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ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent) —
15th Apr 1948

Victor Bretton DE LA PERRELLE (36211)
Gordon Leonard MATTEY, D F C (81042)
Michael Percy WAREHAM, D F C. (85269).

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) —
15th May 1948

Colin Weall COULTHARD (104469)
Kenneth John DERISLEY, D F C (171764)

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (A M O.
A 899/47) —

Charles Edward CASBOLT, D F M (47700) 19th
July 1948 (seniority 21st June 1946) (and trans-
ferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

David Beatty HALCRO, D F C. (46128). 9th
May 1946 (seniority 1st Sept 1945).

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

Cecil Owen ELLISON, D F C (55066). 8th Aug.
1946 (seniority 19th Mar. 1944).

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

15th May 1947

Francis Thomas GIBSON (197184) (seniority
29th Mar 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft
Control Branch 1st Jan. 1948).

Neville William Vowel Urry MacDONALD
(202031) (seniority 13th Apr. 1945) (and trans-
ferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 21st June
1948).

Notification amended.

13th May 1947 (p 2117, col. 2) concerning
John Harold WARD (40963) add (seniority 1st
Apr 1947)

Promotion

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander —

A V ROGERS (37424) 1st July 1948 (seniority
1st Oct 1946)

Flight Lieutenant (war subs) to Flight Lieu-
tenant —

D BROWN (129561) 1st July 1946 (seniority
28th Feb 1946)

C E BERRY, D F C (155584) 31st Jan 1947

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —

W N WAUDBY, D F C (179586) 31st Mar
1948

L G GILLARD (182379) 5th Apr 1948

6th Apr 1948.

D. K ROUTLEDGE (55665).

J. H VERRALL, D F C (58842).

R P AXON (157981). 13th Apr 1948

R A LANGHORNE (172884) 20th Apr 1948.

D. MACLIVER (167089) 3rd May 1948.

13th June 1948.

J W. KILBURN (56496).

E C. TAYLOR, D F C (188913).

14th June 1948.

L. M BAILEY (59804)

R R. SPIVEY (56650).

15th June 1948.

K H HOXEY (167507).

E M. E MICHAEL (167556).

A M. PATERSON (190920)

A. R. PETERS (167572).

E A TIPPPELL (167496)

P. H. C WEST (167587).

16th June 1948.

A F BELL-WILLIAMSON (181980).

D. H. COX (55470).

C. J. DEVEREUX (56482).

R. HURLEY (190485).

I R L. JONES (193009).

G. R PRICE, D F M. (59384).

E. SCARPA (191178)

J. W. VALENTINE (181971).

F V. NOLAN (56418) 19th June 1948.

Grant of substantive rank.

Notification cancelled.

6th Jan. 1948 (p. 150, col. 2) concerning C. O.

ELLISON, D F C (55066)

3rd Feb. 1948 (p. 795, col. 2) concerning D B.

HALCRO, D F C. (46128)

Grant of seniority in substantive rank.

Notification amended.

28th Feb. 1947 (p 981, col. 2) concerning D. G.

STROMQUIST (191530) for 27th Jan. 1946 read

27th Jan 1947.

Relinquishment of war substantive rank

The undermentioned relinquish the war sub-
stantive rank of Flight Lieutenant 1st Jan. 1948:—

Flying Officers:—

L M. BAILEY (59804)

A S HOLGATE (49530).

Retirement

Wing Commander M WIBLIN (15230) 13th

July 1948

Flight Lieutenants —

H. R. WALKER (47483) 14th July 1948

G LEDGER (55044). 18th July 1948

Flying Officer R D SEARLE, D F C, D F M.

(188338) 19th June 1948

Commission relinquished.—

Flight Lieutenant A. PERRY (55511) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 14th July 1948.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer N. F. BACON, D.F.M. (179614). 19th June 1948

Flight Lieutenant H. J. HENRY (47694) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 15th July 1948.

Flying Officer A. E. MURRAY (55780) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Feb 1948

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

J. BOLES, D.F.M. (52916). 29th May 1948.

A. H. DUTTON (54173). 3rd June 1948.

S. J. MOYLE (55092). 21st June 1948

Commission terminated.

Flying Officer J. S. S. EARL (58039). 18th July 1948

Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial

Flying Officer J. A. SCOTLAND (55444). 23rd June 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) —

Alfred George WATERHOUSE (45866). 1st July 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Gordon Maitland McLEAN (52276). 15th Apr 1948.

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader —

H. A. THOMAS (43793). 1st July 1948

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

F. H. BURGE (57622). 23rd June 1948

D. A. WALKER-ARNOTT (169268). 27th June 1948

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

H. W. CHIVERTON (57986). 1st July 1947.

Notification amended.

7th Mar. 1941 (p. 1372, col. 1) concerning R. W. SHORT (35156) for Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) read Flight Lieutenant (subs.).

Grant of substantive rank**Notification cancelled.**

13th Jan. 1948 (p. 263, col. 2) concerning E. R. HANSLIP (49404).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenants. —

J. R. BENNETT (55749). 14th July 1948

T. BENNETT (52825). 15th July 1948

18th July 1948.

J. F. JOHNSTON (47015)

J. ROONEY (51024).

19th July 1948.

S. R. DAMPIER (53488)

L. G. REUBENS (46832)

Wing Commander J. W. LISSETT (04110) retaining the rank of Group Captain. 19th July 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Wing Commander —

R. D. BRIGGS (43312). 15th July 1948.

P. G. G. BEGRIE (35053). 16th July 1948.

18th July 1948

L. S. PEGG (43865).

A. V. TARLTON, M.B.E., M.M. (44234)

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

13th July 1948.

E. L. BROWN, B.E.M. (47426)

F. H. V. GOULD (35072)

E. HULKS (45924)

A. M. HARRISON (45999). 14th July 1948

W. B. BATCHELOR (57306). 19th July 1948

Flying Officer (war subs.) (temp. Flight Lieutenant) J. F. RIGLEY (46188) (at own request) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 17th Sept 1945

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant F. A. ROSAM (48989) retaining his rank. 15th July 1948.

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

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Charles Ernest HEIGHTON (203732). 12th May 1948 (seniority 12th May 1948) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (A.M.O. A 899/47).

Herbert Edward FURBER (46886). 23rd June 1948 (seniority 1st Oct. 1947) (and transferred to the Catering Branch on appointment)

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

Adrian Lewis (45935). 27th Nov 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —

C. KEMP, M.B.E. (49043). 26th June 1948.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenants. —

M. DOUGAN, M.B.E. (45707) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) 10th July 1948.

G. E. ELLIOTT (48129). 18th July 1948

Flight Lieutenant L. CAWTHORNE, D.C.M., M.M. (43805) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 17th July 1948

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission**

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent) —

Hilary John Lancaster HISCOCKS-HAIG (31325). 15th May 1948.

Promotion.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander —

E. G. AMBRIDGE (31011). 1st July 1948

Retirement

Flying Officer H. T. ROBBINS (58746) (at own request). 17th July 1948

Pilot Officer C. PRATT (58892) (at own request) 15th July 1948

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer. —

A. G. CREASEY (550015). 12th June 1948

Flight Lieutenant A. V. EBERT (31140) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 19th July 1948

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Donald FIELD (109160). 15th Apr. 1948

Kenneth STEVENS (52120). 15th May 1948

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st July 1948.

G. E. LEWIS (83807)

E. H. TIDSWELL (86885).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

A. S. HOLGATE (49530). 20th May 1948 (seniority 30th Nov 1946) (substituted for notification of 11th Nov. 1947 (p. 5310, col. 2))

R. P. BRODIE (56344). 28th June 1948

V. A. THOMAS (53970). 29th June 1948

Notification amended.

4th May 1948 (p. 2753, col. 2) concerning R. WALLACE (143882) for 11th Mar. 1948 read 20th May 1948

22nd June 1948 (p. 3640, col. 1) concerning A. L. ADAMS, A.F.C. (143242), for A. L. ADAMS read W. L. ADAMS

Relinquishment of war substantive rank.**Notification cancelled**

6th Jan 1948 (p. 137, col. 2) concerning R. WALLACE (143882).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT**Appointment to commission**

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve) —

Anthony Claude SIMCOX (59938). 28th June 1948 (seniority 6th Mar 1947).

As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

28th June 1948.

Jesse Frank WALLACE, M C (59945) (seniority 30th Jan 1945).

Lawrence Frederick TOMLIN (59936) (seniority 15th Feb. 1946).

Malcolm Bruce MORRIS (59948) (seniority 20th Jan. 1948)

As Pilot Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

28th June 1948 (seniority 6th Sept. 1946)

Gerald BIGGAR (59951)

William Moray Cumming SKINNER (59949).

28th June 1948

Francis Peter HELD (59946) (seniority 1st Feb. 1947).

Neil Bedford INSKIP (59950) (seniority 4th May 1947).

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.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

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

I M ACKERY (202698).

R J. PAGE (203016).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent).—

John Hart RATCLIFF, D F C (52041). 15th Apr. 1948.

As Flying Officer (permanent) —

Keith Berkley CROSBY (156530). 15th Apr. 1948

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant.—

F E. WALDER (132844). 21st Nov 1947

J. K. BURRELL (52640). 5th Feb. 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, short service (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

John Clifford RUSHTON, M R C S., L R C P. (59872) 17th June 1948 (seniority 15th Nov 1947)

As Squadron Leader (temporary):—

Arsene KLIDJIAN, M.B., B.S., F R C S., L.R.C.P. (59884). 17th June 1948 (seniority 17th June 1946)

As Flight Lieutenants (temporary) —

17th June 1948

Peter Machin JEAVONS, M B., B Ch., M R C S., L R C P (59923)

Eric Graham McPHERSON, M B, Ch B., (59916).

John Lewis WINKLER, M.B., B.S., M R C S., L R C P (59937).

As Flying Officers (temporary):—

17th June 1948.

Colin Reeve CHEADLE, M B, B S (59910)

Michael Bernard CONRAN, M R C S, L R C P. (59924)

Edwin Norman Sargood FRY, M.B., Ch B. (59925)

John Michael HALL, M B, B.S., M R C S., L R C P (59911).

Stanley James HARRIS, M B, B S, M R C S, L R.C.P. (59917)

Ralph Nevil JACKSON, M B, B.S., M R C S, L R.C.P (59926).

Arthur John Isbell KELYNACK, M B, B.S. (59927).

John Vernon KILBY, M B., B S, M R C S., L R C P (59912).

Alexander Murray MACKAY, M B, Ch B (59918)

John David ORIEL, M B., B.S. (59928)

Alfred Peter PHILLIPS, M B, Ch B (59913)

Norman Anthony WALKER, M B, B.S., M R C S., L R C P (59919)

John Garrett WALL-CLARKE, M R C S., L R C P (59914).

Eiman WILLIAMS, M.B., B.S., M R.C.S., L R.C.P. (59920).

Thomas Arthur WILLIAMSON, M.B., B.S., M R C S., L R C P (59915)

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant (Qr-Mr) H E. WHITE (48363) 16th July 1948

Notification amended.

8th June 1948 (p 3419, col 2) concerning T J. SPEED (46447) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission

As Flying Officers (temporary):—

17th June 1948

Bain BRUCE, L D S (59941)

Henry William NOBLE, L D S (59931).

Donald James RITCHIE, L D S. (59932)

Aubrey Ingram Sherwood SHARE, M B, Ch B., L D S (59933).

Sydney VINESTOCK, L D S (59934)

Colin Robert WILKINSON, L D S (59942).

CHAPLAINS' BRANCH.

Promotion

Rev J. LAVIN (38018) to the relative rank of Group Captain. 15th June 1948.

LEGAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission.

Notification amended.

24th Dec 1946 (p 6245, col 1) concerning John Ernest ALLEN-JONES (81434) add (seniority 26th July 1943), Gerald Thomas LESTER (118165) add (seniority 24th Oct 1945), John Thomas Lowe (86793) add (seniority 4th June 1945) and Marshall William PALMER (89125) add (seniority 15th Aug. 1945).

7th Jan 1947 (p. 168, col 1) concerning Aubrey SIDNEY-WILMOT (79439) add (seniority 1st June 1942)

11th Feb 1947 (p 708, col 2) concerning Reginald Frank Walter PATTESON (78766) add (seniority 18th Feb 1946).

8th Apr 1947 (p. 1587, col 1) concerning Walter Arthur Munday ORAM (199138) add (seniority 29th Jan. 1946)

22nd July 1947 (p 3424, col. 2) concerning Roderick Wallace Yates MATTHEWS (102717) add (seniority 12th Oct. 1945).

EDUCATION BRANCH

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

David Rowland McCALL, B Sc (59940) 16th June 1948

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader —

F SMITH, M A. (103087). 1st Jan. 1948

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant J. S BELL (58949) retaining his rank 13th June 1948.

PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Wing Commander (permanent):—

Bernard William Stephen SMITH (79619). 27th May 1948.

**RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS
ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES
BRANCH.**

Commission relinquished (class CC)

The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):—

Squadron Leaders —

M W G KNAPMAN (192264) 1st June 1948

R G. BARNARD (192305) 5th June 1948

Flying Officer A. L. FRANKLIN (71856). 13th Dec. 1945.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission (class CC).

As Wing Commander.—

Basil Abercrombie HEWITT (192776) 5th June 1948

As Flight Lieutenants.—

Charles Ronald PHIPPS (192775). 18th May 1948
 William Lochhead Galbraith LAWSON (192730)
 12th June 1948

As Flying Officer —

Allan Stanley CARTER (192781) 12th June 1948

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.
 TRAINING BRANCH.

*Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer.—*

H. J. R. BROWN (139146) 1st Apr. 1947

Commission terminated

Flying Officer J. PEEL (114815) 19th June 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE
 (Emergency commission section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —*

B. REJDER (188119) 3rd May 1948.
 T. S. CURTIS (161254) 4th June 1948.
 G. A. SMITH (189284) 13th June 1948
 K. FRY (189909) 14th June 1948.

15th June 1948

A. R. ARMSTRONG (167581).
 E. T. MOORE (167565).
 D. P. J. RUFFELL (167508).
 W. A. RYDE (167575).
 F. C. SUMNER (195209).
 T. A. THOMAS (167568).
 E. T. WOOD (167566)

16th June 1948.

D. F. HANSON (181972).
 R. MARMON (181974).
 O. A. SPROUL-CRAN (181918).
 E. G. E. WINGHAM (193070).
 J. H. EVANS (189045). 17th June 1948
 A. W. H. GAMBLE (189464). 18th June 1948
 K. M. MACAULAY (188917) 19th June 1948.

Grant of substantive rank

The undermentioned is granted the substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant 1st Nov 1947, with the seniority stated —

J. W. GILVEY (173766) 11th Sept 1947 (substituted for notification of 6th Jan. 1948 (p. 153, col 2)).

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) —

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant.—

R. J. HOPES, D F C (182608). 10th July 1948
 R. H. HATCHARD (196045) 11th July 1948.

Flying Officers retaining their rank —

T. MEECHAN (166620) 8th July 1948
 R. J. HEATRICK, D F M (190224). 9th July 1948.

Notification amended.

4th May 1948 (p. 2754, col 2) concerning B. H. SCARFF (169718) for 25th Mar 1948 read 25th Apr 1948.

Commission resigned

Flying Officer P. J. CAVE (198421) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant 12th May 1948

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

N. A. PARSONS (130499). 3rd Apr. 1948
 O. C. CHAMBERS (147355) 12th Apr 1948.
 M. JALLARD (162183). 4th May 1948
 D. N. STIRTON (162176). 26th May 1948
 G. E. CAMPLIN, A F C (116438). 7th June 1948.

12th June 1948

F. H. BURGESS (172599).
 G. P. WILKINSON (153341)
 J. S. ATHERTON (150990). 3rd July 1948

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

A. G. W. BURSTON (194338) 1st July 1948
 R. F. LINFOOT (183224) 10th July 1948.

Notification amended

22nd June 1948 (p. 3642, col 1) concerning G. W. BASHFORD (191337) for BASHFORD read BASFORD.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial

Flight Lieutenant P. K. B. WILLIAMS, D.F.C. (109490). 16th June 1948
 Flying Officer J. CASHFORD (168325). 28th June 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader S. D. McDONALD, M B E (86027) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 7th June 1948

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

R. C. COOPER, D C M. (123087) 24th June 1948.

Forfeiture of seniority

Flying Officer H. A. POLLEY (130740) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 10th Feb 1948) as if his appointment as Flying Officer bore date 10th Feb 1948

Commission relinquished

Flying Officer C. M. G. HOWARD (174003) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank 10th July 1948

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant W. G. DRESCHFIELD (73870) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader 4th June 1948

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant —

J. R. GROVE (133826). 14th Apr 1948
 F. C. W. FORD (201695) 14th May 1948
 Flight Lieutenant W. M. BLACKWOOD, M B E (87163) retaining his rank 26th May 1948

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Commission resigned

Flying Officer A. L. KERSHAW (62198) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader 24th Jan. 1948.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Wing Commander (Honorary) H. A. PLASTOW (192654). 30th June 1948.
 Squadron Leader (Honorary) C. A. TURNNIDGE (192650) 30th June 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Appointment to commission**As Pilot Officers (emergency) —*

Aircraftman 2nd class.
 9th June 1948
 2345140 John Beaumont BAUGHAN (2345140)
 3103954 Simon EVERARD (3103954)
 3101740 Clifford Henry SYKES (3101740).

*Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —*

L. H. SWANBOROUGH (123689) 26th June 1948

*Grant of substantive rank.**Notification cancelled*

6th Jan 1948 (p. 155, col. 2) concerning J. G. GRIFFITH (160211).

MEDICAL BRANCH

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flight Lieutenant W. HAMILTON, M.B., Ch B. (202393), takes rank and precedence (with effect from 3rd Jan 1948) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 3rd Jan. 1948

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant E. de M. CONNELL, M R C S., L R C P. (203740), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st May 1948.

CHAPLAINS' BRANCH.

Commission resigned

Rev R. J. HOOPER (67569). 31st May 1948

PROVOST BRANCH

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer C. E. PARKER (186643) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant 27th Jan. 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Appointment to commission.**Notification amended.*

4th May 1948 (p. 2755, col. 2) concerning Basil Henry SCARFF (169718) for 25th Mar. 1948 read 25th Apr. 1948.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Removal.

Pilot Officer J. H. THOMAS, D.F.C. (119818).
23rd Mar. 1948.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Section Officer K F. NORRIS (2514) retaining her rank 2nd June 1948.

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Air Ministry, 20th July, 1948.

The undermentioned to be Assistant to the Provost Marshal—

Flight Lieutenant D. R. HALSEY-JONES (107208).
18th May 1948

