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ROYAL AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission

As Wing Commanders (permanent) —

22nd June 1948

Harry BUDDEN, D S O , D F C (37275)

Desmond Felix LASLETT (37973)

As Squadron Leaders (permanent) —

Thomas Ronald FOX, D F C (41168). 15th June 1948

22nd June 1948

George Herbert Burgon HUTCHINSON, D F C (39233)

William Watson Tod RITCHIE, A F C. (41068).

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) —

15th Apr. 1948

Robert HERRICK (70899)

Wilfred Handel MILLER, D F C (169022)

15th May 1948

Alan Edward HALL (153138)

Raymond LE CUDENEC, D F C (135733)

15th June 1948

Dennis William BEDFORD (153080).

John William FROST, D F C (126954)

Leslie Curtis GLOVER (115234)

Arthur GRIFFITHS (131642)

Kenneth Butterworth McGLASHAN (42138)

Alan Edward MARRIOTT (156652)

Ernest Robert MORRIS (141801)

Norman POOLE (139395)

Eric Arthur ROCKLIFFE (109932)

Cecil Alan TOMLINSON, A F C. (150683)

22nd June 1948

Reginald Norman AYLES, D F C , D F M.

(51539)

Geoffrey Maurice ROTHWELL, D F C (42726)

As Flying Officers (permanent) —

John William Fison WRIGHT (57641) 15th May

1948

Patrick Percival WALKER (56567) 1st June

1948

15th June 1948.

Kenneth Levi HIRST (58137)

John Harry PHILLIPS (58026)

Derrick Ross STRATTON (167675)

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

William WILLIAMS (123620) 18th Dec 1945 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch as Flight Lieutenant, 12th July 1948 (seniority 30th Sept 1946) (since promoted)

William Graham ROGERS, D F C (118614) 3rd June 1947 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as Flight Lieutenant, 12th July 1948 (seniority 28th Sept 1946) (since promoted) (substituted for notification of 3rd Aug. 1948, p. 4347, col 2)).

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

Henry Gordon BAINBRIDGE (168010), 12th Sept. 1946 (seniority 16th Mar. 1945)

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —

F V HOULGATE (54598). 25th Apr 1948

C B L WARWICK (181283) 30th May 1948

1st Aug 1948

M J SCHROEDER (59127)

P A THOMSON (191928)

J TOONE (56598)

2nd Aug 1948

R. B. BECKLEY (195501)

L. DOCKRAY (57048)

K SUMNER (196060)

3rd Aug 1948

F T COOPER (163329)

J OLIVER (163310)

4th Aug 1948

F W LEMON (56652)

D MARWOOD, D F C (195565)

J H. MITCHELL (197590)

5th Aug. 1948

D J DODIMEAD (191803)

P HADDOCK (191543)

E H MARTIN, D F M (56626)

6th Aug 1948

R B COATES (56607)

P G GLADSTONE (191345)

T K GROVER (56614)

A WATERWORTH (196814)

M G BLOMER (191886) 7th Aug 1948

Transfer between branches

The undermentioned to the Secretarial Branch —

Flight Lieutenant, H. K. SNELL (124189) 21st Aug 1948 (seniority 25th Oct 1946)

Pilot Officer-I D MAXTON (2600395) retaining his existing rank and seniority. 14th Aug 1948

Retirement

Air Marshal Sir Ralph S SORLEY, K C B , O B E , D S C , D F C (at own request) 6th Sept 1948

*Transfer to reserve (class "A").**Flying Officers —*

G. BENNETT (58303) 31st Aug 1948
 D. A. R. EDWARDS (57729) 1st Sept 1948
 6th Sept 1948
 R B BROWN (58772)
 R E A. PARKER (58763).

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) —
 Squadron Leader G K W NEWTON (48997)
 28th Aug. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank —

G. D TEMPLE (55245). 25th Aug 1948.
 C B USHER (144703). 27th Aug 1948
 M. W C. TYLER, D F C (169149). 28th Aug.
 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission*

As Squadron Leader (permanent) —
 Norman Whittaker TURNER (45004) 15th May
 1948
As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) —
 15th May 1948
 Clifford Claude CAPLE (50293)
 Jack GODFREY (56886).
 Arthur Ronald BOARDMAN (47644) 3rd Aug
 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945)

Transfer between branches

Flight Lieutenant C. H. PRETTY (46517) to the
 Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and
 seniority 15th July 1948

Retirement

Flight Lieutenants (at own request) —
 H T. NICHOLLS (52388) 13th Aug 1948
 D C M WRIGHT (53258). 1st Sept 1948.
 J. S LAWRENCE (49937) 2nd Sept 1948
 Group Captain Sir Frank WHITTLE, K B E,
 C B (on account of medical unfitness for Air
 Force service) retaining the rank of Air Commodore
 26th Aug 1948.
 Squadron Leader C H WILSON (35083) retaining
 the rank of Wing Commander 3rd Sept 1948.
 Flight Lieutenant (war subs) (temp Squadron
 Leader) S. G. DAWSON (45621) retaining the rank
 of Squadron Leader. 10th Oct 1947

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES
BRANCH***Grant of seniority in substantive rank**Notification amended*

28th Feb 1947 (p 987, col. 2) concerning H L
 TUCKER (142812) for 10th Sept. 1945 read 10th
 Sept. 1944.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant R A BARKER (53413) (at own
 request) 5th Sept 1948

Commission resigned

Flying Officer A H KEATING (51865) retaining
 his rank 9th Aug 1948

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Appointment to commission*

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
 John Anthony TODD (87596) 1st June 1948.
As Flying Officer (permanent) —
 William Ronald GROVES (190323). 1st June
 1948

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
 G W B ADAMSON (56502) 8th Aug 1948.
 E E GIBSON (53893) 10th Aug. 1948

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

9th Aug 1948.
 S BRYDONE (562684).
 R G KNIGHT (568921).

Retirement

Flying Officers—
 E D BARR-HAMILTON (59145) (at own request).
 1st Sept 1948.
 H BARDSLEY, M.B.E. (58917). 3rd Sept. 1948.

Pilot Officers (at own request) —

A J A CORNISH (59195). 31st Aug 1948.
 R P. PHILLIPS (59106) 4th Sept. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant S. V. LOCKE (43760) (on
 account of medical unfitness for Air Force service)
 retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 25th Aug
 1948

Notification amended

29th June 1948 (p 3779, col. 1) concerning
 G. EDWARDS (58737) for (58737) read (58733).

Notification cancelled.

25th Feb 1947 (p 924, col. 1) concerning
 A. E HILDER (54817)

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant D REGAN (103255) retaining
 the rank of Squadron Leader 2nd Sept 1948.

Commission resigned

Flying Officer R WATERSTON (58434) (at own
 request) retaining his rank. 4th Sept. 1948

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Squadron Leaders (permanent) —
 22nd June 1948.
 Leonard Gordon ASH (102768)
 Herbert Frank BISHOP, O B.E., A F C (43464).

As Flying Officer (permanent) —

George BRAND (187385) 22nd June 1948.

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

F T RUSSELL (53615) 25th May 1947
 (seniority 25th May 1948) (substituted for noti-
 fication of 19th Aug 1947 (p 3898, col 2))

H L TUCKER (142812) 10th Mar 1948
 D. E ADAMSON (133216) 4th Aug. 1948
 H. E KIPPENDALE (54143) 10th Aug 1948

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer —

H Fox (517627) 9th Aug 1948

Notification amended

23rd Mar (1948 (p 2019, col 2) concerning
 F L WESTERN (50947) for 1st May 1947 read
 6th May 1947.

*Adjustment of seniority.**Notification amended.*

23rd Mar. 1948 (p 2023, col 2) concerning
 F. L WESTERN (50947) for Flying Officer (sub)
 1st Nov 1943 read Flying Officer (sub) 6th Nov.
 1943 and concerning A J A. Wood (50505) for
 Flight Lieutenant (sub) 26th Aug 1947 read
 Flight Lieutenant (sub) 28th June 1947.

Retirement

Flying Officer R. F B UNWIN (515380) (at
 own request). 5th Sept. 1948

Commission resigned.

Pilot Officer P A LEDINGHAM (59282) retain-
 ing his rank 5th Sept. 1948

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT*Appointment to commission*

As Flying Officer (permanent) —
 Cyril Frederick WRIGHT (174963) 22nd June
 1948.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission*

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent) —
 George Herbert Matthew NICHOLS (68848). 1st
 June 1948.

As Flying Officer (permanent) —

Bernard Alexander FRASER (165808). 1st June
 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH*Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

W L PRICE, M B, B Ch (102272) 9th Aug.
 1948.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

14th Aug. 1948.
 M. E. FEARNLEY, M B, B.S., M R C S.,
 L R C P. (59425)
 G L LEATHART, M B, B Ch, M R C P,
 M R C S (59408)
 J. McE NEELSON, M.B, Ch B (59409)
 I R D. PROCTOR, M B, Ch B M R C S,
 L R C P. (59410).

W B BROWNE, M B, Ch B. (59407) 15th
 Aug 1948

Notification amended

6th July 1948 (p 3897, col 2) concerning
 A M HEWAT, M R C S, L R C P. (23328) for
 A M HEWAT read R M. HEWAT

Retirement**Notification amended**

3rd Aug 1948 (p 4349, col 2) concerning A. DAMES (50785) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer S. ROSE, L.R.C.P. & S. L.R.F.P.S. (59575) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank 30th Aug. 1948.

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

15th July 1947 (p 3260, col 1) concerning William Allan Trick PARSONS, L.D.S. (80791) for 1st July 1946 read 4th July 1946.

Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader—**

W. A. T. PARSONS, L.D.S. (80791) 3rd Aug. 1948

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant—

14th Aug. 1948
P. H. PRYNE, L.D.S. (59424).
G. R. BARNES, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59417)
P. H. DAWSON, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59411)
I. H. HESLOP, B.D.S. (59412).
G. T. HODGE, L.D.S. (59414).
W. N. NAPPIN, B.D.S. (59413).
R. TARRING, L.D.S. (59415)
L. V. WARDLE, L.D.S. (59418)

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.****As Chaplain (permanent) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader—**

Rev Thomas Arthur JENKINS (77528) 22nd June 1948.

EDUCATION BRANCH.**Promotion.****Wing Commander to Group Captain—**

1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 1st July 1948)
C. L. M. BROWN, O.B.E., M.A. (73104).
E. G. R. WINGHAM, B.Sc. (73486).
R. C. RICHARDS, M.A., M.Sc., F.Inst.P. (75302).
A. C. KERMODE, O.B.E., B.A., F.R.Ae.S. (73262).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader—

D. J. ADDIS, A.C.G.I., A.M.I.Mech.E. (73061). 1st June 1948

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

James Robert COULSON (151439). 1st June 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**TRAINING BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.****As Flying Officers—**

Alexander Patrick Cathcart HANNAY, M.C. (12136) 15th Oct. 1947.
Geoffrey William PALMER (204888) 15th Apr. 1948.
Clement John HANBURY (204878). 7th May 1948.
Eric APPLETON, D.F.C. (178226) 19th May 1948.
Kenneth Malcolm Elder MACKAY (204864) 31st May 1948.
Carlton Clavell RAGG (172688). 11th June 1948.
George Arthur WILLIAMS (106299) 12th June 1948.
Eric James NOTT (137048). 14th June 1948.

17th June 1948.
Ronald Thomas BARRE (204880)
John James Sidney FIELD (175661)
Kenneth FRANKLIN (157925)
Frederick George MOORE (130489)
Sidney Thomas Jasper TAVERNER (128699). 22nd June 1948.

23rd June 1948
Alexander HANNAY (120473)
James HOGG (170559).
William Terry POOLE, D.F.C. (182222)
Stanley Crofton RICHARDSON (186432)

26th June 1948.

William George GILES (77659)
William Harris THORNING (204896).

Peter Gordon TANNER (181272). 29th June 1948.

Clifford John PHILLIPS, D.F.C. (169400) 1st July 1948

Alexander GROZIER, D.F.C. (179184). 3rd July 1948

Cyril Arthur FARROW (140449) 7th July 1948

Bernard Alec WOOLFSON (169581) 8th July 1948

As Pilot Officers.—

Edmond Alfred DARLOW (1082338) 16th Apr. 1948

21st Apr 1948.

Reginald William BROWNILL (868723)

Coln Humphrys LEWIS (902863).

26th Apr. 1948

George Cyril GRANGER (1094266)

Percy KENEALLY (1047801)

Albert MULLINS (1681581).

John ROBINSON (204881). 27th Apr 1948

James Nelson Bridges MOFFAT (204870) 1st May 1948.

Alexander LEITCH (204877). 5th May 1948.

19th May 1948

Noel Henry MOORE (204869)

Bertram George WINZAR (1333232).

John David DYER (204873) 27th May 1948

William Bramwell HAKES (845647) 31st May 1948

Stanley Charles PHILLIPS, D.F.M. (610375) 8th June 1948.

11th June 1948

William Claude Newman AYLETT (349055)

Howard COWLARD (204875)

Raymond Thomas TRAVELL (204874)

John ALLAN (106997). 17th June 1948

Ronald William PALMER (1294474). 21st June 1948

23rd June 1948

George DYCE (1565342).

John Stephen RATTRAY (876333)

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Emergency commission section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**Promotion****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant—**

C. A. SUMMERS (189412) 22nd June 1948

L. C. SPARGO (196249) 1st Aug. 1948.

2nd Aug. 1948

A. G. HURLE (167775).

W. E. LYNE (167789)

V. C. EVES (191938) 6th Aug 1948

7th Aug 1948

G. D. JOHNSON (195843)

E. S. WILLIAMS (196601)

Notification amended.

20th Apr 1948 (p 2471, col 1) concerning J. A. MARTINSON (177942) should have appeared under the heading of ROYAL AIR FORCE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

Grant of substantive rank.

The undermentioned is granted the substantive rank of Flying Officer. 1st Nov. 1947, with seniority stated:—

F. W. FARFAN (157691) 10th Mar. 1944.

Notification cancelled

6th Jan. 1948 (p 153, col 1) and 27th Apr 1948 (p. 2601, col 1) concerning F. W. FARFAN (157691)

Relinquishment of war substantive rank

Flying Officer F. W. FARFAN (157691) relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant 1st Jan 1948

Commission resigned

The undermentioned retaining their rank.—

Flight Lieutenant G. E. DONALDSON (165346) 23rd Aug. 1948.

Flying Officers—

C. A. Le MESURIER (182968) 19th July 1948

R. F. PERRY (197276) 9th Aug 1948.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight-Lieutenant J. N. MARCHBANK (85325) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank 31st Aug 1948.

Commission resigned

The undermentioned retaining their rank —

Wing Commander S. JACKSON, M B E. (79252)
9th Aug 1948
Flight Lieutenant R. F. LEEPER (I99455). 6th Aug 1948

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Commission resigned*

Squadron Leader I. F. U. WILLIAMS (80512) retaining his rank. 27th July 1948

DENTAL BRANCH.*Promotion.*

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —

P. J. SHELDRIK, B D S, L D S. (204593) 14th Aug 1948.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Squadron Leader —

William Reginald FARNES, O B E (40097) 24th Nov. 1947

As Flight Lieutenant —

Paul Henry Mills RICHEY, D.F.C (39757). 20th July 1948 (seniority 27th Apr. 1948)

As Flying Officers. —

Edward Brian SMITH (I50698). 22nd June 1948 (seniority 16th Feb 1948).

29th June 1948

Douglas Robertson ALLAN (I99772) (seniority 25th May 1948)

Robert Lyle James BARBOUR, D.F.C. (I25456) (seniority 23rd Feb 1948).

10th July 1948.

Laurence Cecil LEE (I17366) (seniority 30th Apr. 1948)

Duncan Craig McNEIL, D.F.C (60105) (seniority 18th May 1948).

Vincent Henry TWOMEY (I58586) (seniority 17th Feb 1948)

John Wilson HARLAND (I52618). 15th July 1948 (seniority 26th May 1948)

As Pilot Officers —

12th July 1948 (seniority 2nd June 1948).

Kenneth Cuthbert BARRASS (I80041).

Robert Evan MORGAN (I63372)

TECHNICAL BRANCH*Appointment to commission.*

As Flight Lieutenant —

Henry Gordon HARRIS (52625). 17th Dec 1947 (seniority 1st Dec 1947).

As Pilot Officer —

Raymond William Herbert Fairbairn MUSKETT (2692506) 13th July 1948 (seniority 8th Mar. 1948)

SECRETARIAL BRANCH*Appointment to commission*

As Flight Lieutenant —

Robert Nish REID (67777) 29th June 1948 (seniority 23rd Mar 1948).

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Appointment to commission.*

As Flying Officers —

Arthur Robert BRANDRETH (I66787). 9th July 1948 (seniority 31st May 1948)

Ronald DOWLING (200752) 12th July 1948 (seniority 3rd May 1948).

WOMEN'S FORCES**EMPLOYED WITH THE MEDICAL BRANCH OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE***Promotion.*

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader —

M. ROBERTSON, L R C P & S, L R F R S. (2236) 25th July 1948

EMPLOYED WITH THE DENTAL BRANCH OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE.*Promotion*

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant —

K. M. CLARKSON, L D S (8536) 14th Aug. 1948.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE*Retirement**Notification amended.*

10th Aug 1948 (p 4428, col 2) concerning M. E. BALL, O B E, A R R C (5045) for O B E. read M. B E.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**" G " BRANCH.***Appointment to commission*

As Flight Officers, extended service (three years on the active list and two years on the reserve) —*

Marion Strathern PHILIP (I277) 25th June 1948 (seniority 10th Nov 1944)

Kathleen Teresa HATFIELD (3585) 1st July 1948 (seniority 1st Jan 1947)

Beryl Esme TAYLOR (2688) 5th Aug 1948 (seniority 9th Dec. 1946)

12th Aug 1948.

Dorothy Margaret DUNBAR (I210) (seniority 21st Mar 1944)

Lilian Irene GILBERT (3890) (seniority 10th May 1945)

Florence Rebecca PENTLAND (2805) (seniority 1st Mar 1945)

Iris Leslie PEPYS (2683) (seniority 18th Feb 1945).

Margaret Florence ROGERS (I650) (seniority 26th Aug 1944)

As Section Officers, extended service (three years on the active list and two years on the reserve) —*

Lilian Ann FOX (5206). 4th Aug. 1948 (seniority 20th Sept 1945)

12th Aug 1948

Lilian COURTNEY (5572) (seniority 2nd Mar. 1943).

Mary GOVE (5912) (seniority 14th Apr 1943)

Heather Joan PAWSON (7702) (seniority 26th Jan. 1945)

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH*Appointment to commission.*

As Flight Officers, extended service (three years on the active list, two years on the reserve) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) —*

Diana Prenton von DONOP (475). 1st July 1948 (seniority 8th Jan 1946)

Cecil Marguerite AMBROSE (255) 5th July 1948 (seniority 6th June 1945)

12th Aug 1948

Edith Elizabeth Louise CARO (I688) (seniority 1st Sept. 1944)

Jean Millicent PAWSON (3105) (seniority 6th Apr. 1945)

As Section Officers, extended service (three years on the active list, two years on the reserve) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) —*

Evelyn REAY (4532). 22nd Apr 1948 (seniority 6th Nov. 1942).

Elspeth Mather HAIR (5131) 19th July 1948 (seniority 9th July 1945).

12th Aug 1948

Joyce Audrey Ellen BENNETT (5429) (seniority 22nd May 1943)

Agnes Mary BRUCE (6457) (seniority 27th July 1943)

Theodora Claire LEGGE (5562) (seniority 29th Jan 1943)

Heather Barbara WILSON (5085) (seniority 24th Dec 1942).

As Section Officer, extended service (three years on the active list, two years on the reserve) (and transferred to the Catering Branch on appointment) —*

Isabel PINCOCK (8124) 12th Aug 1948 (seniority 10th July 1945)

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules. The dates of seniority in substantive rank as shown are based on length of service. They are provisional only and may be subject to adjustment on constitution of the W.A.A.F. on a permanent basis

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Assistant Section Officer, extended service (three years on the active list and two years on the reserve).—*

Marie Gibson GOVAN (8358). 22nd June 1948
(seniority 16th Dec. 1945).

Commission resigned.

Section Officers retaining the rank of Flight Officer:—

3rd Sept. 1948.

G M M. ELLIOTT (7669).

J M. YOUNG (7323) (at own request).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve

Section Officer N. W. OWEN (7118). 5th Aug. 1948

* *Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules. The dates of seniority in substantive rank as shown are based on length of service. They are provisional only and may be subject to adjustment on constitution of the W A A.F. on a permanent basis.*

*Commission resigned.**Notification amended.*

29th June 1948 (p. 3782, col. 2) concerning F. H. RADICE (6934) for 20th May 1948 read 15th July 1948.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE "R" LIST.

The undermentioned are appointed as Section Officers.—

Vivian Collin BROOKS (4581). 29th June 1948.
Agnes Lees CAMPBELL (4156). 15th July 1948.
Elisabeth Vida WALLIS (8408). 20th July 1948

Air Ministry, 7th September, 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Adjustment of seniority on recall.

As Flight Lieutenant (temp):—

A R. BOARDMAN (47644) 13th Sept. 1946.

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