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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 FFOLIOTT-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 (1850934). 3rd Aug. 1950 (seniority 15th June 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):—

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.

Promotion.

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.