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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned promotions in substantive ranks are made:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Squadron Leader to Group Captain:—

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1947).

E. W. WHITLEY, D.S.O., D.F.C. (29195).
M. D. CRICHTON-BIGGIE, D.F.C. (29231).
P. I. HARRIS, D.F.C. (32124).
W. A. J. SATCHELL, D.S.O. (29048).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Oct. 1946).

G. P. MARVIN, C.B.E. (27230).
W. E. RANKIN, D.S.O. (29260).
J. C. SISSON, D.F.C. (32112).
H. D. U. DENISON (32169).
C. R. J. HAWKINS, A.F.C. (27160).
F. F. RAINSFORD, D.F.C. (37507).
G. F. C. WRIGHT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (34012).
A. J. HICKS, A.F.C. (32026).
K. N. SAYERS, A.F.C. (28163).
L. T. G. BARBER, A.F.C. (28260).
J. H. GILES, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37851).
F. J. MANNING (34118).
H. V. HOSKINS (37076).
S. G. PRITCHARD (34201).
E. G. CAMPBELL-VOUILLIARD, D.F.C. (34228).
E. K. PIERCY, D.F.C. (34200).
R. M. COAD, A.F.C. (34231).
D. H. BURNSIDE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37464).
J. A. FIELD, A.F.C. (37226).
W. H. KEARNEY (34159).
F. AIKENS, A.F.C. (37490).
R. J. ABRAHAMS (37663).
G. P. SEYMOUR-PRICE, D.F.C. (34056).
J. DUNCAN (34151).
F. M. SMITH, D.F.C. (37613).
J. H. D. CHAPPLE (37650).
B. O. DIAS, O.B.E., D.F.C. (39185).
C. A. R. CREWS (37795).
J. F. GREY, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37767).
W. G. OLDBURY, D.F.C. (37708).
J. S. LAIRD, O.B.E. (37654).
C. B. G. ROBINSON, A.F.C. (39128).
W. G. DEVAS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (32221).
A. F. HAMILTON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (32194).
E. GOLDSMITH, A.F.C. (70253).
W. H. M. WALKER (70707).
A. C. STEWART, D.F.C. (40151).
W. H. TREMBEAR (40270).
M. BOOTH, D.F.C. (39810).
R. B. THOMSON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (90370).
C. E. L. POWELL (40566).
S. P. HAGGER (77041).
R. K. CASSELS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (41254).
J. C. WELLS, D.F.C. (45883).

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1947).

P. C. HILTON (34016).
L. M. LAWS (34161).
G. B. M. BELL, O.B.E. (37002).
C. E. DRAPPER (37390).
F. C. HOPCROFT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37231).
G. M. WYATT, D.F.C. (37337).
D. C. TORRENS (34205).
F. M. THOMAS (37133).
P. R. PATRICK (37610).
D. M. STRONG, A.F.C. (37616).
R. BACKWELL-SMITH (37871).
E. A. KEEGAN (37679).
R. A. BARTON, O.B.E., D.F.C. (37664).
D. F. LASLETT (37973).
R. D. BAUGHAN (37922).
L. H. HUNT (37996).
L. C. BARTRAM (39809).
B. R. MACNAMARA, D.S.O. (25123).
P. S. DAVIS, O.B.E. (39862).
W. H. FLINT, O.B.E. (40101).
R. E. JAY (90011).
C. A. WEBSTER (40449).
P. J. HALFORD, A.F.C. (37319).
W. E. OGLE-SKAN, A.F.C. (41609).
F. W. J. PADDON, A.F.C. (45443).
P. C. PRICE, A.F.C. (43363).
S. C. BOYTON (46887).
R. J. HARDEN (43201).
E. P. M. FERNBANK, D.F.C. (43826).
S. C. SUTTON, O.B.E. (43636).
E. N. M. SPARKS, D.F.C. (43633).
F. E. FRAYN, M.B.E. (77203).
H. S. GRIMSEY, D.F.C., A.F.C. (121202).
G. G. N. BARRETT, A.F.C. (43344).
D. C. SANDEMAN, D.F.C. (81052).
L. E. BOTTING, D.F.C. (103047).
I. G. ESPLIN, O.B.E., D.F.C. (86713).
J. D. N. SIDEBOTTOM, A.F.C. (100641).
A. K. GATWARD, D.S.O., D.F.C. (83251).
G. R. NOTTAGE, D.S.O., A.F.C. (44566).
D. F. DENNIS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (64274).
G. A. C. POTTS, D.F.C. (43943).
R. O. BUSKELL, D.F.C. (77460).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

A. BRUCE (39268).
F. J. HOWELL, D.F.C. (39612).
G. H. PORTER (70549).
C. H. DYSON, M.B.E., D.F.C. (40172).
A. R. SKINNER (40435).
K. JONES, D.F.C. (40714).
E. F. CAWDERY, D.F.C. (40671).
J. B. COWARD (39412).
A. K. FURSE (39512).
D. B. GERICKA (39954).
G. T. DODGSHUN (40466).
R. A. CRAIGIE (40210).
T. W. RIPPINGALE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39159).

- J. BRANDT, D.F.C. (39849).
 A. G. SALTER, D.F.C. (39902).
 D. S. HOARE (39384).
 D. A. FORDHAM, D.F.C. (39976).
 E. Q. MOODY (40006).
 A. S. MANN, D.F.C. (40126).
 P. D. TUNSTALL (70824).
 J. G. MANN, A.F.C. (40477).
 D. G. O'BRIEN (40419).
 P. M. GARDNER, D.F.C. (40527).
 G. P. WILDISH, A.F.C. (40275).
 B. E. PECK, D.F.C. (40481).
 C. L. ROY, D.S.O. (40642).
 D. E. T. OSMENT (40742).
 J. H. DUNN (39813).
 V. B. DE LA PERRELLE (36211).
 R. C. PATRICK, D.F.C., A.F.C. (41457).
 D. N. FORDE, D.F.C. (41526).
 F. B. SUTTON, D.F.C. (41962).
 S. H. TROTTER, D.F.C. (40959).
 P. G. BRODIE (41662).
 S. C. LADYMAN (41851).
 W. R. ASHETON, D.F.C. (41979).
 F. G. DUTTON (39509).
 W. H. THALLON (41754).
 D. J. PENMAN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (40343).
 R. H. COURTNEY, D.F.C. (70852).
 B. DEAVES, D.F.C. (40682).
 J. F. MCPHIE (40730).
 A. WEBSTER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (40770).
 R. J. E. BOULDING (41249).
 T. R. PIERCE (40847).
 T. G. HYNES, D.F.C. (41707).
 I. M. R. BROWNLIE, D.F.C. (41899).
 P. O. V. GREEN (41015).
 W. J. READ (42963).
 A. H. DRAPER, D.F.C. (42967).
 J. A. INGRAM, D.F.C. (39187).
 R. G. FENNELL (76001).
 F. T. COLLINS, D.S.O. (77911).
 D. H. DAVIS, D.F.C. (43146).
 H. F. BUCKNELL, A.F.C. (43248).
 F. R. FLYNN (43618).
 A. D. WEBB, D.F.C. (43463).
 J. F. B. CAREY, A.F.C. (42483).
 F. HUGILL (43422).
 J. E. AUSTIN (44059).
 J. M. RITCHIE (79193).
 F. V. THOMAS (80845).
 D. B. CLIFFORD (43846).
 W. McROBBIE, A.F.C. (83278).
 G. COLLINSON, A.F.C. (86627).
 R. F. WYNES, D.F.C., D.F.M. (44830).
 R. A. R. FALCONER, D.F.M. (47402).
 G. H. DUNCAN (82117).
 J. E. H. MARSHALL, D.F.C. (42622).
 T. H. BAKER, D.F.C., D.F.M. (45552).
 M. C. C. HAYCRAFT, D.F.C. (62660).
 R. S. GUNNING, D.F.C., D.F.M. (44873).
 A. G. SWAN, M.B.E. (45751).
 R. J. DEMPSEY, D.F.C. (59974).
 D. HAYWOOD (46222).
 C. F. CRAVEN (104539).
 K. G. FLINTOFF (104366).
 D. A. T. CHURCHWARD (f05176).
 A. McC. JOHNSTONE (48057).
 P. A. ALT (47824).
 A. C. HENNESSY (112688).
 L. V. BACHELLIER, A.E.C. (47465).
 G. N. L. BRYANT (115588).
 W. E. FARROW, A.F.C. (119548).
 P. D. SCOTT (104442).
 R. I. CRUMP, A.F.C. (112375).
 R. A. W. SCOTT, D.F.C. (47501).
 P. W. PETERS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (42259).
 B. J. HOOPER, D.F.C. (42227).
 D. H. F. HORNER, D.F.C. (42567).
 B. V. KIRWIN (42580).
 C. I. ROLFE (43205).
 D. I. PIKE, M.C. (43479).
 A. S. KNOWLES (43070).
 G. WRIGHT (42780).
 J. M. RUMSEY (42890).
 J. H. V. MILLINGTON, D.F.C. (44405).
 A. M. GILL, D.F.C. (84709).
 W. R. DIBB, A.F.C. (85258).
 S. R. HYLAND, D.F.C., A.F.C. (44978).
 R. F. HAMLYN, A.F.C., D.F.M. (45277).
 G. DAVISON, D.F.C., A.F.C. (44782).
 L. F. KNEIL, D.F.M. (44933).
 R. R. MITCHELL, M.B.E., D.F.C. (45093).
 H. N. PHILLIPS, D.F.C. (44604).
 O. E. SIMPSON (45882).
 P. G. OTTEWILL, G.M. (46451).
 P. NU. HENNY (64878).
- C. D. OWEN, D.F.C. (45945).
 E. C. BENNETT, D.F.M. (46218).
 B. H. WORTS (67644).
 H. J. RAYNER, D.F.C. (45809).
 A. A. E. CLEAVER, D.F.C. (45952).
 D. B. BRETHERTON, D.F.C. (115776).
 R. T. BAINBRIDGE (102569).
 A. J. C. EAGLES (46083).
 G. W. SWANWICK (118533).
 W. M. MASON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (115986).
 N. H. WILSON (46335).
 J. J. W. LEWIS, D.F.M. (47570).
 S. A. SHARPE, D.F.C. (47512).
 K. FISHER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (108959).
 P. E. L. HALLS (45235).
 G. A. SINCLAIR (47034).
 H. J. FITZ (47414).
 L. C. E. DE VIGNE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (113859).
 C. R. HILL, D.F.C. (112518).
 A. L. WALKER (114645).
 V. F. CAVE (47778).
 C. J. FRITH (48667).
 J. RENNIE (47776).
 A. J. H. GORDON (116138).
 W. D. SMITH (115803).
 E. D. PENNINGTON (42146).
 T. A. WHITING, D.F.C. (42973).
 C. S. WEST, D.F.C. (43053).
 F. G. DAW, D.F.C. (41782).
 D. A. THOMAS (42773).
 G. F. REID, D.F.C. (44129).
 C. K. GRAY, D.F.C. (81370).
 D. A. GREEN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (82179).
 E. V. BEST, A.F.C. (36236).
 G. SHORROCK (44360).
 S. HIGGINS, D.F.C. (44680).
 R. N. HARRISON, D.F.C. (84302).
 E. R. DUTT, A.F.C. (78722).
 B. A. Q. WYNARD-WRIGHT (89802).
 A. J. C. HAMILTON (60305).
 R. A. NEWBERRY, D.F.C. (60104).
 L. R. J. OVENDEN, A.F.C. (45233).
 F. ROTHWELL, D.F.C. (45337).
 A. V. PLOWRIGHT (63476).
 E. A. FAIRHURST, D.F.C. (43547).
 W. STEWART (63846).
 R. A. WATTS (65530).
 G. R. CRAKANTHORE, D.F.C. (67057).
 H. B. HUNT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (68721).
 N. J. C. POLLOCK (102601).
 B. GOODALE, D.F.C. (101042).
 D. I. BENHAM, D.F.C., A.F.C. (104443).

DENTAL BRANCH:*Wing Commander to Group Captain.*

1st Oct. 1947:

M. J. PIGOTT, B.D.S. (23219).

H. D. HUMPHREYS, C.B.E., L.D.S. (23101).

H. I. CLAPPERTON, L.D.S. (23100).

P. M. MARGAND, L.D.S. (23102).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander.

1st Oct. 1947:

V. H. WEEKS, L.D.S. (23210).

H. KEGGIN, L.D.S. (23211).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT:*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander.*

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1947).

J. H. HARRIS, C.B.E. (74827).

D. A. WATSON (70715).

A. S. COOPER (43896).

C. A. HARRIS, M.B.E. (43400).

A. C. NEILL (90887).

T. H. BRYANT, M.C. (79840).

K. W. GODFREY (77353).

W. O. JONES (34126).

J. W. OLORENTHAW, M.M. (149652).

K. W. J. ROBERTSON (85370).

F. J. A. TANNER (83153).

L. HAMER (118262).

J. G. LAURIE (118452).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader.

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Augt. 1947).

A. G. DOUGLAS, M.C. (41387).

D. GUYE (83080).

J. D. G. BOWIE (84781).

H. E. SEFTON (149654).

N. A. MARTIN (87499).

J. G. HENDERSON (60670).

O. W. RAWES (61594).

C. C. COATES (89661).

F. K. SMITH (48979).

J. DOLBY (83112).

R. J. APPERLEY (65619).

C. A. PICKETT (68959).
 J. A. RICHARDS (102196).
 W. R. M. SMITH (46382).
 I. O. B. CARLSON (104104).
 A. H. BLAKE (104129).
 A. A. BAXTER (46788).
 S. J. FURNEAUX (123218).
 J. LUCY (46384).
 H. S. GIBBS (110461).
 W. A. P. GARDNER (108097).
 H. C. THOMPSON (108078).
 W. RAYNE (119046).
 E. P. LEWIS (104108).
 V. H. DEAN (118427).
 W. HALL (46789).
 J. A. KEMP (118431).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander.*

R. C. WARNER (24219). 1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1947).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader.

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

W. T. JEFFREY, A.F.C. (45115).
 W. H. FORSTER (45349).
 L. F. HUMPHREY, A.F.C., A.F.M. (43470).
 R. BURCH, A.F.C. (43623).
 B. E. COOPMAN (78050).
 C. STOKES, D.F.C. (44224).
 D. L. GROUT, A.F.C. (44973).
 A. C. HUGH-JONES (84558).
 A. RICHARDSON (61591).
 E. J. GREENWOOD, A.F.C. (45198).
 H. HOBLEY, A.F.C. (43170).
 G. S. SMITH, A.F.C. (43074).
 H. W. WAYLEN, A.F.C., A.F.M. (43181).
 L. C. LAMBERT, A.F.C., A.F.M. (43191).
 L. BENNETT, D.F.C. (43194).
 G. F. HARDCOURT-POWELL, A.F.C. (43360).
 J. G. BARE (43616).
 W. A. L. JOHNSON, A.F.C. (43620).

CATERING BRANCH:*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader.*

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

A. E. LANGMAN (44952).
 W. H. CANNIFORD (44382).
 H. FALLOWS (46002).
 F. A. BOYLE (45513).
 E. H. CUTHERBERT (81800).
 E. A. WATTS (46864).
 C. F. KEVIS (46064).
 P. DERMOND (64997).
 G. CURRIE (105876).
 G. CLARKE (117201).
 J. A. COPE, M.B.E. (100753).
 F. T. BRAIN (109604).

PROVOST BRANCH.*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander.*

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1947).

R. JONES (27106).
 A. A. NEWBURY (43744).
 B. W. S. SMITH (79619).
 S. N. KETTLE, O.B.E. (123210).
 P. G. HICKS (85365).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader.

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

J. V. P. HENNIKER-HEATON (82910).
 R. V. ROBERTS (88091).
 H. V. SEAL (46478).
 G. A. TURNER (85201).
 E. EVANS (67762).
 P. STRADLING (109292).
 C. A. J. PALMBY (123212).
 P. M. GRAVES (152858).
 J. CLIFTON (48543).
 L. J. CULLEN (51138).
 N. F. T. ROBINSON (50578).
 E. CAMPBELL (50783).
 T. P. WORTHING (52844).

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader.*

1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

W. BOOTH (43327).
 J. J. TYNAN (43736).
 R. HOPPER (43739).
 W. N. NICKLIN (44717).
 S. J. JURY (43665).

W. E. NIGHTINGALE (45476).
 G. T. JAMES, A.F.C. (81615).
 G. A. PODEVIN (60460).
 E. J. BRICE (81439).
 J. R. W. BLYTH, A.F.C. (115103).

Air Ministry, 28th October, 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leader (permanent)*:*

Horace John Audley THEWLES, O.B.E. (37836). 6th Mar. 1947 (seniority 1st July 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment as (temp.) Wing Commander seniority 1st July 1944).

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):*

Frederick Oliver BARRETT, D.F.C. (40355). 1st July 1946 (since promoted to Squadron Leader (subs.) with effect from 1st Aug. 1947).

Desmond James SCOTT, O.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (59527). 14th Aug. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and granted war substantive rank of Wing Commander seniority 12th Jan. 1945).

As Flying Officer (permanent):*

Michael Anthony WINGHAM, D.F.C. (176457). 22nd Sept. 1947 (seniority 23rd Feb. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

Joseph BLACKBURN (43196). 1st Jan. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

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

Robert Lewis PERRY (46403). 23rd Jan. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Horace Owen STEPHENS (45977). 28th Feb. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

1st Jan. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Ewart Victor ASPLIN, A.F.C. (43842) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Arthur Victor CLOWES, D.F.C., D.F.M. (44780) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Arthur Bertie JONES, A.F.C. (43173) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

Samuel Percival SMITH (47400) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Eric KNOWLES, D.F.M. (44892). 30th June 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Tom Vinyard WHATLING (48965). 24th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

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

Robert Charles BROWN (55456). 9th May 1946 (seniority 23rd Sept. 1945).

Henry UPSON (55722). 29th Aug. 1946 (seniority 14th June 1945).

Leslie Charles MURRAY (54172). 1st Sept. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1947) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

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

Charlton Orme BASTIAN, D.F.C. (77925). 8th May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Alfred HAYWOOD (24234). 15th May 1947 (seniority 1st July 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

Robert McGUGAN (115801). 12th Feb. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Donald Samuel HILL, M.B.E. (39788). 1st May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as (temp.) Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

*Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

Ernest William TIPPLE (64277). 19th June 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant seniority 18th Apr. 1943 on appointment).

John Wallace Sinclair CLARK, D.F.C. (89790). 17th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Edwin Arthur JARVIS (59469). 6th Aug. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and granted war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 6th Nov. 1943).

Norman Charles Harold ROBSON (70874). 22nd Sept. 1947 (seniority 1st Dec. 1942).

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

Herbert John Reginald WOODS (130264). 12th Feb. 1946 (seniority 11th Sept. 1943).

Patrick Daley SHEARWOOD (175378). 21st Feb. 1946 (seniority 14th Apr. 1945).

George William BURT (188669). 28th Feb. 1946 (seniority 1st Dec. 1945).

Gamwell David SUTCLIFFE (150137). 6th June 1946 (seniority 23rd Jan. 1944).

Wilfred Alfred Edmond PEAKE, D.F.M. (158679). 27th June 1946 (seniority 25th July 1944).

John Reginald DOWLING, D.F.C. (150185). 29th Aug. 1946 (seniority 20th Feb. 1944).

24th Oct. 1946.

John Cherry INKSON (135705) (seniority 13th Dec. 1943).

Eric Edward LAKE (187162) (seniority 1st Oct. 1945).

Gordon Edward Peer Foot (188394). 12th Dec. 1946 (seniority 29th Nov. 1945).

1st Jan. 1947.

Victor EVANS, D.F.C. (169420) (seniority 24th Oct. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Stanley Roy BLEACH (187489) (seniority 22nd Oct. 1946) (and transferred to the Royal Air Force Regiment on appointment).

24th Apr. 1947.

Kenneth Craig HAMPSON, D.F.C. (145696) (seniority 3rd May 1944).

Albert Kitchener DAVIS (178823) (seniority 28th June 1945).

1st May 1947.

Sydney HUDSON (164781) (seniority 7th Apr. 1945).

Ronald HOUGHTON (179525) (seniority 11th July 1945).

Sidney Herbert BRAITHWAITE (182634) (seniority 25th Aug. 1945).

8th May 1947.

Joseph Charlton PRICE, D.F.M. (138024) (seniority 25th Nov. 1944) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment as temp. Flight Lieutenant seniority 25th Apr. 1944).

Alan Fergusson BELL-WILLIAMSON (181980) (seniority 16th Dec. 1945).

15th May 1947.

Norman Henry MASON (164934) (seniority 21st Apr. 1945).

Kenneth Michael WICKSON (165756) (seniority 14th July 1945).

29th May 1947.

John Edward CLOSE (137429) (seniority 20th Feb. 1944).

Howard Karl SOUSTER (185665) (seniority 8th Sept. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Frederick William COX, D.F.C. (173371). 5th June 1947 (seniority 15th Feb. 1945).

Arthur Charles LANGDON (124932). 19th June 1947 (seniority 25th May 1943).

17th July 1947.

Thomas Iorwerth JOHNSON (139321) (seniority 20th Oct. 1943).

Arthur Vaughan HENSHAW (172788) (seniority 29th Jan. 1945).

Graham Sinclair WEST-JONES (181235) (seniority 3rd June 1945).

James CORRIGAN (196005) (seniority 1st Mar. 1946).

John DICK (190242). 24th July 1947 (seniority 20th Dec. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

10th Aug. 1947.

Lionel Sydney HARVEY (59438) (seniority 20th Jan. 1946) (and assumes seniority as a Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) 20th Jan. 1947).

Bernard William HALPIN (59437) (seniority 11th Apr. 1947) (and assumes seniority as a Flying Officer (war substantive) 11th Oct. 1946).

31st Aug. 1947.

Guy Elwood MOTT, D.F.C. (59549) (seniority 12th Mar. 1946) (and assumes seniority as a Flight Lieutenant (war substantive) 12th Mar. 1947).

Joseph Frank Xavier VERONEAU, D.F.C. (59556) (seniority 8th Aug. 1946) (and granted war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 8th Aug. 1947).

Stanley Grover WRIGHT, D.F.C. (59558) (seniority 20th Aug. 1946) (and assumes seniority as a Flight Lieutenant (war substantive) 20th Aug. 1947).

Gordon Stuart MACHEN (59547) (seniority 25th Dec. 1946) (and assumes seniority as a Flying Officer (war substantive) 27th June 1946).

Frederick Roy EDMONDSON, D.F.C. (59541) (seniority 10th Apr. 1947) (and assumes seniority as a Flying Officer (war substantive) 10th Oct. 1946).

Reginald William Douglas PRICE, D.F.C. (59553) (seniority 2nd June 1947) (and assumes seniority as a Flying Officer (war substantive) 3rd Dec. 1946).

22nd Sept. 1947.

Leslie John TWEED (138195) (seniority 30th Dec. 1944).

Leonard Harris SMITH (135605) (seniority 22nd July 1945) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).

Peter Edward FAHY, D.F.C. (178529). 25th Sept. 1947 (seniority 7th Aug. 1945).

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

William Harry James KEARNEY (168376). 7th Nov. 1946 (seniority 16th Mar. 1945).

Leonard Will CRUICKSHANK (195656). 1st May 1947 (seniority 16th Mar. 1945).

Robert THOMSON (201888). 8th May 1947 (seniority 10th Dec. 1945).

Harold John Bruce EDWARDS, D.F.M. (197410). 15th May 1947 (seniority 27th Mar. 1945).

Lionel John JACOBS (180566). 17th July 1947. (seniority 17th June 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

David Henry Thompson DIMOCK (194331). 24th July 1947 (seniority 22nd June 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

John Christopher RIDLEY (59554). 31st Aug. 1947 (seniority 14th Feb. 1947) (and assumes seniority as a Flying Officer (war substantive) 16th Aug. 1947).

Denis Hobbs BARTON (193343). 23rd Sept. 1947 (seniority 28th Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Notification amended.

4th Mar. 1947 (p. 1037, col. 1) concerning P. C. WEBB, D.F.C. (90171), for (seniority 1st Jan. 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

12th Aug. 1947 (p. 3781 col. 1) concerning Colin Percy Howse KUNKLER (131569) for (seniority 24th Aug. 1944) read (seniority 18th Nov. 1946).

9th Sept. 1947 (p. 4241 col. 1) concerning Leslie Ronald HURCOMBE (153900) for (seniority 3rd Jan. 1946) read (seniority 3rd Jan. 1947).

16th Sept. 1947 (p. 4335 col. 1) concerning Ernest John ROBERTS (50609) for Flying Officer, extended service (four years on the active list) read Flying Officer, extended service (A.M.O.A.775/45 scheme B).

23rd Sept. 1947 (p. 4470 col. 1) concerning Verne MONTGOMERY (59446) for Verne MONTGOMERY read Verne Shaver MONTGOMERY.

Promotion (substantive).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander (subs.).

J. D. D. COLLIER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39037). 1st July 1947.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) to Flight Lieutenant.

(s)

1st July 1946.

R. F. H. MARTIN (122157) (seniority 7th Sept. 1945).

K. L. MONAGHAN, D.F.C., D.F.M. (135401) (seniority 22nd Apr. 1946).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

D. N. P. BATTY (157482). 1st Jan. 1947.
 T. F. MANLY, D.F.M. (53195). 2nd Feb. 1947.
 R. C. BECKETT (59349). 11th Apr. 1947.
 G. W. BUCKLAND, D.F.C. (134738). 9th May
 1947 (*seniority 12th June 1946*).
 T. M. GETHINGS (55255). 12th May 1947.
 E. E. TOOKE (153729). 16th May 1947 (*seniority
 10th Nov. 1946*).

20th June 1947.

B. V. GRAHAM (59356) (*seniority 12th Sept.
 1946*).

B. J. G. KEYTER, D.F.C. (59354) (*seniority 1st
 Feb. 1947*).

J. H. VILJOEN (59341) (*seniority 27th Mar.
 1947*).

T. de C. JENKINSON (59365). 21st June 1947
 (*seniority 6th May 1946*).

22nd June 1947.

D. J. de VILLIERS (59346) (*seniority 13th Sept.
 1946*).

J. C. PUREN (59367) (*seniority 1st Jan. 1947*).
 F. HASTINGS (59388). 3rd July 1947 (*seniority
 13th May 1947*).

E. H. TAYLOR (59405). 17th July 1947 (*seniority
 9th Apr. 1946*).

18th July 1947.

T. FLETCHER, D.F.C., D.F.M. (158251) (*seniority
 12th Mar. 1947*).

W. L. GREEN, D.F.C. (163032) (*seniority 15th
 July 1947*).

P. A. SHAW (59358). 26th July 1947.
 R. R. WAUGHMAN, D.F.C. (171904). 6th Aug.
 1947.

I. FORBES, D.F.C. (137197). 8th Aug. 1947
 (*seniority 7th Mar. 1947*).

H. OGLIVIE (59357). 20th Aug. 1947.
 T. BARLOW-JONES (59361). 21st Aug. 1947.

G. S. TAYLOR (150067). 2nd Sept. 1947
 (*seniority 2nd Oct. 1946*).

A. W. PARLOUR, D.F.C. (155950). 21st Sept.
 1947.

23rd Sept. 1947.

W. D. BRADLEY (177260).
 D. E. COOKE (54933).

24th Sept. 1947.

F. P. BROWN (164501).
 E. B. BULLOCK (55616).

D. A. CREE (164534).
 L. J. GRANT (175755).

T. G. LINCOLN, D.F.C. (174515).
 I. SCOTT (164626).

M. THOMAS (55615).
 25th Sept. 1947.

G. J. HORSFALL (172856).
 W. W. A. SELKIRK (162491).

D. R. MACGREGOR (174800). 26th Sept. 1947.
 27th Sept. 1947.

E. BARTON, D.F.C. (175004).
 D. E. WALTON, D.F.C. (54513).

Flying Officer (war subs.) to Flying Officer (subs.).
 J. P. HURST (59344). 6th Aug. 1947.

Notification cancelled.

9th Oct. 1942 (p. 4384 col. 1) concerning
 Squadron Leader J. M. N. PIKE, D.S.O., D.F.C.
 (33200).

22nd July 1947 (p. 3418 col. 1) concerning P. C.
 WEBB, D.F.C. (90171).

Retirement.

Flying Officer J. P. MOAT (197313). 16th Sept.
 1947.

Group Captain V. B. BENNETT, D.F.C. (at own
 request) retaining the rank of Air Commodore.
 22nd Oct. 1947.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. P.
 CULVERWELL, A.F.C. (81003), retaining the rank
 of Squadron Leader. 9th Nov. 1946.

**Flying Officers (Flight Lieutenants (war subs.))
 retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant.**

H. S. HILL (52037). 16th Oct. 1945.
 E. BOWEN (48650). 25th May 1946.
 L. G. JAMES (43821). 26th Oct. 1946.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officers (to Class "A").
 T. A. DIGHTON (184007). 12th Sept. 1947.
 N. R. WYNN (57564). 25th Sept. 1947.
 A. HUTCHISON (57647). 27th Sept. 1947.

Notification amended.

8th July 1947 (p. 3121 col. 1) concerning P. G.
 ROWLAND (57655) for 1st May 1947 read 6th Sept.
 1947.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) I. J. BOWEN,
 D.F.C. (53889), takes rank and precedence (with
 effect from 27th June 1947) as if his appointment
 as Flight Lieutenant bore date 5th June 1947.

Commission relinquished.

*The undermentioned (on Appointment to the
 reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.)*

Flying Officers retaining their rank:

9th Aug. 1947.

J. K. JONES (56665).

S. J. GOATES (55596).

Flying Officer R. C. H. JONES (47830) retaining
 the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 13th Aug. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) C. H. FRANCIS,
 D.F.C. (51738) retaining the rank of Squadron
 Leader. 2nd Oct. 1947.

Flying Officer W. A. STEWART, D.F.C. (54751)
 retaining his rank. 1st Oct. 1947.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.****As Flying Officer (permanent)*:**

James Selwyn Walton JACKSON (134476). 16th
 Dec. 1946 (since promoted Flight Lieutenant (sub-
 stantive) with effect from 18th Feb. 1947).

As Pilot Officer (permanent)*:

Francis Clare PADFIELD (201553). 18th Sept.
 1947 (*seniority 6th Jan. 1946*).

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

George Samuel MORRIS (43591). 16th May 1946
 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Edward Francis HANCOCK (45622). 3rd Oct.
 1946 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

James Cyril CROSSBY (47603). 31st Oct. 1946
 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Vernon Victor VOCKINS (48889). 7th Nov. 1946.
 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

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

Thomas Henry COMPTON (47933).

William Albert Henry HALL (44151).

Charles Duguid SORRIE (46975).

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

Reginald Cyril Leslie Watson GORDON (54196).

3rd Apr. 1947 (*seniority 17th Feb. 1944*).

Arthur James SCRIVEN (52455). 24th Apr. 1947
 (*seniority 15th July 1943*).

24th July 1947.

Herbert George SMITH (54617) (*seniority 4th May
 1944*).

William Henry WILCOCK (51320) (*seniority 11th
 June 1944*).

Allan Robertson MITCHELL (51782) (*seniority
 23rd Sept. 1944*).

Donald Leslie ROWELL (51983) (*seniority 21st
 Oct. 1944*).

Arthur Charles COOPER (53442) (*seniority 24th
 Nov. 1944*).

Charles BRUCE (53921) (*seniority 29th June
 1945*).

Alan LAING (52759). 8th May 1947 (*seniority
 9th Nov. 1944*).

Edward Henry POLLARD (49516). 18th Aug.
 1947 (*seniority 17th Mar. 1945*).

Donald Leslie PHILLIPS, M.M. (52730). 22nd
 Sept. 1947 (*seniority 21st Jan. 1946*).

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

1st May 1947.

Bernard Charles TEMPLING (57598) (*seniority
 13th Dec. 1945*).

Francis Dorville SKINNER (57856) (*seniority 1st
 July 1946*).

Terence Edmund ROURKE (57945). 8th May
 1947 (*seniority 28th Mar. 1946*).

Colin Arthur TAYLOR (57764). 19th June 1947
 (*seniority 7th Mar. 1946*).

24th July 1947.

Kenneth Wharton GOODMAN (57469) (*seniority
 4th Oct. 1945*).

Henry Arthur PETERS (57664) (*seniority 10th
 Jan. 1946*).

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

Charles Hugh MILLER (33327). 30th May 1946
 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

*Retaining their existing ranks under wartime
 rules.

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

James Andrew SIMPSON (172447). 19th June 1947 (seniority 26th Oct. 1945).

Promotion (substantive).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (subs.).
G. LEWIS (53692). 6th Oct. 1947.

Promotion (war substantive).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.).
6th Oct. 1947.

C. BERRY (53169).
A. W. P. CARTWRIGHT (53815).
T. C. COOMBS (53710).
W. L. W. DAVIES (53003).
G. G. H. FORD (53790).
R. G. E. GRIFFITHS (53406).
A. L. JONES (53695).
A. MORRIS (53394).
V. MURRAY (53851).
A. R. NASH (53398).
R. H. PHILLIPS (53689).
E. A. G. REDCLIFFE (53384).
G. SAXBY (53374).
J. H. WALKDEN (53387).
W. T. C. WILSON (53704).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer (war subs.).
R. G. MORRIS (58394). 3rd Oct. 1947.

Notification amended.

30th Sept. 1947 (p. 4588, col. 2), concerning
T. C. PRATLEY (44332) for (44332) read (44322).

Retirement.

Flying Officers.
R. S. THOMSON (53621). 2nd Nov. 1945.
E. J. LEGOOD (52324). 20th Nov. 1945.
D. R. LODGE (48180). 21st Nov. 1945.
H. J. ROGER (54369). 29th Nov. 1945.

Squadron Leader J. FARMER, O.B.E. (35133) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 4th Oct. 1944.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader.

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

A. R. JAMES, M.B.E. (44147). 7th Oct. 1945.
S. DEACON, O.B.E. (43582). 12th Jan. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

W. C. MEES (47336). 24th Dec. 1946.
F. W. NEWMAN (44581) (at own request). 22nd Oct. 1947.

Flying Officer (temp. Flight Lieutenant)
G. W. G. LEWIS (49077). 27th Sept. 1945.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

Flying Officer (war subs.) (temp. Flight Lieutenant) F. R. C. PITTS (48512) (at own request). 23rd Oct. 1947.

Flying Officers:—

L. F. HENWOOD (50088). 30th Sept. 1945.
C. LUSH (52627). 12th Nov. 1945.
A. L. LOWERY (47964). 14th Nov. 1945.
J. R. PRITCHARD, M.B.E. (52332). 22nd Nov. 1945.
A. JOHNSON, M.B.E. (52424). 3rd Jan. 1946.
C. F. ANGUS (50302). 7th July 1946.
L. W. BOSWELL (48255). 19th July 1946.
S. A. EASTMEAD (48254). 26th July 1946.
S. R. LEEDER (51640). 6th Nov. 1946.
C. F. E. FISH (51558). 7th Nov. 1946.

Transfer to reserve (class "C"):

Flight Lieutenant G. BALDWIN (64959). 13th Sept. 1947.

Commission relinquished.

Notification cancelled.

17th Oct. 1944 (p. 4737, col. 2) concerning
J. FARMER, O.B.E. (35133).

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. C. BRUCE (52497) retaining his rank. 26th Oct. 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):*

Frederick Eden RATCLIFFE, O.B.E. (44796). 1st July 1946 (1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):*

George Albert SENTANCE, M.B.E. (47243). 1st July 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

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

Thomas ROBERTS, M.B.E. (43741). 30th May 1946. (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Leslie DANDY (45140). 24th Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).
Redvers Leonard HAINES (43328). 19th June 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

16th May 1946.

George YATES (50939) (seniority 8th Apr. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Gilbert Denis FREEMAN (54637) (seniority 14th May 1946) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Jack Thomas TERRY (50622). 3rd Oct. 1946 (seniority 5th Jan. 1943) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).
Gerald Bernard OAKES (54759). 10th Oct. 1946 (seniority 7th June 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Arthur Leonard WOODS (50472). 31st Oct. 1946 (seniority 11th Dec. 1942) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

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

George Francis HALES (24188). 15th Aug. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

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

Arthur Sidney HAMLETT, M.B.E. (45875). 9th May 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Albert Reginald WEYER (78045). 24th Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Angus MACLEOD (79116). 3rd Apr. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

John EVE (81721). 19th June 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

Robert Lockheed DAVIDSON (120634). 24th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

Bernard Francis SIMONDS (122243). 17th Jan. 1946 (seniority 7th Mar. 1944) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Edward John STAINER (152330). 31st Oct. 1946 (seniority 28th May 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch with effect from 1st Jan. 1947).

Arthur George PAYNE (184746). 9th Jan. (seniority 2nd Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the General Duties Branch on appointment).

Notification amended.

20th May 1947 (p. 2243, col. 2) concerning Henry Leslie BLACKMAN (105382) insert "and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment."

Promotion (war substantive).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—
C. A. COOKSON (53007). 7th Oct. 1947.

Retirement.

Flying Officers:—

E. C. MIDDLETON (53230). 22nd Oct. 1945.
P. SPOONER (52157). 3rd Dec. 1945.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—

F. T. HONEY (83187). 9th Oct. 1945.
H. F. KNIGHT (44213). 13th Oct. 1945.

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

T. C. CALDOW (43515). 24th Oct. 1945.

J. M. HUNTER (44384). 1st Nov. 1945.

Flying Officer C. G. MACE (49757). 21st Oct. 1945.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

Flying Officers (war subs.) (temp. Flight Lieutenants):—

L. W. REEDS (46460). 8th Nov. 1945.

P. H. MARNER (48710). 20th Nov. 1945.

Flying Officers:—

A. W. H. MACDONALD (51316). 12th Oct. 1945.

R. E. M. DAVIS (46885). 24th Oct. 1945.

W. L. GOODALE (50541). 28th Oct. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader T. A. SHIELD, A.F.C. (100504), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 26th Oct. 1947.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

5th Sept. 1946.

Reuben George Thomas WILLIAMS (54590). (seniority 10th May 1944).

Arnold CHILDS (51266) (seniority 20th May 1945).

William WILSON (55733). 24th Sept. 1947 (seniority 27th July 1946).

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

17th July 1947.

Alexander LYLE (58422) (seniority 12th Sept. 1946).

Henry Arthur BARKER (58474) (seniority 3rd Oct. 1946).

John Harold COOKE (58731) (seniority 26th Dec. 1946).

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

William Ronald GROVES (190323). 28th Nov. 1946 (seniority 24th Mar. 1945).

John Herbert ROBERTS (202150). 1st May 1947 (seniority 14th Mar. 1946).

Transfer between branches.

Squadron Leader (temp.) S. E. BIRT, B.E.M. (43520) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority, 9th Oct. 1947.

Retirement.

Wing Commander A. J. BRIDDON (11006). 24th Oct. 1947.

Flying Officer J. P. H. CLARK (56057) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant, 13th July 1946.

Notification amended.

30th Sept. 1947 (p. 4589, col. 2) concerning G. J. QUINLAN (50576) for 28th Oct. 1945 read 28th Oct. 1946.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Ralph Edward INNS (56916). 12th Sept. 1946 (seniority 15th July 1945).

Robert William MANNING (56765). 26th Sept. 1946 (seniority 17th May 1945).

Glynnor Edward THOMAS (58294). 1st May 1947 (seniority 14th Aug. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Jack Reginald SYDENHAM (58496). 24th July 1947 (seniority 16th Oct. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

John Russell SKELTON (74314). 27th June 1946 (seniority 1st Jan. 1940).

William Henry Eyre MARRIOTT (100167). 15th May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Promotion (war substantive).

Notification cancelled.

4th Dec. 1942 (p. 5271, col. 1) concerning Squadron Leader T. C. REEP (21188).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Albert Edward GOUGH (56314). 24th July 1947 (seniority 14th Dec. 1946).

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

Arthur John CARWARDING (56868). 15th May 1947 (seniority 28th June 1945).

24th July 1947.

Mervyn Albert Cecil TILL (58089) (seniority 22nd June 1946).

John Richard DAVIES (58798) (seniority 16th Jan. 1947).

As Pilot Officers (emergency).

Flight Sergeants.

633992 Reginald David HILL (633992). 2nd Oct. 1947.

591263 Thomas MCGRATH (591263). 2nd Oct. 1947.

626902 Herbert Frazer-Hurst WHITTEN (626902). 2nd Oct. 1947.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Adam Elliot JOHNSTON (57326). 17th July 1947 (seniority 12th Aug. 1945).

Notification amended.

15th Oct. 1946 (p. 5083, col. 1) concerning Patrick Joseph MACNAMARA, L.R.C.P. & S. (23357), for Squadron Leader read Flight Lieutenant and insert (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

10th Dec. 1946 (p. 6020, col. 2) concerning John Buchan ROSS, M.B., Ch.B. (23345) for Squadron Leader read Flight Lieutenant and insert (seniority 3rd Jan. 1938).

Antedate in seniority.

Notification cancelled.

23rd Sept. 1947 (p. 4474, col. 1) concerning P. J. MACNAMARA, L.R.C.P. & S. (23357).

Retirement.

Flying Officer temp. Flight Lieutenant (Qr.-Mr.) H. FLETCHER (44306) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant, 27th Dec. 1945.

Reversion to retired list.

Squadron Leader war subs. temp. Wing Commander A. S. BURNS, M.B., Ch.B. (23115) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 25th Oct. 1947.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent)*:—

William Douglas SINCLAIR, L.D.S. (88376). 1st July 1946 (seniority 26th Nov. 1941).

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

William Herbert PHILLIPS, L.D.S. (74639). 17th July 1947.

Notification amended.

26th Aug. 1947 (p. 4032, col. 2) concerning Douglas Charles Paley BATTERSEA, L.D.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (134286) for (seniority 7th Jan. 1944) read (seniority 7th Jan. 1942).

CHAPLAIN'S BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Chaplain, extended service (four years on the active list) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader*:—

Rev. Thomas Arthur JENKINS (77528). 26th Sept. 1946.

LEGAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent)*:—

Robert Vernon MOSSE (76524). 11th Aug. 1947. Clifford Edward De PINNA (59482). 1st Sept. 1947.

*Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

*Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Appointment to commission.**As Pilot Officer (permanent):—*

Keppel Robert Harvey AXFORD (202701). 1st July 1946 (seniority 10th May 1946).

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

Edward McMillan KEMPEL (57901). 17th Apr. 1947 (seniority 13th Mar. 1946).

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

19th Dec. 1946.

Robert SPAYNE (201608) (seniority 11th Dec. 1945).

Albert William James ENSTONE (201949) (seniority 29th Jan. 1946).

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant (short service).*

Edward William FREEMAN, M.B.E., B.Sc. (112118) (seniority 22nd Sept. 1947).

As Flying Officer (short service).

John Norman Quick, B.A. (153151). 22nd Sept. 1947.

As Flight Lieutenant (temporary).

Harold Archibald Edward GARD, D.F.C., B.Sc. (73194). 1st Oct. 1947 (seniority 1st Oct. 1946).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Transfer to reserve (Class "C").*

Flying Officer S. M. McCREADY (125697). 23rd Sept. 1947.

CATERING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer, extended service (four years on the active list):—*

Paul William ROBERT, D.F.C. (173069). 24th July 1947 (seniority 27th Feb. 1946).

PROVOST BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant, extended service (four years on the active list):—*

Mervyn GRIFFITH (107909). 24th July 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Pilot Officer (emergency).

525579 Flight Sergeant Geoffrey Paul WADDINGTON (525579). 2nd Oct. 1947.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Pilot Officers (emergency).*

517029 Warrant Officer Michael Joseph McKENNA (517029). 2nd Oct. 1947.

577046 Corporal Samuel Higgins HAWKINS (577046). 2nd Oct. 1947.

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

11th Jan. 1947 (p. 404 col. 2) concerning Squadron Leader D. M. STRONG, A.F.C. (376116).

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (temp. Squadron Leader) W. B. SKINNER (40062) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 26th Aug. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.).**As Flight Lieutenant.*

Edward Victor Campbell SMITH (204610). 16th July 1947.

As Flying Officers.

Alan WILKINSON (175268). 23rd June 1947.

Bernard Gerald MURPHY (79384). 8th Aug. 1947.

9th Aug. 1947.

Sidney John GOATES (55596).

Ronald Frederick HITCHCOCK (137430).

James Kendall JONES (56665).

**Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.*

13th Aug. 1947.

Oliver Sidney ELLIOTT (119544).

Francis Geoffrey EVANS (146698).

Michael FINNIMORE (186370).

David Stewart FLETT (123507).

Robert Christopher Hesketh JONES (47830).

Leonard Stanley LAUGHTON (119209).

Maurice William MANTELL (178276).

Robert MARSHALL (148098).

Lionel STAPLES (117410).

14th Aug. 1947.

Joseph Gregory ASTBURY, A.F.M. (66000).

Luing Henry COWLEY (144778).

John Maldwyn JOHN, A.F.C. (158549).

John Douglas JONES (190479).

Albert Edward KILSBY, D.F.C. (102086).

Stanley ROBINSON, A.F.C. (121945).

Paul Sampson SANDERS (103042).

Stanley Walter WARD (186653).

15th Aug. 1947.

Arthur Samuel DOLEY (159509).

Roy McCARTHY, A.F.C. (81666).

16th Aug. 1947.

Donald Alfred James DRAPER, D.F.C. (112008).

Robert Ellis JAMES-ROBERTSON (201850).

Robert Owen SIMMONS (151506).

Pieter Edgar STOALING (171579).

17th Aug. 1947.

John Kenneth ALEXANDER (153684).

Ronald Stanley BRADSHAW (146397).

Ambrose Sidney Patrick BUTLER (184790).

Alan Bernard CARTWRIGHT (162096).

Stanley Norman CHILTON, D.F.C. (120927).

John William Hay ELDER (164173).

John HOLLIDAY (153945).

Richard William RAYSON, D.F.M. (199672).

Donald Anthony REED (128647).

Gordon SIM (180157).

Ronald Frederick WHICKER (197825).

*Transfer between branches.**The undermentioned Flying Officers to the Secretarial Branch retaining their existing rank and seniority:—*

M. W. G. COLLINS (185884). 8th Oct. 1947.

D. W. PLAIL (166260). 9th Oct. 1947.

K. D. LANE (179623). 15th Sept. 1947 (seniority 24th May 1945).

J. E. RICHARDSON (198216). 1st Oct. 1947 (seniority 21st Dec. 1946).

*Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to a commission in the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—**Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—*

A. E. KILSBY, D.F.C. (102086). 14th Aug. 1947.

R. MCCARTHY, A.F.C. (81666). 15th Aug. 1947.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

A. WILKINSON (175268). 23rd June 1947.

B. G. MURPHY (79384). 8th Aug. 1947.

R. F. HITCHCOCK (137430). 9th Aug. 1947.

13th Aug. 1947.

O. S. ELLIOTT (119544).

F. G. EVANS (146698).

D. S. FLETT (123507).

L. S. LAUGHTON (119209).

M. W. MANTELL (178276).

R. MARSHALL (148098).

L. STAPLES (117410).

14th Aug. 1947.

J. G. ASTBURY, A.F.M. (66000).

L. H. COWLEY (144778).

J. M. JOHN, A.F.C. (158549).

S. ROBINSON, A.F.C. (121945).

P. S. SANDERS (103042).

A. S. DOLEY (159509). 15th Aug. 1947.

16th Aug. 1947.

D. A. J. DRAPER, D.F.C. (112008).

R. O. SIMMONS (151506).

P. E. STOALING (171577).

17th Aug. 1947.

D. K. ALEXANDER (153684).

R. S. BRADSHAW (146397).

A. B. CARTWRIGHT (162096).

S. N. CHILTON, D.F.C. (120927).

J. W. H. ELDER (164173).

J. HOLLIDAY (153945).

D. A. REED (128647).

G. SIM (180157).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:

M. FINNIMORE (186370). 13th Aug. 1947.
 14th Aug. 1947.
 J. D. JONES (190479).
 S. W. WARD (186653).
 R. E. JAMES-ROBERTSON (201850). 19th Aug. 1947.
 25th Aug. 1947.
 A. S. P. BUTLER (184790).
 R. W. RAYSON, D.F.M. (199672).
 R. F. WHICKER (197825).

The undermentioned on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service:

Flight Lieutenant H. L. BESFORD, D.F.C. (107913) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 21st Oct. 1947.
 Flying Officer S. GARDNER (167042) retaining his rank. 15th Oct. 1947.
 Flight Lieutenant John Norman QUICK (153151) (on appointment to the Education Branch). 22nd Sept. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:

J. P. MOSS (149968). 28th May 1947.
 B. J. PLOWRIGHT (152957). 5th Aug. 1947.
 R. L. BLUNSDON, D.F.C. (152437). 22nd Sept. 1947.
 S. L. MCGARRIGLE (175990). 26th Sept. 1947.
 R. H. RIX (157168). 30th Sept. 1947.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:

R. C. REID (188012). 4th Sept. 1947.
 T. F. G. THORNETT (166914). 12th Sept. 1947.
 A. PERRIS (167295). 23rd Sept. 1947.
 C. C. ALLEN (193379). 8th Oct. 1947.
 P. W. FORD (190090). 14th Oct. 1947.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Promotion (war substantive).*

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—
 6th Oct. 1947.
 F. F. BARNARD (162555).
 J. GILLESPIE (160791).
 W. N. JENKINS (162564).
 E. F. LOVELAND (159196).
 F. A. J. TAYLOR (161930).

Notification cancelled.

5th Aug. 1947 (p. 3672, col. 2) concerning W. R. DUNSTAN-CRAREY (60641).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant Edward William FREEMAN, M.B.E. (112118) (on appointment to the Education Branch). 22nd Sept. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:
 26th Sept. 1947.
 B. HIGMAN (180662).
 R. V. RICKWOOD (132678).

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) T. R. BAINBRIDGE (120847) retaining his rank. 9th Oct. 1947.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Pilot Officers (emergency):—
 Leading Aircraftmen.
 2nd Oct. 1947.

3043766 Kenneth William BLACKBURN (3043766).
 2257189 Donald Elmslie Robertson WATT (2257189).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. THOMSON (73429). 24th July 1947.

Flying Officers:

24th July 1947.

L. T. AGGER (73062).
 F. W. CLARKE (73126).
 G. L. CROPLEY (73140).
 G. T. DEBENHAM (73159).
 H. E. FRY (73193).
 H. M. McLACHLAN (73282).
 N. PETTITT (73335).
 C. St. Q. PLAYFORD (73344).
 J. ROGERS (73374).
 C. H. SALT (73385).
 W. SUTCLIFFE (73416).
 V. G. WALKER (73449).
 C. WHITE (73455).

Squadron Leader B. G. S. BURLEIGH, M.B.E. (80916) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 18th Oct. 1947.

Harold Archibald Edward GARD, D.F.C. (73194) (on appointment to the Education Branch. 1st Oct. 1947).

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant.

H. G. JACKSON (103240). 25th Sept. 1947.
 K. M. REES (156242). 7th Oct. 1947.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Promotion (war substantive).*

Flight Lieutenant (temp.) M. HAYES (64782) is granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.). 3rd Sept. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader (war subs.) (temp. Wing Commander) R. R. WISHER (72228) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 7th Oct. 1947.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Promotion (war substantive).*

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (war subs.):—
 3rd Oct. 1947.

D. C. ADAMSON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203627).
 N. COULSHED, M.B., Ch.B. (203628).
 A. C. EDWARDS, M.B., Ch.B. (203629).
 D. A. W. EDWARDS, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.D. (Mich.) (203660).
 A. W. GILKS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203669).
 E. J. INNES, M.B., B.S. (203630).
 R. F. M. JONES, M.B., B.S. (203668).
 H. A. K. ROWLAND, B.M., B.Ch. (203633).
 A. D. VERNIQUET, M.B., Ch.B. (203634).
 I. G. WAUGH, B.M., B.Ch. (203635).
 J. A. WAYCOTT, M.B., B.Ch. (203636).
 R. H. WHITWORTH, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203637).
 C. P. WILLIAMSON, M.B., B.Ch. (203568).
 G. R. WOTTON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203638).
 R. YOUNGMAN, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203639).

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) J. MILLAR, M.B., Ch.B. (190891), retaining his rank. 19th Oct. 1947.

DENTAL BRANCH.*Promotion (war substantive).*

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (war subs.):—
 K. JACKSON, L.D.S. (75400). 12th Oct. 1947.

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

3rd Oct. 1947.
 J. G. L. KNOWLES, L.D.S. (203567).
 S. F. LAMB, B.D.S., L.D.S. (203566).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Rev. R. G. C. MOORE (117848) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 19th Oct. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Rev. F. J. MCGLADE (135372). 19th Sept. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer (war subs.) D. CLARK (121638) retaining his rank. 1st Oct. 1947.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Pilot Officer (emergency):—
 1693620 Sergeant Roy CLARK (1693620). 2nd Oct. 1947.

TRAINING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Pilot Officers.

Leslie Walter CRAWFORD (204496). 20th Mar. 1947.

26th Mar. 1947.

Edward Brian CLARK (204527).

Alan James GESS (204528).

Henry LEE (1896527).

Oliver Morton MATTHEWS (204530).

Denis Collinson FRANCIS (757403). 2nd May 1947.

15th May 1947.
 Allan Frank BAXTER (1587679).
 Wilfred George LAWRENCE (1321600).
 Sydney Ronald DODD (204586). 21st May 1947.
 2nd June 1947.
 John Arthur HEATHCOTE (1576830).
 John George RICHARDSON (1565630).
 Vivian Tregarthen O'NEILL BOASE (1290492). 9th June 1947.
 Douglas Benson MILLS (204616). 10th June 1947.
 11th June 1947.
 Ernest George BRENCLEY (1635216).
 Edward Fredrick HILDER (204626).
 Geoffrey Frank ALLARD (204612). 17th June 1947.
 23rd June 1947.
 Edwin Arthur GOSDEN (1521586).
 Tom Rutherford WILLIAMS (745088).
 Frank Charles BLANCHARD (204611). 26th June 1947.
 David Reginald HUGHES (1587974). 3rd July 1947.
 Albert JONES (530972). 7th July 1947.
 Thomas Hardy WRIGHT (1231783). 8th July 1947.
 10th July 1947.
 John Banks CHILD (1491271).
 Ernest Frederick SPENCER (204615).
 14th July 1947.
 Joseph Arthur TONKIN (1586859).
 Thomas WILSON (204613).
 15th July 1947.
 John Richard CHAPMAN (204622).
 Stanley George MASON (1604098).
 Morrey Arthur Bass ROBINSON (204618).
 17th July 1947.
 Joe CHAPPELL (1817721).
 Edward Colston DODGE (1852634).
 Robert George GROVER (204619).
 21st July 1947.
 James Arthur BOWIE (2257637).
 Denis Osborn Philip WOODGATE (1409281).
 22nd July 1947.
 William Henry EVANS (204621).
 Raymond Philip GAWNE (204620).
 Thomas Gerald Michael CARROLL (204625). 24th July 1947.
 25th July 1947.
 Sidney James BARNETT (204631).
 Ronald GREGG (204624).
 Harold John JONES (204632).
 Eric Rowland SNELSON (1492760).
 Vincent JOYCE (2206317). 31st July 1947.
 Joseph BABB (204635). 7th Aug. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Pilot Officers.
 T. CURRY (125197). 19th Sept. 1947.
 6th Oct. 1947.
 C. E. E. BEER (116194).
 J. E. BELL (111882).
 G. H. BRINKWORTH (144719).
 L. CARYL (122663).
 F. C. COOPS (139535).
 L. W. E. DUNGEY (123375).
 L. E. FRISBY (122260).
 T. GRIFFITHS-JONES (88458).
 J. F. HUNT (134442).
 R. S. JERRETT (126392).
 D. J. MARSHALL (122285).
 E. T. MORTIMORE (117752).
 N. NEILD (116306).
 A. R. NICOL (202373).
 G. N. N. PERRY (74384).
 H. STRINGER (136762).
 H. O. WARD (114823).
 O. E. WHITE (126395).
 G. R. WILKINSON (172411).
 A. E. WOOLDRIDGE (64428).

Notification amended.

19th Mar. 1946 (p. 1436 col. 2) concerning F. J. Cox (201577) for (201577) read (129805).

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

Sir William BROMLEY-DAVENPORT, K.C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., T.D., relinquishes his appointment as Honorary Air Commodore of No. 610 (County of Chester) Squadron. 31st Oct. 1947.

Air Ministry, 28th October, 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.***Squadron Leader (temp.).*

N. C. H. ROBSON (70874). 31st July 1943.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.).

L. J. TWEED (138195). 1st Apr. 1946.

P. E. FAHY, D.F.C. (178529). 7th Aug. 1946.

Notification amended.

12th Aug. 1947 (p. 3788 col. 2) concerning C. P. H. KUNKLER (131569) for 24th Aug. 1945 read 18th Nov. 1945.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Flight Lieutenants (temp.).*

C. D. SORRIS (46975). 11th Nov. 1945.

L. H. SMITH (135605). 22nd July 1946.

Flying Officers (war subs.).

E. H. POLLARD (49516). 14th Sept. 1944.

D. L. PHILLIPS, M.M. (52730). 24th July 1945.

F. C. PADFIELD (201553). 7th July 1946.

Notification amended.

19th Aug. 1947 (p. 3900 col. 2) concerning A. G. H. DUNKLEY (47183) for Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) seniority 16th June 1947, read Flight Lieutenant (temp.) seniority 14th Jan. 1945.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.*Squadron Leader (temp.).*

J. R. SKELTON (74314). 3rd May 1944.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Flight Lieutenant (temp.).*

M. A. WINGHAM, D.F.C. (176457). 23rd Feb. 1947.

Flying Officers (war subs.).

W. H. E. MARRIOTT (100167). 30th Jan. 1943.

D. H. BARTON (193343). 30th Mar. 1946.

DENTAL BRANCH.*Flight Lieutenant.*

W. H. PHILLIPS, L.D.S. (74639). 19th Sept. 1940.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Flight Lieutenants (temp.).*

J. EVE (81721). 15th Oct. 1942.

T. V. WHATLING (48905). 17th July 1945.

Flying Officer (war subs.).

L. C. MURRAY (54172). 13th Mar. 1946.

Air Ministry, 28th October, 1947.

The undermentioned to be Assistants to the Provost Marshal:—

Flight Lieutenants.

A. A. WITHERINGTON (182502). 1st Oct. 1947.

P. T. MURPHY (180235). 20th Oct. 1947.

Pilot Officers.

W. G. H. DODDS (59302). 1st Oct. 1947.

R. J. HORTON (909022). 20th Oct. 1947.