

As Flying Officer, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
William Rhodes PICKERING (500641). 30th Mar. 1949 (seniority 24th July 1948).

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

Pilots II.

2nd Mar. 1949.

4016807 Martinus Oelof BERGH (4016807) (the period of service to count from 21st Apr. 1948).

571279 Kenneth Charles HOWARD (571279) (the period of service to count from 11th Jan. 1949).

1573552 John Wood SUTHERLAND (1573552) (the period of service to count from 12th Jan. 1949).

Pilots IV.

2nd Mar. 1949.

3039528 Robert Evelyn ABBOTT (3039528) (the period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).

3110008 Anthony John FREEBORN (3110008) (the period of service to count from 29th July 1947).

3039411 Cedric Andrew Ernest SIMONS (3039411) (the period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).

3062577 Richard TUFFIN (3062577) (the period of service to count from 7th July 1947).

Navigators II.

2nd Mar. 1949.

572855 Thomas BELL (572855) (the period of service to count from 21st Aug. 1947).

985099 Bramwell Allenby RAWLINSO (985099) (the period of service to count from 14th Feb. 1947).

3039167 Navigator IV James Robert CALDOW (3039167). 2nd Mar. 1949 (the period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).

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

Pilots IV.

2nd Mar. 1949.

573911 William MUSGRAVE (573911) (the period of service to count from 17th Feb. 1947).

579207 Anthony Richard SATOW (579207) (the period of service to count from 8th Apr. 1947).

3002885 John James VEALL (3002885) (the period of service to count from 8th Apr. 1947).

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

3200100 Pilot IV Hugh Alan HARVEY (3200100). 2nd Mar. 1949 (the period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).

Notification amended.

20th Apr. 1948 (p. 2468, col. 1) concerning Peter David MITCHELL (141128) *for* (seniority 24th July 1946) *read* (seniority 31st July 1946).

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6001, col. 1) concerning Reginald William Becroft RAINFORD (82213) *for* (seniority 21st Jan. 1946) *read* (seniority 21st July 1946).

30th Nov. 1948 (p. 6229, col. 2) concerning Frederick George RITCHIE (57051) *for* (seniority 16th May 1948) *read* (seniority 16th Aug. 1948).

8th Mar. 1949 (p. 1179, col. 1) concerning Peter Frederick THOMPSON (54382) *add* D.F.C.

Notification cancelled.

21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6608, col. 1) concerning Edmund MORGAN, D.F.C. (126447).

22nd Mar. 1949 (p. 1438, col. 1) concerning James Gibson MCCOWAN (55228).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
L. W. MARTIN (56415). 28th July 1948.

Grant of seniority in substantive rank.

Notification amended.

28th Feb. 1947 (p. 981, col. 2) concerning L. W. MARTIN (56415) *for* (5th Apr. 1946) *read* (28th Jan. 1946).

Acting rank.

Air Commodore G. G. BANTING, C.B., C.B.E., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 28th Mar. 1949.

Relinquishment of war substantive rank.

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

Flying Officers:—

G. M. D. DAVIES (54535).

B. R. HARRINGTON (55876).

G. G. WOODWARD (49837).

Retirement.

Squadron Leader W. J. HARPER (40110) (at own request) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 22nd Apr. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

Wing Commander E. W. S. JACKLIN, A.F.C. (S.R.80036). 13th Feb. 1949.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant H. M. ADLARD (190018). 5th Apr. 1949.

Removal.

Flying Officer F. J. WHYMAN (178041). 12th Jan. 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—

Herbert William FURNESS (46187). 15th July 1948.

Edward Francis HANCOCK, B.E.M. (45622). 30th Dec. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Joseph GIBBON (52357). 30th July 1948.

Trevor Albert John STOCKER (159211). 7th Aug. 1948.

8th Nov. 1948.

David Offord BUXTON (54548).

Thomas Richmond Browne ROBERTS (46037).

8th Dec. 1948.

Ian James HERDMAN-SMITH (51261).

William Alfred SPACEY (145225).

Francis Perry THOMPSON (51140).

Vernon BUCKMAN (49851). 15th Dec. 1948.

Robin KIRBY (49495). 20th Dec. 1948.

George Edward THOMAS (53699). 30th Dec. 1948.

Cyril Harding PASCALL (52123). 25th Jan. 1949.

Leonard Appleby MARLAND (112200). 2nd Mar. 1949.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Charles Leslie Basil SPENCER (57881). 30th June 1948.

Bryan Milton SOMERFIELD (58396). 12th Jan. 1949.

Thomas Alderdice POYNTZ (57707). 9th Feb. 1949.

Notification amended.

29th June 1948 (p. 3778, col. 2) concerning George John AYLETT (52771) *for* (seniority 26th Feb. 1947) *read* (seniority 4th Mar. 1947).

25th Jan. 1949 (p. 433, col. 2) concerning Reginald Nelson PAYNE, M.B.E. (45780) *for* (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) *read* (seniority 2nd Feb. 1946).

Notification cancelled.

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6007, col. 1) concerning James Gregory WRIGHT (47868).

Retirement.

Flying Officer H. W. GAYFER (57755) (at own request). 23rd Mar. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant H. THOMPSON, M.B.E. (43438) (at own request) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 30th Apr. 1949.

Notification amended.

22nd Mar. 1949 (p. 1438, col. 2) concerning A. J. RICHARDSON, C.B.E. (35093) *for* (35093) *read* (35039).

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader R. E. PENWARN (44791). 1st May 1949.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Henry WOOD (48939). 15th Sept. 1948 (and transferred to the Technical Branch 3rd Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945)).

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

Frederic McCONIGLE (189875). 23rd Sept. 1948 (and transferred to the Equipment Branch 21st Feb. 1949 (seniority 19th Mar. 1947)).