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# ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Vice-Marshal J. N. BOOTHMAN, C.B., D.F.C., A.F.C., is appointed an additional Member of the Air Council as Controller of Supplies (Air), (Ministry of Supply), vice Air Chief Marshal Sir W. Alec Coryton, K.C.B., K.B.E., M.V.O., D.F.C., and is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal. 4th Sept. 1950.

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officers (permanent):—
Cranwell Flight Cadet Peter GILLIATT (607085).
26th July 1950.

3rd Aug. 1950. 656363 Pilot I Leslie Birrell Brown (656363). 576995 Pilot II James Ian Toler WILLIAMSON (576995).

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Maurice Hicks (133541). 1st Aug. 1950 (seniority 8th Apr. 1950).

As Flying Officers, short service (eight years on

the active list and four years on the reserve):—
1602333 Navigator II Alan Alexander MACBEAN
(197476). 10th July 1950 (seniority 7th Oct. 1949)
(period of service to count from 31st Jan. 1949).
4016237 Pilot I James Serge Gow (4016237). 8th
Aug. 1950 (seniority 4th Nov. 1949) (period of service to count from 7th Oct. 1947).

As Pilot Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
1252638 Master Pilot Michael John Atcherley FFOLLIOTT-FOSTER, D.F.C. (1252638). 3rd Aug. 1950 (period of service to count from 22nd Aug. 1947).

Pilots I.
3rd Aug. 1950.
1394194 Sidney Brisk (1394194) (period of service to count from 4th Apr. 1947).
804230 Bernard Frank Walters (804230) (period of service to count from 2nd Oct. 1946).

Pilots II.
3rd Aug. 1950.
1616242 Herbert Blair (1616242) (period of service to count from 24th Apr. 1947).
1590579 Leslie Wilfred Stapleton (1590579) (period of service to count from 5th Apr. 1946).

1850934 Pilot IV Richard William LAMBERT 850934). 3rd Aug. 1950 (seniority 15th June (1850934). 1950) (period of service to count from 4th Nov. 1946).

· 3rd Aug. 1950. 1395880 Navigator I Ralph Matthew Lee (1395880) (period of service to count from 9th May 1946).

575015 Navigator II Charles James Haldane Fox (575015) (period of service to count from 6th Nov. 1946).

Navigators IV.
2nd Aug. 1950.

1821667 Joseph Allain Bohan (1821667) (period of service to count from 28th Feb. 1949).
579709 David James Harper (579709) (period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).
582022 Peter Randall (582022) (period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).
582047 Raymond Harold Russell (582047) (period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).
3504876 John Menzies Salmond (3504876) (period of service to count from 28th Feb. 1949).
3504823 Ian Edward Suren (3504823) (period of service to count from 1st Feb. 1949).
582072 John WILLIAMSON (582072) (period of service to count from 2nd Mar. 1949).
As Pilot Officers (national service):—

As Pilot Officers (national service):-

*Pilots IV*.
25th July 1950.
2443259 Peter Alexander BLACK (2443259) 3122511 Gordon Roy WILKINSON (3122511).

Notification amended.

15th Aug. 1950 (p. 4147, col. 1) concerning Edgar Stephen Williams (196601) for (seniority 7th Aug. 1947) read (seniority 7th Aug. 1948).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended to eight years with effect from the dates stated:—
D. B. Webb, D.F.C. (141464). 29th Aug. 1946.
V. B. WHITE, D.F.C. (169740). 8th May 1947.
A. C. DAVIES (151820). 15th May 1947.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended to six years with effect from the dates stated:—
P. J. S. BOGGIS, D.F.C. (42457). 18th Nov. 1946.
J. L. BULMER (152811). 5th Dec. 1946.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— R. C. SIMPSON (177277). 2nd Sept. 1950.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer A. M. ATTARD, D.F.M. (198031), to the Equipment Branch retaining his rank. 19th

Apr. 1950 (seniority 18th Apr. 1947).
Flight Lieutenant E. J. CLELLAND (78085) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 9th Aug. 1950.

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Geoffrey Nicholas

571037 Irvine Ross (571037).

Barford

MILLER

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    Flight Lieutenant J. A. SMETHURST (146032) to the Catering Branch retaining his rank. 12th June 1950 (seniority 26th Apr. 1949).

Flight Lieutenant K. J. HESTER (164254) to the Physical Fitness Branch retaining his rank. 7th June 1950 (seniority 10th Mar. 1950).
                                                                                                                     Promotion
           Air Commodore C. W. Busk, C.B., M.C., A.F.C.
     2nd Sept. 1950.

Wing Commander J. C. C. SLATER (05117) retaining the rank of Group Captain. 10th July 1950.

Flying Officer W. Moore (55184). 1st Sept.
Restored to the active list from the retired list.
Wing Commander J. C. C. SLATER (05117). 8th
Aug. 1950.
                                                                                                                     Retirement.
Transfer to reserve (class A).
     Flight Lieutenants:

J. E. Tibbles, A.F.M. (184450). 22nd Aug. 1950.
F. J. Twitchett (115346). 27th Aug. 1950.
D. J. Dartmouth (179671). 29th Aug. 1950.

     Flying Officer F. W. MERCHANT (58314), Aug. 1950.
     Squadron Leader A. GADD, D.F.C. (37557), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 22nd Aug.
Notification amended.
23rd May 1950 (p. 2568, col. 1) concerning R. J.
BLACKWELL (174984) for (class A) read (class C.).
Commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant G. N. Dowding (183806) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 29th Aug. 1950.
Temporary commission relinquished.
Flying Officer W. C. Jackson (57484) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Sept. 1950.
     The undermentioned retaining their rank:-
         Flight Lieutenants:
     1st Sept. 1950.

J. W. Burns, D.F.C. (174562).

R. M. DAVIES (166364).

C. E. HAMSHIRE (51213).

S. L. LEAN (47689).

R. M. PARRACK (184058).
        R. M. PARRACK
L. TERRY (55538).
               W. BARTLETT, A.F.C. (139599). 2nd Sept.
    1950.
    Flying Officers:—
L. A. Mason (199891). 1st July 1950.
         1st Sept. 1950.
J. Callum (202114).
C. J. Gardiner (195378).
         Flying Officer I. H. PAXTON (2600125)
     appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.).
                                                                                                      6th:
    June 1950.
Emergency commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant W. A. Gray (55570) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining his rank. 14th Apr. 1950.
Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant W. F. Killick (48052) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Sept. 1950.
TECHNICAL BRANCH.
Appointment to commission.
     As Flying Officers (permanent):-
         Warrant Officers.
3rd Aug. 1950.
563546 Arthur Conrad Cook (563546).
505471 William Hearn (505471).
   As Pilot Officers (permanent):
        Flight Sergeants.
3rd Aug. 1950.
565507 David Stevenson Dolbear (565507).
538576 William Arthur Preston (538576).
561919 Edwin Sidney STREET (561919).
        Sergeants.
3rd Aug. 1950.
570859 Cyril DUCKWORTH (570859).
571621 Jack Trevor FLETCHER (571621).
570776 Herbert HARDCASTLE (570776).
576006 Eric Norman HARRIS (576006).
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As Pilot Officer (national service):—
3127395 Aircraftman 2nd class John Thompson,
B.Sc. (3127395). 17th Aug. 1950.
      Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—
R. W. Guy (46416). 1st July 1950 (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).
      Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
28th July 1950.
W. C. G. Budden, B.E.M. (567472).
J. W. Higgins (652475).
C. R. Milam (572887).
A. V. H. Palmer (575816):
H. R. A. Snelling (566280).
L. Stephens (562307).
      Flight Lieutenants:-
           1st Sept. 1950.
C. H. Blaze (52185).
J. M. Boyle (45021).
E. L. Brown (48393).
            J. Burrows (49584).
          J. BURROWS (49384).
C. W. CORNFORTH (47531).
R. A. DENT (50069).
T. E. J. FARNS (47159).
A. H. GOUGH (52156).
C. H. HAND (50709).
L. G. HAYWARD (48103).
W. T. JARVIS (52878).
H. G. JEFFERS (49711).
          W. I. JARVIS (328/8).
H. G. JEFFERS (49711).
A. E. JOYCE (50361).
G. KIREBY (47707).
S. C. LUCKEN (50416).
E. W. MARSH (53018).
C. MAYHEW (47371).
C. T. PAWLEY (52427).
G. J. PETTETT (50347).
R. R. REYNOLDS (4908.
          G. J. PETTETT (30347).

R. R. REYNOLDS (49084).

L. M. ROACH (48326).

C. W. ROGERS (48178).

H. W. ROWE (48330).

T. C. SMITH (48398).

A. H. SWATTON (48721).

B. E. TIMMINS (48439).
           V. Murray (53851). 4th Sept. 1950.
     Group Captain W. G. H. EWING, O.B.E. (at own request) retaining the rank of Air Commodore.
      15th Aug. 1950.
      Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Wing
Commander:-
          1st Sept. 1950.
E. H. SILLINCE, O.B.E. (44885).
R. C. WOODTHORPE (43726).
      Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron
    1st Sept. 1950.

H. G. DINGWALL, A.F.M. (44024) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service).

W. C. Brown (47004).

V. G. HOBBS (46855).

B. F. PRICE (49218).

J. B. C. SULLIVAN (47421).

H. A. WAREHAM (45826).

M. W. WILSON (46095).
     Flying Officer W. B. MILLS (52774) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant: 31st Aug. 1950.
Transfer to reserve (class B):—
Flight Lieutenant J. H. SMITH (87794) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th Aug. 1950.
Temporary commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. Tomlinson (46503) retaining his rank. 1st Sept. 1950.
Flying Officers retaining their rank:
          1st Sept. 1950.
R. F. Gill (201829).
G. E. STAPLES (3109032).
          M. T. W. Telfer (58337).
EQUIPMENT BRANCH.
Appointment to commission.
     As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
Brian Eric Knollys Pemberton-Pigott (106765).
    19th Oct. 1948.
    As Flying Officers (permanent):—
Sergeants:—
3rd Aug. 1950.
542948 William Osmond DALY (542948).
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552810 George Anthony MacFarlane (552810).

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

Albert Frank Frampton (203929). 20th July 1950 (seniority 26th Dec. 1948). John Richard Cross, M.M. (501340). 24th July 1950 (seniority 17th Jan. 1948).

As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
2424279 Aircraftman 2nd class John Donald

HEPTON (2424279). 3rd Aug. 1950.

#### Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader: E. K. Pemberton-Pigott (106765). 20th July

1950 (seniority 1st July 1950).
1950 (seniority 1st July 1950).
Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
R. G. GAIN (54812). 29th June 1950.
E. D. HOUSE (149910). 31st Aug. 1950.

Retirement.
Wing Commander R. G. J. WHITE, O.B.E. (31163)
(at own request). 1st Aug. 1950.
1st Sept. 1950.
Flight Lieutenant F. S. Roscoe (56461).
Flight Lieutenant D. J. HANCOCK (43332) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader.

ing the rank of Squadron Leader.

Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant :-

1st Sept. 1950.

1st Sept A. L. Allen (58471). E. B. Amner (561446). W. J. Beatty (58862). W. B. Blick (59013). F. Eastwood (58875). E. Fincham (57958). A. B. McLeod (58424).

J. H. PARKER (58715).

Transfer to reserve (class B):—
Flight Officer D. I. BILLERS (8435), W.R.A.F. 4th Sept. 1950. Flying Officer F. I. West (144965). 15th Aug.

1950.

Transfer to reserve (class C):—
Flight Officer C. C. Harvey, M.B.E. (7251),
W.R.A.F. 28th Aug. 1950.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:-

1st Sept.

R. C. HETHERINGTON (58511). E. JACQUES (59204).

The undermentioned retaining their rank:— Flight Lieutenants:

1st Sept. 1950. R. CHILDS (53033). T. M. GILL (100726).

Flying Officers:—
H. J. McGarvie (204084). 1st Sept. 1950.
G. L. Smith (572601). 5th Sept. 1950.

Flying Officer A. F. FRAMPTON (203929) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 20th July 1950.

Emergency commission relinquished.
Pilot Officer J. R. LAMBERT (2388886) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.). 11th July

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent):— 590177 Warrant Officer Frank (590177). 3rd Aug. 1950.

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Thomas Neville Leigh-Bennett (501273). 24th July 1950 (seniority 3rd May 1950).
Howard Stallabrass (501349). 8th Aug. 1950 (seniority 30th Oct. 1947).

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

3rd Aug. 1950.

3108623 Corporal John Frederick Webb (3108623).
2428799 Aircraftman 2nd Class David Gillespie

(2428799).

# Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
J. A. Nicholas (166151). 25th Aug. 1950.
T. P. M. Hawes (179343). 30th Aug. 1950.

Promotion and transfer to another branch.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant and transferred to the General Duties Branch:—

G. McN. Norbury, D.F.C. (172751). 27th June 1950 (seniority 21st May 1949).

4th July 1950.

A. G. Corfe (167616) (seniority 29th June 1948). B. Lewis (200598) (seniority 13th Mar. 1949).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer K. L. BARANSKI, D.F.M. (500005), to the Technical Branch retaining his rank. 8th June 1950 (seniority 27th Dec. 1945).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenants:

1st Sept. 1950.

G. L. Fox (45573).
F. C. Piper (46524).
C. Puleston (45790).

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader :-

1st Sept. 1950.

J. M. EDWARDS (43063).

C. H. GOODALL (43761).

G. REDFORD (46526).

C. E. REED, M.B.E. (43239).

Notification amended.

4th July 1950 (p. 3454, col. 1) concerning J. LAMBIE, O.B.E. (21158), add retaining the rank of Group Captain.

Temporary commission relinquished.
Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant :-

1st Sept. 1950. S. G. Kilford (53976). J. J. Wall (53415).

Flight Lieutenant D. MUNRO (60606) retaining his rank. 1st Sept. 1950.

Commission resigned.

Flight Officers retaining their rank:— M. M. THOMPSON (3733), W.R.A.F.

16th July 1950.

A. E. TEMPERLEY (6080), W.R.A.F. 29th July 1950.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Wing Commander:---

1st Sept. 1950. J. S. C. Bannerman, M.C., D.C.M. (44740). W. J. Collins (43398).

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader :-

1st Sept 1950.
P. H. Arrowsmith (47073).
D. J. Pickering (45250).
C. A. Streeter (44851).

Transfer to reserve (National Service List)
Pilot Officer B. M. CLARKE (3118617). 22nd July 1950.

# AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion and transfer to another branch.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant and transferred to the General Duties Branch:

A. C. DAVIES (151820). 25th Apr. 1950 (seniority)

16th Oct. 1946).

B. S. ADLINGTON (166216). 4th July 1950 (seniority 25th Feb. 1948).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer A. RUSSELL (196243) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority 29th June 1950.

# FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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As Pilot Officers (permanent):—
3rd Aug. 1950.
626502 Flight Sergeant Norman Cumber (626502).
Sergeant George William MILNE

(1103896). 4006143 Corporal Thomas Augustine Bergin (4006143).

# MARINE BRANCH.

Temporary commission relinquished.
Flying Officer C. H. RIXHAM (55716) retaining his rank. 1st Sept. 1950.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:— E. S. Odbert, M.B., B.Ch. (137280). 31st Aug.

1950.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

A. D. Moore, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500837). 1st Sept. 1950 (seniority 1st Sept. 1949).

1st Sept. 1950.
G. D. Allen, M.B., B.S. (500859).
A. L. Carrns, M.B., Ch.B. (500824).
J. A. Clark, M.B., Ch.B. (500866).
A. V. Coleman, M.B., B.Ch. (500878).
F. W. M. H. Daly, M.B., Ch.B. (500884).
H. M. G. Ewan, M.B., Ch.B. (2607954)
C. E. D. Hearn, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500796). (500796).

(500796).

W. A. HOGG, M.B., Ch.B. (500860).

A. L. JEANES, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500861).

A. KILPATRICK, L.R.C.P.&S., L.R.F.P.S. (500827).

R. F. MAHLER, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P. (500806).

A. J. POPERT, M.B., B.S. (500794).

N. B. REID, M.B., Ch.B. (500867).

M. G. ROLFE, M.B., B.Ch. (500868).

E. S. SNELL, M.B., B.S. (500792).

D. H. SPROULL, M.B., Ch.B. (500869).

A. R. SWANTON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500870).

J. W. THOMPSON, M.B., B.S. (500871).

P. R. WAONER, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500857).

(500857). F. E. WEALE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

(500807).

B. L. WILLIAMS, M.B., Ch.B. (500830).

Transfer to reserve (National Service List). Flight Lieutenants:

19th Aug. 1950. C. H. L. Howells, M.B., B.Ch. (500531). M. G. H. Lewis, M.B., B.Ch. (500518)

D. LONSDALE, M.B., I (500519). 22nd Aug. 1950. B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

# DENTAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

1st Sept. 1950.

A. F. Anderson, L.D.S. (500809).

D. J. W. Foster, L.D.S. (500833).

A. Goldthorpe, L.D.S., B.Ch.D. (500834).

R. O'Neil, B.D.S., L.D.S. (500862)

I. Simpson, L.D.S. (500829).

B. de V. Walker, B.D.S., L.D.S. (500836).

# LEGAL BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant C. E. DEPINNA (59482) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st July 1950.

# EDUCATION BRANCH:

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F.:

31st Aug. 1950. R. M. Ashman, B.A. (8557). D. JOHNSTONE, B.Sc. (8549).

#### PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent):—
518400 Warrant Officer William Henry Warren
(518400). 3rd Aug. 1950.

Flight Lieutenant G. I. MILLER (49643).

1950.

Flight Lieutenant J. A. ARMSTRONG, M.C. (45196) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 1st Sept. 1950.

Flight Lieutenant's retaining the rank of Squadron

1st Sept. 1950.

J. W. SERCOMBE (49705). W. R. G. TALBOT (49678).

Flying Officer W. G. H. Dodds (59302) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Sept. 1950.

# CATERING BRANCH.

Flying Officer J. H. FULLER (198638) (at own quest) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 12th Aug. 1950.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant S. H. FITCH (84464) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Sept. 1950.

#### PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant K. J. HESTER (164254) is extended to six years with effect from 6th June 1946.

## RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader E. C. Lenton (41187) retaining his rank. 2nd July 1950.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Squadron Leader G. H. PEARS (21378) retaining his rank. 5th Aug. 1950.

#### NCESS MARY'S ROYAL AT NURSING SERVICE RESERVE. AIR **FORCE**

Commission relinquished.

Sister R. K. BIGNELL (6672) (on completion of service on the active list) retaining her rank. 26th Aug. 1950.

Commission resigned.

Sister I. M. WATSON (6719) retaining her rank.
3rd July 1950.

# ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:—
William Alfred Gray (55570). 14th Apr. 1950

(seniority 14th Apr. 1950).

David Weir McIntosh (163287).

Seniority 30th Apr. 1950).

Ernest Gladstone Ross (195825).

Seniority 9th May 1950).

Norman Heath Anyon (130949).

Seniority 13th May 1950).

Thomas Peter Hodgson (58138).

Thomas Peter Hodgson (58138). 6th June 1950 (seniority 21st Mar. 1950).

28th June 1950.

Geoffrey Francis HANCOCK (201753) (seniority 27th Mar. 1950).

Maurice Degrad

Maurice Desmond CREIGHTON (140786) (seniority 1st May 1950).

Ronald Stuart Wambeek, D.F.C. (138668). 4th July 1950 (seniority 2nd June 1950). Harbourne Mackay Stephen, D.S.O., D.F.C. (78851). 10th July 1950 (seniority 4th July 1950).

As Pilot Officers:

Ian Hamilton Paxton (2600125). 6th June 1950 -(seniority 6th June 1950).

Morriss Charles Butcher (193374). 14th June 1950 (seniority 14th June 1950).

#### Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader: D. E. PROUDLOVE (91276). 1st (seniority 1st Aug. 1948). 1st Apr. 1950

## TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer:—
Robert Alexander Reid (120839).
1950 (seniority 30th Mar. 1950). 13th May

# SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer:—
Donald Elmer WAKELIN (110000). 15th June 1950 (seniority 2nd Jan. 1950).

# ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer:—
Clifford Henry Sykes (3101740). 4th May 1950 (seniority 4th May 1950).

Transfer between branches.

Pilot Officer P. W. BOLTON (175731) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 14th July 1950.

Transfer to reserve (class B):-

Flight Lieutenant C. W. Collingwood, D.F.C. (137220). 11th Aug. 1950.

#### FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:

John Arnold SPINKS (172109). 29th Apr. 1950 (seniority 24th Mar. 1950).
Allen Arthur Ashley (143531). 12th May 1950

(seniority 12th May 1950).

As Flying Officer (W.R.Aux.A.F.):

Dorothy Stephens (8407). (seniority 11th Oct. 1949). 11th Oct. 1949

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

#### TRAINING BRANCH.

Promotion.

The undermentioned to be Flying Officers:-

B. MONROE (184753). 26th June 1947. B. J. P. HALL (203190). 7th Jan. 1949. W. J. LAUDERDALE (203411). 16th Apr. 1949. C. E. GORDON (204287). 6th Jan. 1950.

2nd May 1950.

S. E. BLACKMUR (1294825). T. G. E. WALTER (204556).

C. C. Wrightson (204583). 23rd May 1950.

2nd June 1950.

H. J. BARTRAM (3008064). L. J. DRING (1576665). J. A. HEATHCOTE (1576830). J. T. JACKSON (512923).

J. G. RICHARDSON (1565630).

T. J. DORRICOTT (1581966). 4th June 1 H. COLLINS (1355724). 6th June 1950. 4th June 1950.

#### 11th June 1950.

E. G. Brenchley (1635216). E. F. Hilder (204626).

E. F. HILDER (204626).
R. A. JEFFREYS (204600).
R. K. LORDING (1813356).
J. MURRAY (204598).
R. B. C. PAUL (1222052).
R. V. POULTER (204599).
A. E. WILLIAMS (1650514).

G. F. ALLARD (204612). 17th June 1950. E. A. Gosden (1521586). 22nd June 1950. T. R. WILLIAMS (745088). 23rd June 1950. J. W. HEMLEY (1150813). 26th June 1950.

R. C. FENBOW (1672757). 30th June 1950.

7th July 1950.

F. W. Fahy (204614). A. Jones (530972).

10th July 1950.

J. E. Dowsett (204629). H. Elkin (204638).

S. D. FARNDELL (1604878).

J. R. Chapman (204622). 15th July 1950. B. Snaith (204674). 17th July 1950.

J. A. Bowie (2257637). 21st July 1950.

25th July 1950.

S. J. Barnett (204631). R. Gregg (204624). H. J. Jones (204632).

E. R. SNELSON (1492760).

V. JOYCE (2206317). 31st July 1950.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Emergency commission section.)

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant M. HICKS (133541) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Aug. 1950.
Flying Officer R. E. Brown (181215) (on appointment to the Territorial Army). 8th Mar. 1950.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.):-

Squadron Leader H. M. STEPHEN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (78851), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 10th July 1950.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:-

J. A. Spinks (172109). 29th Apr. 1950. N. H. Anyon (130949). 13th May 1950.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:

D. W. McIntosh (163287). 30th Apr. 1950. E. G. Ross (195825). 9th May 1950.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):

Flight Lieutenant T. B. Odde, D.F.C. (114460), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 6th Apr.

Flying Officer K. Jarvis (188432) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 8th May 1950.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank :

J. H. B. DODD (165585). 11th Apr. 1950. R. S. STEWART, D.F.C. (161766). 1st June S. J. TOWNSEND (179396). 5th June 1950. 1st June 1950.

6th June 1950. E. G. Jones, D.F.C. (145830). C. E. Nokes (139967). G. W. Smith (128935).

8th June 1950.

M. A. COCKREAN (145384). J. McGowan (178714).

E. MARKWELL (163834). 9th June 1950.J. K. RENAUT (117645). 20th June 1950.R. H. LLOYD, D.F.C. (161596). 23rd June 1950.

Flying Officers retaining their rank :-

18th May 1950.

K. J. HOLMES (188223)

M. J. S. Verschoyle (166881).

W. T. P. JOHNSTON, D.F.C. (188445). 1st June 1950.

5th June 1950.

E. W. Stephens (199542).J. Walters (168363).

B. H. White (189251). 6th June 1950. J. Rimington (188350). 10th June 1950.

## TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer R. A. REID (120839) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 13th May 1950.

Flying Officer F. W. PITTUCK (161140) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 12th Apr. 1950.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Pilot Officers (on cessation of duty):-

R. P. Sleeman (73400). 1st Aug. 1950. J. W. Glanfield (136230). 12th Aug. 1950.

Flying Officer E. R. H. Watson, D.S.C. (117315) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 2nd Sept. 1950.

Flying Officer A. A. ASHLEY (143531) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining his rank. 12th May 1950.

Flying Officer W. R. MIDSON (129936) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 13th May 1950.

#### EOUIPMENT BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.);

Flying Officer B. C. W. DRIFFILL (148221) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 20th June 1950. Flight Lieutenant H. W. HALE (103325) retaining his rank. 8th June 1950.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer C. H. SYKES (3101740) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 4th May

#### AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Commission relinauished.

Flying Officer R. P. BICKELL (186633) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 5th June 1950.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:—
Zygmunt Karol Szymanski (76620). 3rd Mar.

Thomas Berry Oddie, D.F.C. (114460). 6th Apr.

Kenneth Jarvis (188432). 8th May 1950.

18th May 1950. Kenneth John Holmes (188223). Michael John Stuart Verschoyle (166881).

1st June 1950.

William Trotter Pringle Johnston, D.F.C. (188445)

Ronald Strafford STEWART, D.F.C. (161766).

5th June 1950.

Raymond Philip Bickell (186633). Edward William Stephens (199542). Stanley James Townsend (179396). John Walters (168363)

6th June 1950. Evan Gwyn Jones, D.F.C. (1 Charles Ernest Nokes (139967) (145830). Geoffrey Whitehall SMITH (128935). Basil Harold White (189251).

8th June 1950.

Michael Alexander Cockrean (145384). John McGowan (178714).

Eric Markwell (163834). 9th June 1950. John Rimington (188350). 10th June 1950. Jack Keith Renaut (117645). 20th June 1950. Anthony John STEPHENS (156561). 21st June

Russell Halsey LLOYD, D.F.C. (161596). Tune 1950.

As Pilot Officers:

12th July 1950.

Brian Anthony James MILLER-WILLIAMS (3117550).

Edward John Posey (3117952).

19th July 1950. William Barbour SMART (3118343) David Cade WIGGLESWORTH (3118347).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer R. SHARCOTT (197548) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 9th Aug. 1950.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.):—

Flying Officers:

28th June 1950.

M. D. CREIGHTON (140786). G. F. HANCOCK (201753)

R. S. WAMBEEK, D.F.C. (138668). 4th July 1950.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer:-

Frank William PITTUCK (161140). 12th Apr. 1950.

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:

William Reginald MIDSON (129936). 1950

Harold Wilkes HALE (103325). 8th June 1950. Bertram Charles William Driffill (148221). 20th June 1950.

As Pilot Officer:

John Ross Lambert (2388886). 11th July 1950.

# SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer:

James Henry Birchenough Dodd (165585). 11th Apr. 1950.

As Pilot Officer:-

William Alfred MILLS (205468). 17th July 1950.

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to the General Duties Branch retaining their existing rank and seniority:

14th July 1950.

ELLIS (177526) F. O. McKAY (155903).

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer D. E. WAKELIN (110000) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 15th June 1950.

#### AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer:

Richard McNaughton Scott (205459). 6th May 1950.

As Pilot Officer:-

Dennis KILLPARTRICK (2606530). 22nd June 1950.

#### WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

'G' BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Section Officer D. STEPHENS (8407) (on appointment to the W.R.Aux.A.F.). 11th Oct. 1949. Oct. 1949.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Section Officer D. L. Wood (8421) retaining her 9th Aug. 1950.

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