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The KING has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decoration conferred upon the officer indicated, in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with the war:—

CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Robert BUNTING (Aus.409075), Royal Australian Air Force.

Air Ministry, 1st March, 1949.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Wing Commander (permanent):—

Lawrence Henry BAKER (39195). 4th Oct. 1948.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—

Robert HEWITT, A.F.C. (44075). 7th Aug. 1948.

15th Sept. 1948.

Michael KELLETT, D.F.C. (86630).

John Burrell ROBERTSON (43044).

20th Sept. 1948.

Thomas William NEWBERRY (46017).

Willie STEWART (63846).

Peter Robert WOODWARD, D.F.C. (37646).

Cyril Frank COUNTER, D.F.C. (85689). 4th Oct. 1948.

Gerald Noel NORTH, A.F.C. (46249). 12th Oct. 1948.

Peter Frederick ILLINGWORTH (39529). 19th Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

John Edgar TAYLOR, D.F.C., D.F.M. (142041). 7th Aug. 1948.

16th Aug. 1948.

Cyril Donald BARTMAN (143452).

Victor Richard COONEY (152024).

Archibald Reginald Gerald JACKSON, A.F.C. (128906).

John Trevor NEWBOULT (163108).

10th Sept. 1948.

Frank William ALDER, A.F.C. (42581).

William Dryburn CALDWELL (156751).

Arthur COLLINS, D.F.M. (52908).

William James WIGHTWICK (151643).

15th Sept. 1948.

Kenneth Henry HOUGHTON, D.F.C. (121208).

Frederick Arthur JOHNSON, D.F.C. (59296).

Gordon James STOREY (155051).

Archie Kenneth STRUDWICK, D.F.C. (53347).

20th Sept. 1948.

Edgar William Francis HARE (154287).

Eric Moise Ellis MICHAEL (167556).

Ronald POLLITT (48519).

Owen Gwynfor WILLIAMS (166174).

2nd Oct. 1948.

Gordon Douglas BIRD (167691).

Harold Henry LAWRENCE, D.F.C. (161017).

4th Oct. 1948.

George CLUBLEY, D.F.C. (174402).

Harry Glendining PATTISON, D.F.C. (141466).

7th Oct. 1948.

Leonard Edgar COGAN (126497).

Joseph Malcolm LENNOX, D.F.C. (137443).

Kenneth William SIMPSON (188410).

12th Oct. 1948.

Alva Edward HENDERSON, A.F.C. (59078).

Cecil Jack HOMES, A.F.C. (162299).

George Alastair RICHARDS (125570).

19th Oct. 1948.

Michael Arthur Norman HILLS (55131).

Ronald William PAYNE (187433).

Randolph Cecil POOCK (55206).

23rd Oct. 1948.

John DALGLEISH (146087).

Leslie MOORE (55403).

George Frederick TURNER, D.F.C. (125593).

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

16th Aug. 1948.

Peter Portway BAKER (57528).

Richard Harry CLYMO (58127).

John Moreton NICHOLLS (58144).

Derrick Warren GRUBB (1323923). 7th Oct. 1948.

12th Oct. 1948.

Herbert George Peter HINE (57734).

Edward Peter WILDY (193416).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

30th Dec. 1948.

Leslie HENSON, D.F.C. (128530) (seniority 27th May 1948).

Robert William GELLARD, D.F.M. (50663) (seniority 18th Oct. 1948).

Rafe O'Brien VAN CUYLENBURG (174586). 5th Jan. 1949 (seniority 17th May 1948).

10th Jan. 1949.

James Haswell WALTON (155112) (*seniority 21st Sept. 1947*).Christopher Bennett URWIN, D.F.C. (126027) (*seniority 7th Dec. 1947*).Michael John GRAY, D.F.C. (106182). (*seniority 13th Dec. 1947*).Douglas Arthur BAILEY, D.F.C. (134728) (*seniority 4th Oct. 1948*).Royston Bruce BROOKS (187522) (*seniority 12th Dec. 1948*).Richard Ernest Wilmot SMERDON (147131). 12th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 25th Feb. 1948*).

17th Jan. 1949.

Barry Nigel BYRNE (150272) (*seniority 17th Dec. 1947*).Peter Ivan HART, D.F.C. (124164) (*seniority 8th Feb. 1948*).

24th Jan. 1949.

Donald DACRE (138096) (*seniority 20th Dec. 1946*).Lawrence Arthur NEWBON (136505) (*seniority 7th May 1948*).*As Flying Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*Gordon Maitland BARBER (500513). 22nd Dec. 1948 (*seniority 5th Sept. 1948*).Joseph DAVIDSON (200548). 30th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 8th June 1948*).Alexander McLEISH (195827). 31st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 20th June 1947*).Roy Leslie MASLEN (196953). 5th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 25th June 1948*).

10th Jan. 1949.

Gordon Wood SMITH, D.F.C. (176513) (*seniority 20th Aug. 1947*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Eric DRING, A.F.C. (179947) (*seniority 16th Nov. 1947*).Douglas Joseph PROCTOR (182727) (*seniority 28th Feb. 1948*).Jack HUTTON (186127) (*seniority 27th Mar. 1948*).George Bernard GAUGHAN (201225). (*seniority 3rd Apr. 1948*).

12th Jan. 1949.

Leslie TOPPER (170630) (*seniority 25th May 1947*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Frank Potter RUSSELL (177117) (*seniority 2nd Mar. 1948*).

17th Jan. 1949.

Hugh MILLER (158323) (*seniority 20th Sept. 1946*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Jack Hillyer BRITTEN (184703) (*seniority 14th Jan. 1948*).

24th Jan. 1949.

Eustace Douglas REVITT, D.F.C. (131878) (*seniority 1st Aug. 1946*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Alan FAIRFAX (195188) (*seniority 27th Feb. 1947*).Norman Frank FROST (184668) (*seniority 4th Apr. 1947*).William Henry MORGAN (188693) (*seniority 26th Sept. 1947*).Norman Bryan William BAX (184174) (*seniority 9th Feb. 1948*).Ernest CANNELL (186505) (*seniority 24th May 1948*).Glyndwr Trefer JOHN (197151) (*seniority 5th Dec. 1948*).*As Flight Lieutenants, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*Leslie IVEY (114348). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 18th Apr. 1948*).Roland Ernest Roger HAMMERBECK, A.F.C. (106651). 30th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 30th Nov. 1947*).Beresford BROOKE (37959). 3rd Jan. 1949 (*seniority 7th Aug. 1947*) (and transferred to the Royal Air Force Regiment relinquishing the war substantive and temporary ranks of Squadron Leader on appointment).

18th Jan. 1949.

Derek Maynard GOSSLAND (60823) (*seniority 28th Mar. 1947*).John WOULD, D.F.C. (162875) (*seniority 17th Dec. 1947*).George John SMITH (151747). 24th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 21st Mar. 1947*).*As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*Stanley LEWIS (190916). 20th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 22nd Aug. 1946*).William Herbert Ames DICK, D.F.C. (133416). 28th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 9th Sept. 1946*).John Leonard FISHER (202360). 31st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 18th Aug. 1947*).Philip Ernest PRIOR, A.F.C. (144760). 1st Jan. 1949 (*seniority 22nd May 1946*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

3rd Jan. 1949.

Allan James HUMPHREYS (180428) (*seniority 29th Jan. 1947*).Geoffrey Victor WADAMS (168712) (*seniority 14th Sept. 1947*).Alan George WHITBREAD (167908) (*seniority 17th Sept. 1947*).Donald Eric Raymond BROWNE (198789) (*seniority 20th Nov. 1947*) (and transferred to the Royal Air Force Regiment on appointment).Archibald MACKINNON, D.F.C. (137207). 11th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 4th Aug. 1946*) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).John Hunter Morris THOM (164148). 17th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 22nd July 1947*).*As Flight Lieutenant, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*Robert Philip Arthur Jules DE BURLET (42811). 4th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).*As Flying Officers, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*Flight Lieutenant Victor Arthur STAPLEY, D.F.C. (175092). 27th Oct. 1948 (*seniority 19th Apr. 1946*) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment) (substituted for notification of 16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6006, col. 1)).James William Garstone PARKER (155188). 16th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 15th Dec. 1946*) (and transferred to the Technical Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Ralph Hammond BARKER (147912). 20th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 31st Dec. 1946*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

29th Dec. 1948.

Lewis Charles PRICE (164185) (*seniority 17th Apr. 1948*) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).John FOOTE (184067) (*seniority 1st Nov. 1948*) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

30th Dec. 1948.

Michael Joseph KELLY (184078) (*seniority 6th June 1947*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).Lionel Evelyn FLATT, D.F.C. (168770) (*seniority 15th June 1947*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).Mansel Byron SMITH (184474). 31st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 29th Sept. 1948*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).Patrick Ernest RAYMOND (190813). 1st Jan. 1949 (*seniority 1st June 1948*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).Arthur Naaman Frederick TERRY (196907). 3rd Jan. 1949 (*seniority 3rd Oct. 1948*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

5th Jan. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant Harold Estcourt GREGORY (165723) (*seniority 29th Mar. 1947*) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).Keith Alan Edmund SMITH (194264) (*seniority 23rd May 1948*) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).Flight Lieutenant Gerard O'DONNELL (167242). 19th Feb. 1949 (*seniority 22nd Sept. 1946*) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

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

Alexander John MACKAY, D.F.C. (191459), 28th Dec. 1948 (seniority 16th Apr. 1947) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

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

John Brian MAHONEY (53944), 13th Oct. 1948 (seniority 27th June 1948).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Eric John FORBES (183288), 1st Feb. 1948 (seniority 8th Jan. 1948).

John William PHILLIPS (186867), 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 20th Apr. 1948).

1st Nov. 1948.

Lionel Leonard THOMAS, D.F.C. (128446) (seniority 19th Jan. 1946).

Evan David Verdun WILLIAMS (54605) (seniority 12th Sept. 1947).

Edmund EVANS (182672) (seniority 2nd Dec. 1947).

Douglas William BARBER (154049), 26th Nov. 1948 (seniority 9th Sept. 1947).

As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Leslie Charles AKEHURST (199049), 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 18th Apr. 1946).

Ronald James LOCKWOOD, D.F.C. (196968), 1st Nov. 1948 (seniority 12th Mar. 1946).

John Lionel WARWICKER (185457), 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 9th Sept. 1945) (substituted for notification of 25th Jan. 1949 (p. 432, col. 2)).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

1st Nov. 1948.

Charles James DALY (119907) (seniority 4th Oct. 1945).

Thomas William SKELTON (157979) (seniority 13th Mar. 1947).

Michael John BAILEY (164413) (seniority 10th Sept. 1947).

William SHARPLES (195579), 1st Jan. 1949 (seniority 13th July 1948).

Robert Edmund BURGESS (183271), 1st Feb. 1949 (seniority 16th Dec. 1947).

Notification amended.

12th Oct. 1948 (p. 5381, col. 1) concerning Marian KOTLARZ (500032) for (seniority 1st July 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), Leon KOZLOWSKI (500034) for (seniority 1st Sept. 1944) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), Stanislaw Josef MACHEJ, D.F.C. (500061) for (seniority 1st Apr. 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), Joseph TYSZKO, M.C., A.F.C. (500069) for (seniority 1st July 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), Stanislaw WANDZILAK, D.F.C. (500039) for (seniority 1st Sept. 1944) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), Erazm WARDZINSKI (500070) for (seniority 15th Feb. 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) and Stanislaw Edward ZDANOWSKI (500040) for (seniority 1st Sept. 1944) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5773, col. 1) concerning Jan DZIEDZIC (500228) for (seniority 1st Aug. 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945), and (p. 5773, col. 2) concerning Tadeusz WIERZBOWSKI (500238) for (seniority 1st July 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

23rd Nov. 1948 (p. 6123, col. 1) concerning Michael Eric GARDNER (60752) for (seniority 25th Dec. 1946) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

R. J. DAVENPORT (199966), 27th Jan. 1949.

D. G. VASSE (193462), 28th Jan. 1949.

J. L. MECKIFF (57494), 31st Jan. 1949.

Notification cancelled.

18th Jan. 1949 (p. 298, col. 1) concerning J. G. C. MUNRO (2600300).

Transfer between branches.

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

Flight Lieutenant L. G. GOODEY, D.F.C. (130436), 22nd Dec. 1948.

Flying Officer M. B. FARADAY (198553), 22nd Dec. 1948.

Transfer to another branch and reversion to lower rank.

Squadron Leader T. HOGGARD, D.F.C., D.F.M. (46025), to the Technical Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant, 31st Jan. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Flying Officer G. A. SHERRATT (204476) to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Pilot Officer, 31st Jan. 1949 (seniority 15th May 1947).

Retirement.

Squadron Leader D. J. SCOTT, O.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (59527) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), 28th Feb. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer G. E. B. ANTHONY (193169) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank, 27th Feb. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant E. D. V. WILLIAMS (54605) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.), 1st Nov. 1948.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant W. GILLIES (154028), 28th Feb. 1949.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

Benjamin James STEVENSON (44429), 8th Sept. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

16th Aug. 1948.

Vivian Morgan HAMMOND (52835).

Reginald William George RANNER (46863).

Victor Vincent TUCKER (54114).

Walter John WILLETTS (55973).

1st Sept. 1948.

Harold Edgar GUNDRY, B.E.M. (50064).

Charles Henry William PERCY (52505).

8th Sept. 1948.

Leslie Oliver STEPHENS (50760).

Samuel George TATEM (50984).

Arthur George RODD (49438), 16th Sept. 1948.

12th Oct. 1948.

Leslie Sandford BATES, B.E.M. (50414).

Jack PATTERSON (49817).

William Bertram STONEMAN (51253).

Henry George Anthony SCILLEY (46672), 18th Oct. 1948.

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

George William SLACK (201419), 12th Oct. 1948.

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

John Robert Cecil SPENCER (169369), 6th Dec. 1948 (seniority 7th Aug. 1948).

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

Fred Harold Emmott NUNWICK (159380), 22nd Nov. 1948 (seniority 12th Mar. 1947).

As Flying Officers, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—

Sidney GLEADOW (50137), 6th Dec. 1948 (seniority 26th Dec. 1946).

George Francis WHEELER (50634), 31st Dec. 1948 (seniority 8th Sept. 1947).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

John James DUFF (149239), 1st Nov. 1948 (seniority 24th Apr. 1947).

Leonard Charles DOWN (52634), 1st Dec. 1948 (seniority 5th Feb. 1947).

1st Mar. 1949.

Leslie GARRARD (47253) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6352, col. 2)).

Matthew William WILSON (46095) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6353, col. 1)).

Thomas Charles SMITH (48398) (seniority 29th Oct. 1945) (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6353, col. 1)).

Notification amended.

2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5774, col. 1) concerning Franciszek FLORCZAK (500045) for (seniority 16th Jan. 1945) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) and (p. 5774, col. 2) concerning Adam Jerzy HARASOWSKI (500297) for (seniority 23rd May 1946) read (seniority 19th Dec. 1947).

31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6726, col. 1) concerning James Henry JANES (147048) for 20th Nov. 1948 read 22nd Nov. 1948.

Retirement.

Squadron Leader W. J. LOUGHHEAD, O.B.E. (35005) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 22nd Feb. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

L. C. DOWN (52634). 1st Dec. 1948.

1st Mar. 1949.

L. GARRARD (47253).

T. C. SMITH (48398).

M. W. WILSON (46095).

(substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6353, col. 2) concerning the three above named officers).

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

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

Bernard Stanley John PIFF, M.B.E. (46814). 29th Nov. 1948 (seniority 3rd Apr. 1946) (and transferred to the General Duties Branch on appointment).

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

John Edwin Lawrence LEWINGTON (87925). 31st Dec. 1948 (seniority 29th Nov. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

As Flying Officer, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—

Francis John LAWSON (57930). 22nd Dec. 1948 (seniority 5th May 1947) (and transferred to the Medical (Qr.-Mr.) Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Reginald Alexander ROBERTS (61115). 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Charles KERSHAW (44502). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Thomas WALLIS (168936). 1st Jan. 1949 (seniority 2nd Mar. 1946) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Charles MAYHEW (47371) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6727, col. 1).)

Edward James WARE (44242) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Notification cancelled.

10th June 1947 (p. 2622, col. 1) concerning Robert Cecil WHITLE (19228).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant F. W. COOPER (52948). 17th Oct. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

1st Mar. 1949

C. KERSHAW (44502).

C. MAYHEW (47371) (substituted for notification of 31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6727, col. 1).)

E. J. WARE (44242).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

George Burgess LATIMER (50795). 23rd Aug. 1948.

Stanley FOSTER (138176). 10th Sept. 1948

7th Oct. 1948.

Christopher Culverwell HARVEY (56060).
Harold Frank WHITEMAN (54109).

Bertram William Edwin CHURCHILL (57346).
19th Oct. 1948.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Arthur GILL (58628). 8th Sept. 1948.

23rd Sept. 1948.

John Francis COWLEY (55726).
John Anthony FITZGERALD (196727).
Horace Charles TRENT (58521).

Horace Michael CLUBBE (56968). 7th Oct. 1948.
Kenneth Robert WILLY (58905). 29th Oct. 1948.

As Pilot Officer (permanent):—

Reginald George CRANE (203794). 7th Aug. 1948.

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

Cyril Albert RODDA (169755). 1st Jan. 1949 (seniority 26th Aug. 1947).

Harry GLENN (145982). 5th Jan. 1949 (seniority 20th Aug. 1947).

Joseph Stanley STANNIS (500528). 31st Jan. 1949 (seniority 3rd Mar. 1948).

As Flying Officer, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—

Leslie Harry CHASE (56543). 9th Dec. 1948 (seniority 21st May 1947).

As Pilot Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Eric Joseph CANNING (204418). 1st Nov. 1948 (seniority 1st May 1947) (substituted for notification of 21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6609, col. 2).)

Notification amended.

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6007, col. 2) concerning Andrew Frederick MCCARTHY, M.B.E. (57816) add (seniority 21st Feb. 1947).

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

30th Jan. 1949.

H. J. MCGARVIE (204084).

J. THOMPSON (58899).

Retirement.

Pilot Officer G. A. STONEMAN (58976) (at own request). 25th Feb. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant F. W. HERBERT (48857) (at own request) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Mar. 1949.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

Robert Arthur Wintour HARRISON, D.F.C. (182126). 16th Sept. 1948.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

30th Jan. 1949.

F. K. BESCOBY (58846).

S. J. DAVIES (58851).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer C. L. CHIVERS (51867) to the Marine Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 8th Feb. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant E. GOODRICK (49764) to the Medical (Qr.-Mr.) Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 31st Jan. 1949.

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

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

John Stanley Albert BRANT (58454). 26th Oct. 1948.

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

John WHARTON (137989). 14th Dec. 1948 (seniority 18th Mar. 1947).

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

Peter Turner MARROW (199843). 3rd Jan. 1949 (seniority 21st Sept. 1947) (and relinquishes the war substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

1st Dec. 1948.

David John PICKERING (45250) (*seniority 1st Mar. 1945*).

William Edward SHEIL (49171) (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Cyril Ayres STREETER (44851) (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Lionel Cuthbert Lewis WHITTAM (115582). 4th Dec. 1948 (*seniority 10th Jan. 1942*).

Frederick Alfred Lucas COPPLESTONE (108079). 1st Jan. 1949 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

As Pilot Officer, temporary (one year on the active list):—

Francis Robert PITMAN (204405). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 23rd Apr. 1947*).

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

F. P. HELD (59946). 1st Feb. 1949.

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant H. C. T. MAYOUX (103095) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 8th Feb. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

1st Dec. 1948.

D. J. PICKERING (45250).

W. E. SHEIL (49171).

C. A. STREETER (44851).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

Leonard Shaw Meadows BAILEY, D.F.C., A.F.C. (43412). 2nd Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Harry Russon BARRAND (47037). 2nd Oct. 1948.

William John Thomas SMITH, A.F.C. (45189). 12th Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Michael John GIDMAN (85939). 23rd Dec. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flying Officer A. C. DOEL (55727) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 17th Dec. 1948) as if his appointment as Flying Officer bore date 17th Dec. 1948.

MARINE BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

James Duncan LOUGHNAN (79246). 15th May 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (temporary):—

Ronald Ian MEANOCK, M.D., B.S. (500546). 1st Feb. 1949.

As Flying Officers (national service):—

1st Feb. 1949.

Cecil ALEXANDER, M.B., Ch.B. (500543).

Dick Wardrop ANDERSON, M.B., Ch.B. (500529).

John Horton BAYLIS, M.B., B.S. (500517).

Andrew Ernest DOSSETOR, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500533).

Hugh Ralph ERSKINE, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500530).

Duncan Leslie FOX, M.B., Ch.B. (500542).

Anthony HORDERN, M.B., Ch.B. (500545).

Cyril Haydn Lewis HOWELLS, M.B., B.Ch. (500531).

Nevin Campbell HUGHES JONES, B.M., B.Ch. (500541).

Kingsley LAWRENCE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500534).

Morgan Guy Howat LEWIS, M.B., B.Ch. (500518).

Derrick LONSDALE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500519).

John Tudor OWEN, M.B., B.S. (500540).

John PRESTT, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500535).

David Joseph Harry ROGERS, M.B.; B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500536).

Robert Ingamar Larsen SMALLWOOD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500532).

Stephen Philip Berkeley WAY, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P. (500539).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

5th Feb. 1949.

J. W. BAKER, M.B., Ch.B. (59783).

C. I. COOLING, M.B., B.S. (59785).

J. G. HAMILTON, M.B., B.S. (59786).

M. J. HARGRAVE, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (59787).

T. K. LAMBALLE, M.B., B.S. (59788).

F. I. LOCKE, M.B., B.S. (59789).

R. G. C. MACLAREN, M.B., B.S. (59776).

R. J. SMITH, M.B., Ch.B. (59799).

Antedate in seniority.

Notification cancelled.

2nd Dec. 1947 (p. 5708, col. 2) concerning A. L. KNIPE, M.B., Ch.B. (72977).

Retirement.

Wing-Commander G. O. WILLIAMS, Ph.D., B.Sc., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23078). 1st Feb. 1949.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (national service):—

1st Feb. 1949.

Robert Wallace GLASS, L.D.S. (500537).

Alan Arthur ROBINSON, B.D.S. (500548).

John Anthony Clayton SMITH, L.D.S. (500538).

Robert Evans WALKER, L.D.S. (500549).

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

26th Jan. 1949.

E. M. POOLE, L.D.S. (107153).

P. O. WILSON, L.D.S. (107147).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

5th Feb. 1949.

A. A. CLARK, B.Ch.D., L.D.S. (59764).

T. COPSTICK, L.D.S. (59778).

B. HARGREAVES, L.D.S. (59796).

T. C. HUGHES, L.D.S. (59791).

S. P. JOHNS, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59792).

R. A. J. MAYHEW, B.D.S., L.D.S. (59793).

R. M. ROSS, L.D.S. (59779).

A. N. WATTERS, L.D.S. (59797).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Chaplain (permanent) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—

Rev. Jesse Philip COOPER (59121). 18th Oct. 1948.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Notification amended.

14th Dec. 1948 (p. 6476, col. 2) concerning Ronald Julian Moss BARON (201363) for (*seniority 15th Nov. 1947*) read (*seniority 10th Jan. 1948*).

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Harwood Gordon JONES (500447). 3rd Jan. 1949.

Notification amended.

30th Nov. 1948 (p. 6231, col. 2) concerning Reginald Paul DOLLIMORE, B.A. (2401018) for (2401018) read (2402018).

PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

Douglas Stanley HODGE (143267). 21st Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (one year on the active list):—

William Richard George TALBOT (49678). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 16th Sept. 1946*).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant W. R. G. TALBOT (49678) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

CATERING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—*

Arthur Albert LAMPRELL (137014). 12th Oct. 1948.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Fairley Speed THOMPSON (57606). 15th Sept. 1948.

William Robert TAMBLYN (58591). 12th Oct. 1948.

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC.*Reversion to retired list.*

Wing Commander R. P. O'DONNELL, M.V.O., Hon. R.A.M. (05195). 26th Feb. 1949.

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

15th Dec. 1948.

John Lawson MALCOLM (181625).

Cecil MYERS (165460).

Clifford Foster PARKER (128542).

22nd Dec. 1948.

Ian Anthony Goldstone GENTLE (205024).

Stanley Frederick INWARD (65770).

23rd Dec. 1948.

Peter Bartlemy GRAHAM (161780).

Andrew Gordon REED (153451).

John Charles SMITH (140750).

Thomas William Spencer WILSON (133808).

John Trevor EDWARDS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (142509). 5th Jan. 1949.

As Pilot Officers:—

Frederick John HALL (205027). 24th Nov. 1948.

Stephen Harold PATTISON (204997). 25th Nov. 1948.

Dennis William PORTER (204995). 3rd Dec. 1948.

John Henry TOPLEY (204994). 7th Dec. 1948.

Herbert Edwin DOBSON (509191). 8th Dec. 1948.

15th Dec. 1948.

Victor Joseph COPPERWHAITE (747566).

James Cecil John FARRELL (550660).

Percy Thomas JAMES (1865707).

Cecil John SHEDD (1608484).

Sydney Percy SKEGGS (1878446).

22nd Dec. 1948.

Frederick William George ALSKA-WILKINSON (1865909).

Louis Shirley WOODHOUSE (205025).

5th Jan. 1949.

Eric Norman FORSYTH (1750840).

Leslie HELSBY (1072554).

James HUDDART (562762).

Ronald MAWSON (525756).

*Promotion.**The undermentioned to be Flying Officers:—*

W. A. C. BULLOCK (199551). 8th June 1948.

W. V. CLEWLEY (202168). 30th Jan. 1949.

*Commission terminated.**Flying Officers:—*

21st Jan. 1949.

W. E. HARRIS (136246).

A. G. G. RICHARDS (129842).

D. L. WAGGOTT (100409).

Pilot Officers:—

21st Jan. 1949.

W. R. H. BAINBRIDGE (100351).

O. R. WAITS (202034).

T. JONES (68379). 2nd Feb. 1949.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Emergency commission section).

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer D. A. ARMSTRONG (190423). 13th Oct. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.).

Flight Lieutenants:—

J. W. PHILLIPS (186867). 1st Oct. 1948.

1st Nov. 1948.

M. J. BAILEY (164413).

C. J. DALY (119907).

E. EVANS (182672).

T. W. SKELTON (157979).

L. L. THOMAS, D.F.C. (128446).

D. W. BARBER (154049). 26th Nov. 1948.

W. SHARPLES (195579). 1st Jan. 1949.

1st Feb. 1949.

R. E. BURGESS (183271).

E. J. FORBES (183288).

Flying Officers:—

L. C. AKEHURST (199049). 1st Oct. 1948.

R. J. LOCKWOOD, D.F.C. (196968). 1st Nov. 1948.

J. L. WARWICKER (185457). 1st Mar. 1949 (substituted for notification of 25th Jan. 1949 (p. 435, col. 2)).

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant R. J. E. BUCKINGHAM (141886). 11th Jan. 1949.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant J. J. DUFF (149239) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Nov. 1948.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant R. A. ROBERTS (61115). 1st Oct. 1948.

Flying Officer T. WALLIS (168936). 1st Jan. 1949.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer E. J. CANNING (204418) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Nov. 1948 (substituted for notification of 21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6611, col. 1)).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Commission relinquished.*

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenants:—

L. C. L. WHITTAM (115582). 4th Dec. 1948.

F. A. L. COPPLESTONE (108079). 1st Jan. 1949.

Pilot Officer F. R. PITMAN (204405). 1st Dec. 1948.

Notification amended.

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6009, col. 2) concerning D. C. SHAW (202282), for 27th July 1948 read 25th Apr. 1948.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant M. J. GIDMAN (85939) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 23rd Dec. 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Commission resigned.*

Flight Lieutenant J. D. NELSON, M.B., Ch.B. (203498), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Mar. 1949.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission resigned.*

Flying Officer E. J. MILLIGAN (202174). 28th May 1948

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted).

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Transfer between branches.*

Flying Officer M. H. CLARK, D.F.C. (91316), to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 31st Jan. 1949.

*Transfer to reserve.
Notification cancelled.*

10th Aug. 1948 (p. 4428, col. 2) concerning
P. V. T. RIBBINS, D.F.C. (173313).

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer P. V. T. RIBBINS, D.F.C. (173313).
7th Feb. 1949.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer R. C. ROBERTSON (134090) to the
General Duties Branch, retaining his existing rank
and seniority. 31st Jan. 1949.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.

Notification amended.

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6010, col. 1) concerning
Desmond Cyril SHAW (202282) for 27th July 1948
read 25th Apr. 1948.

WOMEN'S FORCES.

**EMPLOYED WITH THE MEDICAL BRANCH
OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE.**

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (temporary):—
Marie Dolores McCABE, M.B., B.Ch. (8539). 1st
Feb. 1949.

**PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE
NURSING SERVICE.**

Appointment to commission.

As Sisters (permanent):—
1st Feb. 1949.
Tina Jane McNEILL (5609) (seniority 14th July
1941).
Anne Joan COGHLAN (6531) (seniority 2nd Jan.
1945).
Lois Dorothy BALDERSTON (6580) (seniority 23rd
July 1946).

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)*:—*

Sheila Penelope TITCOMBE (3832). 19th Oct.
1948 (seniority 8th Jan. 1946).
Violet Mary FOSTER (3508). 18th Nov. 1948
(seniority 14th Apr. 1945).
Mary Lillian CHURCHILL-BALDWIN (3441). 1st
Dec. 1948 (seniority 22nd Nov. 1945).

20th Jan. 1949.

Joan Irene Hemsley GAUNT (3308) (seniority 6th
Apr. 1945).

Gwendolyne Norah CRESSEY (3574) (seniority
20th Apr. 1945).

*As Flight Officer, extended service (three years on
the active list, two years on the reserve) (and trans-
ferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment)*:—*

Mollie Sybil SHACKLETON (3013). 20th Jan.
1949 (seniority 15th Mar. 1945).

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

Leila Isabel DAWSON (4671). 9th Sept. 1948
(seniority 20th Nov. 1942).

*As Section Officers, temporary (one year on the
active list):—*

1st Oct. 1948.

Dorothy Eva Mary HELMORE (2800) (seniority
1st Sept. 1942).

Nellie GABBITASS (3231) (seniority 29th Sept.
1942).

Commission relinquished.

*The undermentioned (on appointment to a tem-
porary commission):—*

Section Officers:—

1st Oct. 1948.

N. GABBITASS (3231).

D. E. M. HELMORE (2800).

* Retaining their existing ranks under war time 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.

**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)*:—*

Lilian FINNEY (4021). 9th Sept. 1948 (seniority
17th May 1945).

Sophia Mary Sabina CHANDLER (3659). 9th Nov.
1948 (seniority 28th Apr. 1946).

Robina Mary BRAY (3941). 15th Nov. 1948
(seniority 19th Nov. 1945).

Joan CORT (2881). 14th Jan. 1949 (seniority 5th
Feb. 1948).

20th Jan. 1949.

Margaret Elizabeth PRESTWICH (515) (seniority
9th Sept. 1943).

Margaret CARDUS (867) (seniority 20th Jan.
1944).

Eleanor HICKMAN (2187) (seniority 30th Dec.
1944).

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

Barbara Millie WRIGHT (6202). 11th Oct. 1948
(seniority 25th Mar. 1945).

Shirley Agnes SADD (5334). 17th Nov. 1948
(seniority 9th Nov. 1945).

Pamela Honorah GOSSCHALK (5930). 29th Nov.
1948 (seniority 25th Aug. 1945).

Kathleen Edith SAGE (4388). 13th Dec. 1948
(seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

20th Jan. 1949.

Agnes Hunter TAWSE (4507) (seniority 29th Oct.
1942).

Jessica Avilla SPRING (5250) (seniority 8th Jan.
1943).

Daphne SPANHOLTZ (6107) (seniority 11th May
1943).

Hannah Lamb MAITLAND (6492) (seniority 27th
July 1943).

*As Section Officer, extended service (three years on
the active list, two years on the reserve) (and trans-
ferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment)*:—*

Annis Josephine SLAGG (7792). 4th Jan. 1949
(seniority 18th Aug. 1947).

Notification amended.

30th Nov. 1948 (p. 6234, col. 2) concerning
Margaret Anne MIDGLEY (7499) for 8th Oct. 1948
read 18th Oct. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

*The undermentioned (on appointment to a
temporary commission):—*

Section Officers:—

N. C. GARDNER (1505). 1st Oct. 1948.

B. E. CRYER (3417). 11th Nov. 1948.

1st Dec. 1948.

V. P. MORTIMER (1015).

E. C. PHARALL-SMITH (1683).

K. V. THOMAS (8051).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Enid Myfanwy DAVIES (6278). 18th Oct. 1948
(seniority 22nd Nov. 1945).

*As Section Officer, temporary (two years on the
active list):—*

Marjorie Arabella RIGGS (7079). 1st Nov. 1948
(seniority 15th June 1944).

Commission relinquished.

Section Officer M. A. RIGGS (7079) (on appoint-
ment to a temporary commission). 1st Nov. 1948.

* Retaining their existing ranks under war time 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.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Section Officers, temporary (one year on the active list):—

Nancy Christina GARDNER (1505). 1st Oct. 1948
(seniority 1st Oct. 1942).

Billie Evelyn CRYER (3417). 11th Nov. 1948
(seniority 18th Apr. 1943).

1st Dec. 1948.

Vera Pelham MORTIMER (1015) (seniority 1st
July 1942).

Elspeth Colin PHARALL-SMITH (1683) (seniority
1st July 1942).

Kate Winifred THOMAS (8051) (seniority 29th
May 1945).

CATERING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Section Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Freda Violet PETTY (4229). 1st July 1948
(seniority 1st Oct. 1942).

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