted):—

F. J. VERNON (50654).

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

G. SIMS (47346).

J. E. KIMBERLEY (47963).

L. H. HAWKER (48474).

C. ROSEWALL (48872).

J. E. PLAYER (52492).

R. S. LOWE (57578).

J. E. GLEDHILL (56805).

R. J. GOULD (56974).

F. M. N. LEWIS (57300).

D. F. LATTO (57982).

R. C. WILSON (57628).

W. M. C. BEATON (56803).

J. B. DRIVER (57575).

T. W. BAKER (58438).

G. H. W. A. STEPHENSON (57580).

J. W. TINDALL (57981).

W. R. TAMBLYN (58591).

Pilot Officers:—

R. G. PREECE (57979).

W. J. H. BATES (58532).

H. E. BARRIBALL (58610).

2nd July 1947.

Flying Officer W. H. CHAPMAN (57625) to the Catering Branch as Flying Officer (war subs.) seniority 4th Mar. 1947.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Provost Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947 retaining their existing ranks and seniority.

Squadron Leader (war subs.):—

J. A. ARMSTRONG, M.C. (45196).

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

G. I. MILLER (49643).

W. R. G. TALBOT (49678).

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

J. GELLATLY (48088).

J. W. SERCOMBE (49705).

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

C. BENJAMIN (57439).

J. M. GILLAN (51744).

Pilot Officers:—

J. G. BLACKBURN (58439).

E. J. HORSEMAN (58440).

Retirement.

Flying Officer (war subs.) F. W. DAY (47898). 2nd Nov. 1945.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Wing Commander:—

Squadron Leader (war subs.) H. I. WOOD (79769). 14th June 1946.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) W. A. H. THOMAS (44393). 9th Feb. 1946.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

A. G. WEBB (43897). 15th Nov. 1945.

H. GOODE, O.B.E. (112916). 1st Sept. 1947.

Flying Officers (temp. Flight Lieutenants):—

H. BARR, M.B.E. (47049). 28th Dec. 1945.

H. P. BROWN (44339). 30th Apr. 1946.

Flying Officers (temp. Flight Lieutenants) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

A. E. LLOYD (43743). 21st Sept. 1945.

F. WILSON (86962). 10th Jan. 1947.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—*

Thomas Benjamin BOWEN-JONES (41124). 1st July 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flying Officer (permanent):—*

William SMITH (55971). 18th Aug. 1947 (seniority 30th May 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

William Frederick LANGLEY. 19th June 1947 (seniority 12th Sept. 1946).

17th July 1947.

Thomas James HOWARD (58445) (seniority 19th Sept. 1946).

Robert Kitchener GREEN (58535) (seniority 7th Nov. 1946).

Michael Gladstone DYER (58621) (seniority 14th Nov. 1946).

James RODGER (57833). 6th Aug. 1947 (seniority 20th July 1946).

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

Kenneth Wilfred LAWRENCE (31396). 7th Nov. 1946 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

As Pilot Officers, extended service (four years on the active list):—*

Leslie Norman KEARY (202139). 1st May 1947 (seniority 21st Feb. 1946).

Reginald George CRANE (203794). 17th July 1947 (seniority 14th Nov. 1946).

As Pilot Officer (emergency):—

592060 Sergeant Frederick John JOYCE (592060). 17th July 1947.

Notification amended.

3rd June 1947 (p. 2484, col. 1) concerning Douglas John CUMMINGS (50095) for seniority 5th Dec. 1942 read seniority 22nd July 1943.

12th Aug. 1947 (p. 3785, col. 1) concerning John Bennett QUARRINGTON (31293) for seniority 1st Sept. 1945 read seniority 1st Mar. 1945.

Promotion (substantive).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (subs.):—

R. D. STEPHENS (31247). 1st Aug. 1947.

Promotion (war substantive).

Squadron Leader (temp.) G. STEELE, M.B.E. (31378) is granted the rank of Squadron Leader (war subs.). 1st Oct. 1946. (Substituted for notification of 21st Jan. 1947 (p. 398, col. 2).)

Pilot Officer W. F. M. B. BUCHAN (58284) is granted the rank of Flying Officer (war subs.). 1st Aug. 1947.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) (Squadron Leader temp.) E. F. WATKINS (43330) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 28th Oct. 1945.

Flying Officer (Flight Lieutenant (temp.)) P. S. J. POTTER (46729) (at own request) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 18th Sept. 1947.

Transfer to Reserve (Class C).

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) H. GRIFFIN (156553). 29th Aug. 1947.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Andrew Honeyman BRUCE (44167). 5th Sept. 1946 (seniority 1st Jan. 1940).

Douglas Harold MANN (43913). 21st July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

Robert Francis Birch BLICK (58606). 24th July 1947 (seniority 14th Nov. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Retirement.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.) (temp. Squadron Leaders):—

W. ROBERTSON, M.B.E. (44351). 27th Oct. 1946.

G. A. LANYON (43610). 10th Nov. 1946.

Flying Officer (war subs.) (Flight Lieutenant (temp.)) C. E. ROWLAND (45037) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 22nd Oct. 1945.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Albert Henry CRANE-BARNES (100969). 8th May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Promotion (substantive).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (subs.):—

H. A. TESTER (50945). 11th Aug. 1947.

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

Notification amended.

5th Aug. 1947 (p. 3665, col. 1) concerning Squadron Leader N. ADAMS (21273) for seniority 1st June 1947 read seniority 1st June 1945.

Notification cancelled:

10th May 1946 (p. 2238, col. 1) concerning G. E. LEWIS (83807).
22nd Oct. 1946 (p. 5203, col. 2) concerning C. B. WRIGHT (60238).
1st Apr. 1947 (p. 1491, col. 1) concerning A. WEAVER (45574).

Retirement.

Flying Officer (war subs.) R. T. HUBBARD (58087) (at own request). 23rd Sept. 1947.
Flight Lieutenant V. G. GOODMAN (45317) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 4th Sept. 1947.

MEDICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (Qr.-Mr.) extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45, scheme B)*:—

Stanley Hampton WARRILLOW (44047). 17th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

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

Alexander Lascelles KNIPE, M.B., Ch.B. (72977). 18th Dec. 1945 (seniority 29th Aug. 1939).

As Flying Officers (temporary).

14th Aug. 1947.
Michael Edward FEARNLEY, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (59425).

John Hempsall Hartley GIBBON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (59426).

Gilbert Lawrence LEATHART, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. (59408).

James McElfrish NEILSON, M.B., Ch.B. (59409).
Ian Reginald Davidson PROCTOR, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (59410).

William Bernard BROWNE, M.B., Ch.B. (59407). 15th Aug. 1947.

Promotion (substantive).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (subs.):—

J. PARK, M.B., Ch.B. (72594). 26th Aug. 1946.

W. K. STEWART, A.F.C., M.B., Ch.B. (73558). 7th Sept. 1946.

F. D. CAMPBELL, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.R.F.P.S. (23374). 7th Nov. 1946.

D. C. LIGHT, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23391). 3rd Apr. 1947.

Ante date in seniority.

The undermentioned officers are granted seniorities in their substantive rank as stated:—

Squadron Leaders:—

1st July 1946.

C. G. BURGESS, M.B., Ch.B. (72092).

H. O. HOWAT, M.B., Ch.B. (23318).

P. J. MACNAMARA, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. (23357).

J. B. ROSS, M.B., Ch.B. (23345).

S. PAUL, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23321).

Flight Lieutenants:—

L. V. McNABB, M.B., B.S. (70438). 24th Dec. 1938.

J. W. READE, M.B., Ch.B. (23420). 4th Sept. 1939.

D. CRICHTON, M.B.E., M.B., Ch.B. (61873). 18th Feb. 1942.

DENTAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

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

John Ronald NEWLANDS, L.D.S. (170388). 17th July 1947 (seniority 24th Feb. 1945).

As Flight Lieutenant (short service):—
Frederick William Henry COWPER, L.D.S., R.C.S.Eng. (75459). 14th Aug. 1947 (seniority 9th Oct. 1940).

As Flying Officer (short service):—
Peter Harold PRYNNE, L.D.S. (59424). 14th Aug. 1947.

As Flying Officers (temporary):—
14th Aug. 1947.
Geoffrey Reginald Barnes, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59417).

Peter Hollows DAWSON, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59411).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

Ian Hanson HESLOP, B.D.S. (59412).

Gordon Thomas HODGE, L.D.S. (59414).

William Nicholson NAPPIN, B.D.S. (59413).

Robert TARRING, L.D.S. (59415).

Lawrence Vivian WARDLE, L.D.S. (59418).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Appointment to commission.****Notification amended.**

19th Aug. 1947 (p. 3899, col. 1) concerning Mark Frederick HOBDEN (118331) for seniority 30th Mar. 1944 read seniority 20th Mar. 1944.

Promotion (substantive).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (subs.):—

W. L. BOWDEN (120382). 12th Sept. 1946.

R. WHITTY (121750). 16th May 1947 (seniority 4th Feb. 1947).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant F. W. DUNFORD (149647) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 11th Oct. 1945.

EDUCATION BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (short service):—

George WILSON, B.A. (191391). 1st Sept. 1947.

As Flying Officers (short service):—

Alistair Leslie PENDLEBURY, M.A. (138169). 1st Sept. 1947.

Alistair Campbell Falconer CHAMBRE, B.Sc. (125951). 4th Sept. 1947.

As Squadron Leader (temporary):—

Sydney BARRACLOUGH, M.B.E. (73734). 1st Oct. 1946.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.**Transfer between branches.**

Flight Lieutenant S. T. HARPHAM, D.F.M. (50801) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 30th Aug. 1947.

PROVOST BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.****Notification amended.**

19th Aug. 1947 (p. 3899, col. 1) concerning Desmond Llewellyn William PARKER (180321) for 8th May 1947 read 31st May 1947.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Pilot Officer (emergency):—

545820 Flight Sergeant Hugh Brough GILLAN (545820). 9th Aug. 1947.

Promotion (war substantive).

Flying Officer R. A. CLARK (136601) is granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.). 29th Aug. 1947.

Notification cancelled.

25th March 1947 (p. 1385, col. 1) concerning S. J. JURY (43665).

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Promotion (war substantive).****Notification cancelled.**

19th Apr. 1946 (p. 1967, col. 2) concerning Wing Commander R. B. ABRAHAM (28104).

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted A.A.F.):

Squadron Leaders (retaining the rank of Wing Commander):—

R. J. WALKER, D.S.O. (39915). 21st June 1947.
E. W. W. ELLIS (39935). 23rd June 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (temp. Squadron Leader) P. F. R. VAILLANT (37727) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 31st Aug. 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Commission relinquished (Class CC.) (on cessation of duty).**

Squadron Leader S. R. LEITCH, M.B.E. (192271). 30th Aug. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants:—

H. E. BOWLER (192052). 8th Aug. 1947.

M. V. DE SATGE (192225). 3rd Sept. 1947.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (Class CC).****As Squadron Leader:**

Robert Mallinson WHEATCROFT (192450). 25th Aug. 1947.

As Flight Lieutenants:

Hector Stuart MARTIN (192449). 20th Aug. 1947.

Frank MASSON (192452). 28th Aug. 1947.

As Flying Officer:

Stanley Jesse WALLER (192451). 28th Aug. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (in the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.).****As Flying Officers:**

Victor Desmond BIDDULPH (54728). 30th June 1947.

10th July 1947.

Ronald Frederick ANGELL (184679).

Alister Douglas ATKINSON, A.F.C. (120852).

Leslie Gordon BATT (145514).

William Donald BEGG (180612).

Donald George BLEACH (150556).

John Graham Freiston BOOTH (61288).

Robert Harry BOTSFORD (196457).

Roy Burley CHESTERTON (166043).

Eric CHURCH (116514).

Frederick William Tillett DAVIS (172601).

John Patrick DUNLOP (107220).

Rex Arthur DUNSTER (184171).

Peter Harrington EATON (198317).

Geoffrey Herbert FRAMPTON (109067).

Ernest Alfred GEORGE (195849).

Frederick GILBERT (199427).

Harold Walter HILL, D.F.C. (161806).

Walter Michael TAYLOR (156945).

Victor John TOWNSEND, D.F.C. (185733).

Brian John WICKHAM (196536).

George Arthur YOUNGMAN (143935).

Kenneth Charles HOBDAY (170475).

Frederic Thomas HORNE (124783).

Ronald Harry HUTCHINS (123124).

George Andrew JONES, D.F.C. (148894).

Alexander John LAURENCE (164533).

John Matthew LUGGER (183816).

Jack Noel McCARTHY (154133).

Douglas Peter MANCHETT (201466).

Deighton Edgard MILLAR (116730).

Antony Cyril POWNER, M.B.E. (62013).

Ronald James PRANKERD (151303).

John Norman REID (152361).

Roy Root (199525).

Leonard RUDKIN (195644).

Anthony Peter RUSSELL, D.F.C. (84693).

Leslie Gordon SLEVEN (178800).

Leslie Gilbert SPONG, D.F.C. (114062).

David James Fraser SYME, D.F.C. (159076).

11th July 1947.

David Manning ASHFORD, D.F.C. (124490).

Jeffrey BIRD, D.F.C. (187516).

William Walter BOURNE (181411).

Dennis Frank CORBETT (163409).

Michael Vernon Anson DUNCAN (198039).

Harold Robinson ELLIS (62318).

Charles Henry Llewelyn FOSTER, D.F.C. (143455).

Francis Albert FOX (170708).

John Frederick GULLAND (100601).

Robert William Edward HICKES (182594).

Frederick Herbert HOLMES (152198).

Frederick William Arthur MARVELL (187444).

Donald Edwin MELLISHIP (200537).

Jack Frederick NEWBERY (141354).

Jack Alan SHELLEY (163846).

Promotion (war substantive).**Pilot Officers to Flying Officer (war subs.):—**

23rd Aug. 1947.

G. V. SVEHLA (203390).

A. WICKENS (203389).

Transfer between Branches.**The undermentioned to the Secretarial Branch:—****As Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—**

A. W. SUMMERS, D.F.M. (139390). 18th Aug. 1947 (seniority 17th Sept. 1946).

T. E. TABER (157743). 25th Aug. 1947 (seniority 17th Jan. 1947).

G. M. WADE (176183). 27th Aug. 1947 (seniority 8th Nov. 1946).

As Flying Officer (war subs.):—

J. B. LEWIS, D.F.C. (188484). 14th Aug. 1947 (seniority 21st July 1945).

The undermentioned to the Aircraft Control Branch:—**As Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—**

18th Aug. 1947.

C. J. SAMOUELLE, D.F.C. (113341) (seniority 8th Apr. 1945).

N. T. HARRIS (118568) (seniority 4th Feb. 1946).

As Flying Officer (war subs.):—

C. F. FLETCHER (178983). 18th Aug. 1947 (seniority 11th Mar. 1946).

Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—****Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—**

10th July 1947.

A. D. ATKINSON, A.F.C. (120852).

A. P. RUSSELL, D.F.C. (84693).

L. G. SPONG, D.F.C. (114062).

H. R. ELLIS (62318). 11th July 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

10th July 1947.

L. G. BATT (145514).

D. G. BLEACH (150556).

J. G. F. BOOTH (61288).

E. CHURCH (116514).

F. W. T. DAVIS (172601).

J. P. DUNLOP (107220).

G. H. FRAMPTON (109067).

H. W. HILL, D.F.C. (161806).

K. C. HOBDAY (170475).

F. T. HORNE (124783).

R. H. HUTCHINS (123124).

G. A. JONES, D.F.C. (148894).

A. J. LAURENCE (164533).

J. N. McCARTHY (154133).

D. E. MILLAR (116730).

A. C. POWNER, M.B.E. (62013).

R. J. PRANKERD (151303).

J. N. REID (152361).

L. G. SLEVEN (178800).

D. J. F. SYME, D.F.C. (159076).

W. M. TAYLOR (156945).

G. A. YOUNGMAN (143935).

11th July 1947.

D. M. ASHFORD, D.F.C. (124490).

C. H. L. FOSTER, D.F.C. (143455).

F. A. FOX (170708).

J. F. GULLAND (100601).

F. H. HOLMES (152198).

J. F. NEWBERY (141354).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

10th July 1947.

R. F. ANGELL (184679).

W. D. BEGG (180612).

R. H. BOTSFORD (196457).

R. B. CHESTERTON (166043).

R. A. DUNSTER (184171).

P. H. EATON (198317).

E. A. GEORGE (195849).

F. GILBERT (199427).

J. M. LUGGER (183816).

D. P. MANCHETT (201466).

R. ROOT (199525).

L. RUDKIN (195644).

V. J. TOWNSEND, D.F.C. (185733).

B. J. WICKHAM (196536).

11th July 1947.

J. BIRD, D.F.C. (187516).

W. W. BOURNE (181411).

D. F. CORBETT (163409).

M. V. A. DUNCAN (198039).

R. W. E. HICKES (182594).

F. W. A. MARVELL (187444).

D. E. MELLISHIP (200537).

J. A. SHELLEY (163846).

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted A.A.F.):—

Squadron Leader J. M. BIRKIN, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (81350), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 29th July 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

H. C. RIGBY, D.F.C. (117303). 1st June 1947.

E. J. CORKEN (84300). 18th July 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

C. C. ROGERS, D.F.C. (156096). 7th July 1947.

19th July 1947.
 J. BAXTER (150194).
 K. KENNEDY (104463).
 G. C. B. RAINES (153381).
 J. H. SCOTT (136060). 25th July 1947.

29th July 1947.
 G. J. BEARDSALL (133428).
 D. G. M. VEITCH (178711).
 6th Aug. 1947.
 J. H. ALLDIS (106370).
 M. J. HODSMAN (176241).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:
 J. H. JORDAN (164742). 29th May 1947.
 D. K. BUNGEY (164165). 11th June 1947.
 R. F. FARIS (188911). 7th July 1947.
 F. H. BAKER, D.F.C. (195778). 19th July 1947.

Flight Lieutenant W. H. WOOD (102136) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 10th Sept. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) L. S. GOODMAN (123893). 30th Mar. 1947.
 Flight Lieutenant W. WHITE (136750) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th Aug. 1947.
 Flying Officer H. G. CORRY (165832) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 28th Aug. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:

A. D. WOOD (152181). 30th July 1947.
 C. L. WALTON (117659). 25th Aug. 1947.
 26th Aug. 1947.
 R. J. ADAMS (153295).
 L. R. GORE (156110).
 F. W. WOODSTOCK (68302).
 H. WALKER (124686). 29th Aug. 1947.
 L. S. BEVIS (171382). 18th Sept. 1947.
 Flying Officer R. WILD (164498) retaining his rank. 24th Aug. 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion (war substantive).

The undermentioned are granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—
 24th Aug. 1947.
 H. PARSONS (72710).
 J. E. T. SUTCLIFFE (74571).
 J. A. CAMPBELL (78961).
 A. E. M. CORBETT (81262).
 L. C. E. HOWSE (81486).
 H. G. E. GREVILLE (83169).
 W. ORR, M.C. (84361).
 H. K. PROSSOR, M.C. (88569).

Flying Officer O. W. PEACOCK (130354). 24th Aug. 1947.

Notification cancelled.

26th Aug. 1947 (p. 4033, col. 1) concerning Flying Officer J. FRAYNE (152744).

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Catering Branch, with effect from 1st Jan. 1947, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—

Squadron Leaders (war subs.):—
 S. J. CUSTERSON (60382).
 A. F. HOWGATE (82768).

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—
 J. J. MACKENZIE (74531).
 S. H. FITCH (84464).
 A. S. NEWMAN (80667).
 J. W. WEBB (88747).
 F. HONEY (88948).

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—
 F. H. O'NEILL (127238).
 A. J. FELL (171274).

Flying Officer:
 F. A. HANDSLEY (68222).

Flying Officers (war subs.):—
 C. L. MOYES (67164).
 I. G. DEY (101625).
 L. W. PLAYFOOT (116484).
 L. RAE (120143).
 C. N. C. WYNN (89504).
 A. A. LAMPRELL (137014).
 S. N. WALTERS (116650).
 W. STOCKS (146820).
 C. L. FOX (139663).
 R. A. G. THOMSON (148729).
 M. L. SHELLEY (176692).

J. NELSON (185268).
 A. J. NEWMAN (185068).
 R. T. MIRTLE (200577).
 W. H. QUARTERMAN (201625).
 F. C. W. FORD (201695).
 W. L. LAWRENSON (201696).
 F. A. THROWER (202908).
 G. H. LANE (202956).

Pilot Officers:—

A. WARD (203102).
 J. A. S. ABERNETHY (203768).
 H. F. WILSON (203321).
 H. C. BURDOFF (203507).
 A. E. BOWDEN (203746).
 T. W. HOOD (203720).
 J. P. BEVERIDGE (203745).
 W. R. NEWLOVE (203784).

As Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

L. C. CARTER (79591). 22nd Jan. 1947 (seniority 11th Sept. 1943).
 J. G. LEACH (63945). 4th Mar. 1947 (seniority 11th Sept. 1945).

As Flying Officers (war subs.):—

W. M. G. GOSDEN (105899). 22nd Jan. 1947 (seniority 7th Jan. 1943).
 T. HUGHES (135820). 3rd Mar. 1947 (seniority 19th Dec. 1944).
 I. W. WEINBERG (135068). 23rd July 1947 (seniority 15th Dec. 1943).

The undermentioned are transferred to the Provost Branch retaining their existing rank and seniority.

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

1st Jan. 1947.
 W. R. MORROW (102749).
 R. SCOTT (76470).

A. SHUTTLEWORTH (143747).

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

1st Jan. 1947.
 C. H. L. BARTRUM (109042).
 M. GRIFFITH (107909).
 A. L. HUME (182522).
 I. HUTCHISON (137738).
 H. J. UPWARD, M.M. (76992).

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

1st Jan. 1947.
 A. CORNER (191746).
 H. DUCKWORTH (141196).
 S. J. ROWLEY (189528).
 E. D. WHEELER (182459).

Pilot Officers:—

1st Jan. 1947.
 H. T. JEFFREY, M.M. (203537).
 A. SMART, B.E.M. (203881).

Commission relinquished.

Squadron Leader (honorary) C. E. COX (192636) (on cessation of duty). 20th Aug. 1947.

Flying Officer (temp. Flight Lieutenant) F. M. BALLARB, M.B.E. (78633) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 14th Sept. 1947.

Pilot Officers (on ceasing to be employed):—

J. H. TRUSCOTT (175527). 1st Sept. 1947.
 L. B. WHEELER (133502). 8th Sept. 1947.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a new commission in the Education Branch):—

S. BARRACLOUGH, M.B.E. (73734). 1st Oct. 1946.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted A.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant J. C. BULLEYMENT (104919) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 11th July 1947.

Flying Officer C. D. W. ROSE (173203) retaining his rank. 25th July 1947.

Commission resigned.

Notification cancelled:—

1st Oct. 1946 (p. 4888, col. 2) concerning F. M. BALLARD, M.B.E. (78633).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Promotion (war substantive).

Flying Officer T. A. CHAMBERLAIN (139193) is granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.). 26th May 1947.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (emergency):—

Walter LAURENCE, F.R.C.S. (Edin.) L.R.C.P. & S., L.M. (204592). 14th Aug. 1947 (seniority 14th Aug. 1945).

DENTAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (emergency):—*Peter John SHELDICK, B.D.S., L.D.S. (204593).
14th Aug. 1947.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant H. L. THOMAS (63752) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 3rd Sept. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Commission relinquished (on appointment to the reconstituted A.A.F.):—*

Flight Lieutenant M. GIDDINGS (103753) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 22nd May 1947.

TRAINING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Pilot Officers:—*

Leslie Arthur PERRETT (204609). 27th Jan. 1947.

Lionel Eric MOORE (204494). 1st Apr. 1947.

Ronald Charles Cottingham JONES, D.F.M. (633301). 18th Apr. 1947.

Arnold Frederick KILNER (204597). 15th May 1947.

16th May 1947.

Harry Green (1870782).

Christopher LOCAL (1304119).

2nd June 1947.

Henry Joseph BARTRAM (3008064).

Leslie James DRING (1576665).

John Thomas JACKSON (512923).

John Dransfield MILLETT (941264).

Alfred Francis ROGERS (1623117).

Clifford SMALLBURN (204582).

Robert WILLIAMSON (1782157).

4th June 1947.

Edward Arthur BOARDMAN (204590).

Tom DEARNALY (1439181).

Thomas James DORRICOTT (1581966).

6th June 1947.

Harold COLLINS (1355724).

William HOLDERNESS (204607).

Francis Joseph CANNON (543896). 9th June 1947.

Patrick MONAGHAN (204581). 10th June 1947.

11th June 1947.

Peter Herbert BLINKO (1431346).

Roy Arthur JEFFREYS (204600).

Robert Henry LAW (1803674).

Robert Kenneth LORDING (1813356).

James MURRAY (204598).

Ronald Bertie Charles PAUL (1222052).

Reginald Victor POULTER (204599).

Alexander Ernest WILLIAMS (1650514).

Roy RICHARDS (155298). 13th June 1947.

Gordon Rex NEEDHAM (2209899). 17th June 1947.

18th June 1947.

Donald Charles EVERARD (361958).

Lawrence Keith HULSE (193240).

Walter TAYLOR (1128494).

George Anthony TISDALE (1325481).

20th June 1947.

Thomas Hepple ROBSON (123267).

William John YATES (1852789).

23rd June 1947.

Bryan Charles HAMILTON (191476).

James Walter HOLMES (144587).

John Hall KNOWLES (178117).

Wesley Leonard WHITEHOUSE (110107). 24th June 1947.

26th June 1947.

Michael Anthony GROVE (204609).

John Wilfred HEMLEY (1150813).

Eric William JULIAN (171015).

Bertram MONROE (18475).

John Maxwell PATERSON (1824115).

27th June 1947.

Basil Bruce BROWN (189770).

John Francis DONALD (56435).

Thomas Robert William SLATER (1331604).

28th June 1947.

Dennis DODD (168171).

Trevor Henry Horace JAMES (148297).

John Richard SORRELL (132502).

30th June 1947.

George Raymond BARKER (168204).

Peter Bonham CLAY (204606).

Reginald Collingwood FENBOW (1672757).

Joseph Howey GIBSON, D.F.M. (177129).

John Robertson MACKEY (1042850).

Gordon Kenneth JEFFERIES (1211019). 1st July 1947.

Leslie Ewart STOCKWELL (173997). 2nd July 1947.

3rd July 1947.

Norman Henry John CANT (3026307).

William Edward PARRISH (44789).

Cyril Henry RICHARDS (1276063).

Reginald Marshall TEALE, A.F.C. (45728). 4th July 1947.

Francis Douglas GIBSON (182144). 8th July 1947.

9th July 1947.

Francis McDonald COWIE (135173).

Thomas Douglas ROSIER (48620).

Arthur SEWARD (197939).

Stanley Ralph GILLMAR, D.F.M. (148469). 10th July 1947.

14th July 1947.

Robert COWAN (150276).

Walter LINDOW (204604).

George Oliphant Andrew WESTON (204605).

Donald HENDRY (1574395). 15th July 1947.

*Commission resigned.**Pilot Officers:—*

J. MITCHELL (108219). 28th July 1947.

29th Aug. 1947.

E. K. BANNISTER (102508).

H. S. BARRY (135586).

W. MONCRIEFF (69937).

V. J. OCCLESHAW (142184).

R. J. REYNOLDS (173427).

5th Sept. 1947.

J. A. ABRAHAMS (175254).

W. L. ASHTON (149246).

E. M. ATTERTON (139874).

A. J. BAKER (188574).

L. O. BARKER (123380).

R. V. BEST (68542).

F. N. B. BEVIS (128722).

H. J. BISHOP (203121).

L. W. BISHOP (145539).

S. H. BOULTER (131931).

W. E. BROOKS (65341).

J. A. H. BROWNLOW (63315).

F. BULLOCK (136156).

F. CARR (115501).

J. COMLEY (201280).

S. O. M. COOKE (195425).

G. A. COOKSEY (199995).

F. L. DAVENPORT (110777).

H. DAVIES (116338).

L. F. DAVIS (202330).

H. M. DILLON (186047).

J. P. DIXON (200532).

W. J. DOWNIE (60275).

W. DUNPHY (170910).

E. J. EARNSHAW (116879).

J. D. EDWARDS (67376).

J. W. ELLIS (102811).

J. S. FERGUSON (177671).

G. FINCH (175698).

A. FOWLER (69683).

C. R. GARRISON (199488).

D. N. GARSTON (101917).

R. A. GRANT (195793).

F. T. HAMBLIN (126321).

E. C. G. HANDSCOMB (62181).

L. HARDY (106695).

E. A. HARRIS (124997).

G. H. HARRIS (202162).

R. HART (108288).

L. E. HEATH (126359).

W. G. HINES (158378).

S. A. HOWARD (126299).

T. S. HUGHES (126387).

E. A. HUXTER (148711).

D. L. JONES (158925).

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J. LESLIE (145449).

H. G. LEWIS (75912).

P. W. LONGWORTH (169172).

A. W. MACFARLANE (63304).

A. J. MARSH (100347).

R. J. MARSH (64065).

H. MARSHALL (155984).

W. S. MAYNARD (172260).

P. A. MOORE (165462).

E. C. NEWHAM (65778).

A. H. NORRIS (203409).

F. J. NURTON (61411).

C. P. H. PALMER (62840).
 R. W. F. PARMITER (162699).
 A. E. C. PAULIN (65725).
 R. E. C. PETERS (158943).
 E. D. PHARE (67317).
 F. PICKSTONE (136297).
 A. H. PINDER (200820).
 W. H. PROBERT (158941).
 A. W. PYNE (122669).
 A. RAWLINSON (174136).
 F. W. READ (114563).
 F. C. RESTALL (66959).
 C. J. J. ROOST (178602).
 M. E. ROWE (138735).
 L. P. RUBERY (122711).
 E. H. SACKLEY (184827).
 D. A. J. SCOURAY (145457).
 J. SCRIMGER (131406).
 J. A. SHEARD (63655).
 C. H. SLATER (64497).
 M. H. SMITH (131304).
 P. R. SOLDER (109827).
 J. W. STEELE (149187).
 E. J. STRAW (143517).
 C. F. SULLIVAN (146479).
 J. H. TATTERSALL (102897).
 J. T. THOMAS (202160).
 E. G. WATTS (201574).
 E. G. WHALLEY (120314).
 L. WHITTINGTON, M.B.E. (66714).
 I. WIDLACE (146385).
 A. E. N. WILLIAMS (101901).
 E. G. WILLIAMS (142023).
 W. H. WILLIAMS (67360).
 S. J. WILLS (111916).
 F. G. WRIGHT (129841).
 G. C. WRIGHT (67440).
 H. P. WRIGHT (100818).

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (in the reconstituted A.A.F.).

As Squadron Leaders:

Herbert Cecil RIGBY, D.F.C. (117303). 1st June 1947.
 Robert James WALKER, D.S.O. (39915). 21st June 1947.

As Flight Lieutenants:

Ernest John CORKEN (84300). 18th July 1947 (seniority 10th June 1947).
 James Michael BURKIN, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (81350). 29th July 1947 (seniority 13th June 1947).

As Flying Officers:

Joseph Hugo JORDON (164742). 29th May 1947 (seniority 18th Mar. 1947).
 Desmond Kerr BUNGEY (164165). 11th June 1947 (seniority 20th Apr. 1947).

10th July 1947.

Frank Harry BAKER, D.F.C. (195778) (seniority 12th June 1947).

John BAXTER (150194) (seniority 11th Mar. 1947).
 Kenneth KENNEDY (104463) (seniority 20th June 1947).

George Cecil Brailsford RAINES (153381) (seniority 11th May 1947).

John Henry ALLDIS (106370). 6th Aug. 1947 (seniority 10th July 1947).

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted A.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant G. D. CRAIG, O.B.E. (90285), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 25th July 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned to the Provost Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—

Wing Commander (temp.) T. E. H. GROVE, G.M., D.S.C. (90716). 1st Jan. 1947.

Squadron Leaders (temp.):—

1st Jan. 1947.
 E. GARLAND (90906).
 H. L. HUTCHINSON (90809).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leader:*

Maxwell GIDDINGS (103753). 22nd May 1947.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

EMPLOYED WITH THE DENTAL BRANCH OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE.

*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (temporary):—*

Kathleen Mary CLARKSON, L.D.S. (8536). 14th Aug. 1947.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE "R" LIST.

*The undermentioned are appointed:**As Flight Officer:*

Kathleen Mary COOPER (6316). 22nd July 1947.

As Section Officer:

Mary Swinburne CHISSELL (4249). 14th June 1947.

Air Ministry, 23rd September, 1947.

The undermentioned officers assume, with effect from the date of recall to the active list, the seniorities stated:—

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

T. O. WEIL, D.F.C. (135025). 31st Dec. 1944.
 D. R. FELLOWS (151345). 23rd Apr. 1945.
 J. L. H. HEAGERTY, A.F.C. (161733). 4th May 1946.
 D. A. WEST, D.F.C. (171189). 26th Jan. 1947.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

R. A. LEONARD (134456). 10th Mar. 1944.
 R. G. J. MARTIN (159367). 28th July 1945.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Squadron Leader (temp.):—

J. B. QUARRINGTON (31293). 18th Nov. 1942.
 (Substituted for notification of 12th Aug. 1947 (p. 3788, col. 2).)

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

J. RODGER (57833). 17th Jan. 1947.
 W. R. HART (54561). 28th Jan. 1947.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

D. H. MANN (43913). 22nd Dec. 1943.
 I. A. JACKSON, D.F.C. (144656). 12th May 1946.
 M. J. HILLS, D.F.C. (164555). 29th Jan. 1947.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—

F. W. H. COWPER, L.D.S., R.C.S.Eng. (75459). 9th Oct. 1942.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

G. WOOD (146831). 17th Sept. 1945.
 W. H. J. HUTT (185901). 16th Aug. 1946.
 D. F. YULE (150759). 21st Oct. 1946.
 J. STEPHEN (179548). 14th July 1947.

Flying Officers (war subs.):—

D. SMITH (189181). 12th Aug. 1945.
 H. I. DAVIS (183958). 2nd May 1946.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flying Officer (war subs.):—

W. MAJOR (131258). 1st Dec. 1944.

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