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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned half-yearly promotions are made:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Air Vice-Marshal to Air Marshal:—

A. C. STEVENS, C.B., (acting Air Marshal). 1st July 1951.

Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal:—
 1st July 1951.

R. B. JORDAN, C.B., D.F.C., A.D.C. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).

N. S. ALLINSON, C.B. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).
 G. D. HARVEY, C.B.E., D.F.C. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).

A. D. GILLMORE, C.B.E. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).

H. L. PATCH, C.B.E. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).
 J. R. WHITLEY, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., A.F.C. (acting Air Vice-Marshal).

Group Captain to Air Commodore:—

J. L. F. FULLER-GOOD, C.B.E. 1st July 1951 (seniority 1st Jan. 1951).

1st July 1951.

- G. W. HAYES, O.B.E.
- J. R. HALLINGS-POTT, C.B.E., D.S.O., A.F.C.
- R. C. FIELD.
- J. H. T. SIMPSON, D.S.O., A.F.C.
- J. N. T. STEPHENSON.
- P. D. CRACROFT, A.F.C.
- S. R. UBEE, A.F.C.
- H. D. MCGREGOR, C.B.E., D.S.O.

Wing Commander to Group Captain:—

P. D. HOLDER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (36054). 1st July 1951 (seniority 1st Jan. 1951).

1st July 1951.

- P. W. BALE (33047).
- M. H. RHYS, A.F.C. (33012).
- K. R. COATES (26080).
- W. T. F. WIGHTMAN, D.F.C., A.F.C. (26129).
- J. G. GLEN, O.B.E. (32140).
- J. M. FREEMAN (05203).
- D. MICHELL (33008).
- A. C. P. CARVER (33050).
- J. N. TOMES (36007).
- S. J. MARCHBANK, O.B.E., D.F.C. (33007).
- H. S. DARLEY, D.S.O. (32191).
- R. E. G. BRITAIN (05247).
- P. H. R. SAUNDERS (34179).

- F. RUMP, O.B.E. (34028).
- T. R. VICKERS, D.S.O. (34207).
- B. J. R. ROBERTS (36036).
- D. F. MACDONALD (34047).
- A. D. GROOM, D.S.O. (37075).
- G. S. A. PARNABY, O.B.E. (34173).
- J. R. GORDON-FINLAYSON, D.S.O., D.F.C. (36078).
- J. D. MELVIN, O.B.E. (33170).
- J. C. MILLAR, D.S.O. (37019).
- W. S. GARDNER, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (37457).
- E. A. WHITELEY, D.F.C. (37588).
- N. A. N. BRAY, D.F.C. (37081).
- D. L. AMLOT, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (37441).
- C. J. MOUNT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (36162).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—
 1st July 1951.

- I. N. M. MACDONALD (33387).
- T. W. C. FAZAN (37093).
- C. L. C. ROBERTS (37363).
- W. A. L. DAVIS, D.F.C. (37315).
- F. R. BIRD, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33526).
- J. H. L. BLOUNT, D.F.C. (33471).
- T. P. SEYMOUR (33494).
- The Hon. D. H. T. DOWDING (33422).
- W. E. V. MALINS, D.F.C. (40838).
- G. J. BELL (42096).
- J. H. NEWBERRY, D.F.C. (39560).
- D. J. DEVITT (39434).
- G. H. WHERRY, D.F.C. (39624).
- K. P. SMALES, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39764).
- A. D. FRANK, D.S.O., D.F.C. (70227).
- J. R. ST. JOHN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39687).
- B. G. MEHARG, A.F.C. (39941).
- P. C. FLETCHER, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (80028).
- L. W. G. GILL, D.S.O. (70244).
- G. B. WARNER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (39700).
- T. L. BINGHAM-HALL, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39848).
- H. G. PAUL, D.F.C. (39946).
- A. G. WILSON, D.F.C. (70831).
- W. T. BROOKS, D.S.O., A.F.C. (39932).
- C. N. FOXLEY-NORRIS, D.S.O. (70225).
- G. H. GOODMAN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (70799).
- D. J. A. ROE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (70818).
- H. B. VERITY, D.S.O., D.F.C. (72507).
- H. A. S. DISNEY (72106).
- A. H. C. ROBERTS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (40431).
- J. R. PENNINGTON-LEGH, D.F.C. (37826).
- D. G. SMALLWOOD, D.S.O., M.B.E., D.F.C. (40645).
- A. C. DEERE, D.S.O., O.B.E., D.F.C. (40370).
- J. N. KENTISH, D.F.C. (40543).
- J. BARRACLOUGH, D.F.C., A.F.C. (40662).
- D. S. LINDSAY, D.F.C. (40626).

C. V. WINN, D.S.O., O.B.E., D.F.C. (40586).
 T. R. BURNE, D.S.O., A.F.C. (33457).
 A. M. RUSTON, D.F.C. (33475).
 I. N. MACDOUGALL, D.F.C. (33491).
 R. D. YULE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33502).
 P. de L. LECHEMINANT, D.F.C. (33544).
 A. H. HUMPHREY, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (33543).
 I. R. CAMPBELL, A.F.C. (33557).
 P. R. CASEMENT, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (44188).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
 1st July 1951.

D. A. YOUNG (42456).
 N. F. SMITH, D.F.C. (42682).
 A. C. SOUTHWARD (47481).
 W. A. C. EMMETT (39723).
 H. O. FORTH (40688).
 B. L. GARNER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (106649).
 J. H. W. YEATS, D.F.C. (106191).
 A. R. GALBRAITH, D.F.C. (59757).
 L. G. PRESS, A.F.C. (117153).
 A. St. J. PRICE (48312).
 S. J. RAWLINS (42437).
 D. O. CUNLIFFE, D.F.C. (87369).
 A. R. WILSON, D.S.O. (61511).
 H. L. HOLLIDAY, D.F.C. (66492).
 P. G. HILL (65560).
 R. G. CHURCHER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (68172).
 R. S. PERRY, D.F.C. (101557).
 J. A. WRIGHT, D.F.C. (106084).
 W. J. HURST (46169).
 A. J. L. CRAIG, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (103561).
 I. D. BOURNE (108164).
 W. T. ELLIS, A.F.C. (110331).
 H. A. ASKER, D.F.C., D.F.M. (47171).
 P. E. VAUGHAN-FOWLER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (110008).
 S. M. MCGREGOR (59324).
 T. H. BLACKHAM, D.F.C. (124922).
 J. T. LAWRENCE, A.F.C. (104428).
 L. C. GLOVER (115234).
 F. C. D. WRIGHT, D.F.C. (116512).
 C. W. J. HARRADENCE (117584).
 P. S. ENGELBACH (122946).
 A. J. MOTT, M.B.E. (120214).
 R. M. HORSLEY, D.F.C. (120849).
 E. P. LANDON, D.F.C. (49062).
 A. E. CALLARD, D.F.C., A.F.C. (126495).
 J. D. GRUBB, D.F.C. (59509).
 R. G. B. SUMMERS, A.F.M. (49629).
 R. WOOD, D.F.C. (121525).
 J. W. BARLING, D.S.O., D.F.C. (122396).
 S. H. MARTIN (49148).
 C. W. HAYES (123491).
 P. N. FARLOW (129464).
 T. S. HARRIS, D.F.C. (117928).
 J. T. HART (137247).
 A. C. LANGDON (124932).
 R. P. BURTON (124498).
 P. W. GILPIN, D.F.C. (124402).
 T. W. A. HUTTON, D.F.C. (124855).
 S. MCCREITH, A.F.C. (124790).
 S. J. PERKINS (124817).
 J. RAYSON, A.F.C. (49876).
 T. HELFER, D.F.C. (127041).
 J. G. ROBERTS, D.F.C., D.F.M. (129108).
 D. P. SAMPSON, D.F.C. (131481).
 W. H. MILLS (134318).
 A. D. BOYLE (128557).
 J. WHITTLE, D.F.C. (121460).
 E. D. GREEN (49306).
 J. A. RUCK, D.F.C. (129661).
 D. G. BARNES, D.F.M. (129003).
 R. E. DYSON, D.F.C. (130113).
 R. W. MASON (49659).
 H. M. CHINNERY (128850).
 A. GRIFFITHS (131642).
 P. D. J. WOOD, D.F.C. (123622).
 L. A. A. MACKILLIGAN (128629).
 G. A. MARTIN, D.F.C., A.F.C. (128646).
 G. E. KERRIDGE (84679).
 J. W. FOSTER, D.F.C. (134757).
 T. P. MCGARRY, D.F.C. (129645).
 G. B. MERCER (130954).
 A. W. G. LE HARDY, O.B.E. (132181).
 D. J. G. NORTON (134037).
 L. G. HOLMES, D.F.C., A.F.C. (137194).
 D. A. OXBY, D.S.O., D.F.C., D.F.M. (138413).
 C. J. WOODWARD, D.F.C. (51325).
 J. L. KERR (150055).

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Air Vice-Marshal to Air Marshal :—

Sir Thomas A. WARNE-BROWNE, K.B.E., C.B.,
 D.S.C. (acting Air Marshal), 1st July 1951.

Group Captain to Air Commodore :—
 1st July 1951

J. A. HAWKINGS, C.B.E.
 W. P. G. PRETTY, C.B.E.

Wing Commander to Group Captain :—
 1st July 1951

H. M. RUSSELL, O.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (32162).
 H. STRINGER, O.B.E. (36106).
 G. N. HANCOCK, C.B.E., A.M.I.E.E. (33058).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :—
 1st July 1951

A. H. BURLEIGH (35299).
 L. ROBINSON (43735).
 A. W. LINDLEY, A.F.R.Ae.S. (45699).
 W. CUNLIFFE, O.B.E. (44341).
 G. E. BURTENSHAW (46000).
 A. CROSS, O.B.E. (42965).
 R. E. CAESAR (44579).
 A. S. C. JUKES (35292).
 R. EVE (35403).
 J. D. M. SUTHERLAND (43307).
 C. E. THURSTON (35404).
 J. McP. ADAMS (43795).
 H. A. HARRISON (44687).
 L. J. STREVENSON, D.F.M. (44205).
 A. L. ARROW (46882).
 J. R. MOIR (43296).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
 1st July 1951 (seniority 1st July 1950).

A. S. KNOWLES, A.F.C., A.F.R.Ae.S. (43070).
 1st July 1951
 E. J. SHEERAN, D.F.C. (39045).
 A. E. A. MACDONALD (44274).
 W. LAWRY, A.F.M. (44909).
 W. H. CAULEY (45214).
 A. S. BLAKE, A.F.M. (44374).
 N. E. MARTIN (46229).
 C. F. SPILLARD (47464).
 G. E. WILLIAMS (47433).
 F. J. RIMER (42942).
 W. C. PARSONS (45989).
 R. N. PAYNE, M.B.E. (45780).
 R. KEMPSTER (46046).
 L. W. SCHULKINS (48275).
 E. W. S. AUSTIN (46584).
 F. M. THOMAS (48362).
 D. P. CARYER (48596).
 M. D. SMITH (46861).
 S. E. COWLES (46583).
 C. E. CASTLE, M.B.E. (46461).
 A. E. G. PYE (47945).
 E. W. HARRIES (47430).
 S. C. V. CHISWELL (46742).
 A. W. G. BROWN (107477).
 J. P. BALFOUR, D.F.C. (44872).
 J. M. WILLIAMS, M.B.E. (46325).
 W. TURNER, G.M. (48336).
 S. A. RICHENS (47122).
 H. HARVEY (45144).
 R. T. MORISON, M.B.E. (82419).
 J. W. DIAPER, A.F.R.Ae.S. (46590).
 H. N. KITCHIN, M.B.E. (45566).
 M. HERMISTON, A.F.R.Ae.S. (81768).
 A. SINGER (48063).
 J. E. POTTER (46151).
 J. E. W. HOWELL (45908).
 J. L. LENDREM (45870).
 W. T. WAKEHAM, M.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (46149).
 F. WALKER, M.B.E. (46273).
 H. L. E. WATSON (46974).
 A. A. PEDDER (48271).
 C. E. JORDAN (46582).
 T. WHARTON (46649).
 D. NELSON (47651).
 P. S. GAGE (47673).
 H. DURKIN, M.A. (109955).
 A. H. BULLOCK, B.A. (106111).
 A. G. W. WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (111176).
 P. E. MITCHELL, B.Sc. (123626).
 T. C. PINKERTON, A.F.C., B.Sc.(Eng.) (133365).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Group Captain to Air Commodore :—
 1st July 1951

C. J. NOBBS.
 H. J. BUTLER, C.B.E.

Wing Commander to Group Captain :—
 1st July 1951

A. R. MORTON (31014).
 S. W. NEEDHAM (31015).
 L. C. DENNIS (31045).
 S. G. WALKER, O.B.E. (31048).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—

1st July 1951

R. P. NORMAN (31089).
 T. THOMAS (33481).
 F. E. BASTIN (31117).
 D. K. MORGAN (31194).
 P. J. LUTLEY (31192).
 J. D. E. DAVIES (31215).
 J. S. HEPBURN (31225).
 B. G. DICKINSON (31216).
 L. R. MUMBY, O.B.E. (31235).
 B. J. MAY (31233).
 E. A. DARNELL (31214).
 C. R. ILIFFE (31227).
 E. A. L. WAKELY (31250).
 J. B. CONOLLY (31154).
 G. L. LISTER (31339).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

H. PULMAN-JONES (105789). 1st July 1951
 (seniority 1st July 1950).

1st July 1951.

H. J. L. HAIG (31325).
 L. N. CAMPBELL (106259).
 J. PINDER (44951).
 H. G. BRUCE (63349).
 A. J. THOMAS (46495).
 R. N. JONES (47884).
 F. C. RODWELL, M.B.E. (111012).
 F. P. CONNOLLY (44727).
 J. H. KING (85482).
 E. G. B. HUGHES (44847).
 C. G. TRUB (45111).
 W. SNOWDEN, M.B.E. (45611).
 M. DRISCOLL (49166).
 S. L. MANFIELD (49155).
 J. BEATON (74285).
 R. C. YOUNG (49995).
 P. R. G. LYNCH, M.B.E. (49976).
 C. L. G. PUNCHER, M.B.E. (49911).
 B. H. WINTLE (500910).
 R. WILLOUGHBY (31361).
 C. D. HINCHCLIFFE (140780).
 P. J. HEARN (55098).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—*

1st July 1951.

C. R. B. WIGFALL (37873).
 J. H. C. RUSSELL (21305).
 P. G. D. TAYLOR (37367).
 R. J. WALKER, D.S.O. (39915).
 W. G. MORGAN, O.B.E. (21354).

Squadron Officer to Wing Officer, W.R.A.F.:—

F. W. G. FIREBRACE (843). 1st July 1951.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st July 1951.

A. H. BRUCE (44167).
 S. E. BUSSEY (39061).
 G. H. PEARCE (45228).
 G. F. OLIVER (44411).
 F. VERNON, M.B.E. (46725).
 A. H. WEBSTER, D.F.M. (46309).
 R. R. PRESLAND, D.F.C. (45118).
 R. TURNER (106114).
 H. EDWARDS, D.F.C. (109481).
 W. D. ROONEY (112551).
 R. RENNER (45516).
 S. W. TIMMIS (45879).
 R. A. G. ROSS (109582).
 B. WILKINSON (45968).
 J. SAMPLE (115040).
 V. H. C. WATSON (109995).
 G. P. OWEN, M.B.E. (46933).
 A. L. BRYANT (47594).
 G. A. SENTANCE, M.B.E. (47243).
 W. ALEXANDER (67275).

Flight Officer to Squadron Officer, W.R.A.F.:—

1st July 1951.

K. ROBERTS (579).
 J. M. ANDREWS (1726).
 M. E. LASLETT (2108).
 D. ATKINSON-CLARK (1615).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Group Captain to Air Commodore:—*

1st July 1951.

C. J. LUCE, D.S.O.
 J. H. HARRIS, C.B.E.

Wing Commander to Group Captain:—

D. H. WENHAM, M.C. (59802). 1st July 1951.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—

1st July 1951.

R. R. CHAPMAN (44863).
 I. A. J. EDWARDS-STUART (500989).
 J. D. BLOIS (500550).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st July 1951.

N. A. M. PLOWRIGHT (500169).
 D. J. GEORGE (118071).
 B. M. TAYLOR (121740).
 R. MACDONALD (48950).
 R. W. TWINEHAM (500452).
 E. K. P. INCE, D.F.C. (62421).
 W. GREENSWORD (127603).
 L. A. CHILDS (118233).
 E. W. J. BEVAN (59702).
 R. MILLHOUSE, M.B.E. (134878).
 J. F. OLIVER (145136).
 H. W. KELLAS-KELLY (137886).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—*

1st July 1951.

G. E. LILLYWHITE, A.F.C. (43839).
 J. BLACKBURN (43196).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st July 1951.

E. L. BLOXHAM (45076).
 R. C. G. HARMAN, A.F.C., A.F.M. (44880).
 E. J. HAYES, A.F.C. (46825).
 J. B. HEWITSON (86020).
 R. ARMSTRONG, D.F.C. (43193).
 C. T. BOXALL, A.F.C. (44599).
 R. G. GALLOWAY, A.F.C. (45680).
 S. CHESTER (100068).
 E. G. SMITH (47312).
 G. A. BAYLISS (46780).

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.*Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—*

1st July 1951.

A. RICHARDSON (61591).
 F. J. MUNDY (107652).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

1st July 1951.

M. G. L. LOVELL (42011).
 L. B. NOYES, A.F.C. (43178).
 E. C. OLDFIELD, A.F.C. (43189).
 E. A. SHIPMAN, A.F.C. (43364).
 R. L. AMOR, A.F.C. (43615).
 A. L. HAMILTON (42121).
 A. SHAW, D.F.C. (47410).
 J. SELDON (104889).

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal:—*

V. S. EWING, C.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H. (acting
 Air Vice-Marshal). 1st July 1951.

Group Captain to Air Commodore:—

1st July 1951.

A. HARVEY, C.B.E., M.B., B.Ch., D.P.H.
 P. B. L. POTTER, O.B.E., M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H.,
 D.T.M. & H.
 F. W. P. DIXON, M.B.E., M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.,
 F.R.C.S.(Edin.), D.O.(Oxon.).

Wing Commander to Group Captain:—

1st July 1951.

J. S. CARSLAW, M.B., Ch.B. (23146).
 J. L. WALSH, M.B., B.S., D.P.H., D.I.H. (23148).
 J. F. DALES, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23133).
 I. MACKAY, M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H.,
 Dip.Bact. (23156).
 L. M. CORBET, C.B.E., M.B., B.S. (23142).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—

1st July 1951.

H. L. ROXBURGH, O.B.E., Ph.D., B.Sc., M.B.,
 Ch.B. (101810).
 J. S. HOWITT, A.F.C., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
 (84854).
 W. B. THORBURN, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H. (60037).
 R. J. A. MORRIS, M.B., Ch.B. (23387).
 A. J. BARWOOD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (60981).
 E. H. LAMB, M.B., Ch.B. (23412).
 H. C. THOMAS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
 (78244).

DENTAL BRANCH.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :—
C. PARMEÉ, L.D.S. (73604). 1st July 1951.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Wing Commander to Group Captain :—
J. R. MORGAN, O.B.E., B.Sc., A.M.I.Mech.E.,
A.F.R.Ae.S. (73539). 1st July 1951.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :—
D. M. B. PITT, M.B.E., M.Sc. (73342). 1st July
1951.

PROVOST BRANCH.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :—
P. CROSSLEY, D.F.C. (52543). 1st July 1951.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
1st July 1951.

R. D. ENGLAND (52285).
C. B. FLOCKHART, D.C.M. (54529).
W. H. MCCULLOCH (146598).
K. F. MASSEY (55721).
F. C. REGISTER (145088).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
1st July 1951.

E. W. BIRD (189280).
A. COTTRELL (166203).
E. J. HORSEMAN (58440).
S. H. E. JUSTIN (150708).

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F. :—
P. G. BARTLETT (7832). 1st July 1951.

CATERING BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
1st July 1951.

A. S. PATTIE (109668).
J. C. RIPLEY (48475).

Air Ministry, 29th June, 1951.

With the KING'S approval, Her Royal Highness The PRINCESS ELIZABETH, Duchess of Edinburgh has graciously consented to become Honorary Air Commodore of No. 603 (City of Edinburgh) Squadron, Royal Auxiliary Air Force, No. 2603 (City of Edinburgh) Light Anti-Aircraft Squadron, Royal Auxiliary Air Force Regiment and No. 3603 (City of Edinburgh) Fighter Control Unit, Royal Auxiliary Air Force. 16th June 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) :—
1st Oct. 1950.

Sydney HUDSON (164781).
Francis Edward LORD (53117).
Donald Albert WINTERFORD (173829).

Frederick FAIRCHILD (53429). 10th Nov. 1950
(and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch,
1st Mar. 1951 (seniority 20th Oct. 1947)).

Albert Francis Cowie VALENTINE (48148). 17th
Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft
Control Branch).

William ARNOTT, A.F.C. (44683). 24th Nov.
1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control
Branch).

27th Nov. 1950.

John CHADWICK (170897) (for subsequent transfer
to the Aircraft Control Branch).

Lionel GEEKIE, D.F.C. (144011) (for subsequent
transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

Frank Palmer SMITH (160724) (for subsequent
transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

Theodore Oscar WEIL, D.F.C. (135025). 7th
Dec. 1950 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control
Branch 12th Feb. 1951 (seniority 26th Sept. 1947)).

James Thomas SUTHERLAND (169148). 19th Apr.
1951 (for subsequent transfer to the Fighter
Control Branch).

As Flying Officers (permanent) :—

Kenneth HOLDEN (203408). 29th Oct. 1948
(seniority 3rd June 1948) (and transferred to the
Secretarial Branch on appointment) (substituted for
notification of 26th Apr. 1949 (p. 2037, col. 2)).

Lancelot Henry SOUTHALL (169927). 24th Nov.
1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft
Control Branch).

As Pilot Officer (permanent) :—

3503453 Navigator IV James Cuthbert DUNCAN
(3503453). 21st Mar. 1951.

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

Robert Alan DENNEY (155334). 1st Nov. 1948
(seniority 26th Jan. 1947) (substituted for notifica-
tion of 9th Nov. 1948 (p. 5873, col. 2)).

Norman William Wilson PRYDE (187756). 1st
Dec. 1948 (seniority 27th Apr. 1948) (substituted
for notification of 10th May 1949 (p. 2285, col. 2)).

21st May 1951 (seniority 21st May 1951).

Frank GARSIDE (122492).

Gordon Murray HASLOP (501915).

Richard Walter CRAFT, D.F.C. (152925). 22nd
May 1951 (seniority 22nd May 1951).

Peter Owen DEVERSON (150350). 28th May 1951
(seniority 28th May 1951).

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

Walter John Harvey POWELL (190181). 3rd May
1951 (seniority 27th May 1949).

James Edmund BIRCH, D.F.M. (196527). 15th
May 1951 (seniority 19th Dec. 1949).

Kenneth BOWDEN (173006). 16th May 1951
(seniority 10th Sept. 1949).

Peter Roy WOOLCOCK (165869). 22nd May 1951
(seniority 24th Mar. 1949).

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

Navigators IV.

21st Mar. 1951.

711042 Frederick Sidney James PIERCE (711042)
(period of service to count from 13th Mar. 1948).

4039379 James McNicol ADAMS (4039379) (period
of service to count from 3rd Oct. 1949).

582713 Fred William Lawrance SAUNDERS
(582713) (period of service to count from 10th Nov.
1949).

4039377 Kieran Charles O'REGAN (4039377)
(period of service to count from 1st Oct. 1949).

579557 Charles Norman HARVEY (579557)
(period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1949).

4039594 Michael David BURKE (4039594)
(period of service to count from 17th Oct. 1949).

578568 Dennis Clifford WANKLYN (578568)
(period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1949).

582516 Eric PORDHAM (582516) (period of
service to count from 15th Nov. 1949).

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

Stanley Garnett WHITE (191235). 16th May
1951 (seniority 21st Feb. 1951).

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

Gerald Thomas Rowett JOHNS (40918). 4th
May 1951.

As Pilot Officer (national service) :—

3122505 Pilot IV Kenneth Campbell WEBSTER
(3122505). 18th Apr. 1951.

Notification amended.

3rd Apr. 1951 (p. 1749, col. 2) concerning
Llewellyn George JONES (155506) for (seniority
9th Dec. 1950) read (seniority 19th Feb. 1951).

22nd May 1951 (p. 2804, col. 1) concerning
Michael John Sefton LESSON (2497578) for
LESSON read LEESON.

Notification cancelled.

20th Dec. 1949 (p. 6024, col. 1) concerning
Robert Alan DENNEY (155334).

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

F. NIXON (4030822). 15th Dec. 1950.

20th June 1951.

N. A. DAVIES (3504748).

D. F. DENISON (3504734).

D. M. HENNESSY (3026418).

J. H. LUCOP (3034022).

L. MILLIKIN (3504859).

E. MacR. STEWART (3020289).

A. R. WALLACE (4034384).

K. M. WILLIAMSON (4034373).

21st June 1951.

R. L. JAMES (3500470).

J. K. JONES (578411).

D. L. RICHARDSON (3034581).

R. G. J. SNELLER (572479).

G. C. WILKINSON (4034678).

Grant of acting rank.

Air Vice-Marshal A. C. STEVENS, C.B., is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal. 8th June 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant J. H. SMYTHE (144608). 24th June 1951.

Flying Officer N. DENNIS (58758). 20th Dec. 1950 (but called up for air force service until 20th June 1951). Reverts to the reserve. 20th June 1951.

The undermentioned (and called up for air force service):—

Flight Lieutenants:—

N. A. A. WILLIAMS (573320). 7th Mar. 1951.

G. A. BLAKESLEY (163185). 3rd Apr. 1951.

16th Apr. 1951.

R. BASS (168730).

W. C. COX (58953).

C. J. PRITCHARD (199911). 17th Apr. 1951.

J. A. H. DALTON (172056). 22nd Apr. 1951.

24th Apr. 1951.

R. ARMSTRONG (178888).

P. A. DACE (68441).

D. DATNER (182273).

M. G. DENNISON (154599).

G. POW, D.F.C. (133805).

1st May 1951.

A. J. JONES (195961).

E. R. W. LAWSON (55281).

N. PEARSON (160516).

R. H. G. RAINE (201442).

D. N. ROBINSON, D.F.C. (40945).

J. N. SIMPSON (165317).

A. C. WALKER (200892).

S. WEBB (164692).

E. WILSON (165106).

8th May 1951.

N. C. DAVIES (187852).

J. B. JAY (150947).

G. A. PEERS, D.F.C. (183358).

T. H. RONALDSON, D.F.C. (160717). 14th May 1951.

15th May 1951.

D. P. MILLARD, D.F.C. (184177).

A. F. PETHICK, D.F.C. (129504).

G. M. SMITH (134094).

T. BARLOW-JONES (59361). 19th June 1951.

Flying Officers:—

M. S. BECK (197608). 3rd Apr. 1951.

16th Apr. 1951.

J. R. ALLAN (58988).

M. G. BEECROFT (58952).

K. B. D. DUNBAR (166478). 23rd Apr. 1951.

S. R. COUPLAND (197953). 24th Apr. 1951.

1st May 1951.

P. R. BROOKES (197814).

P. J. TAYLOR (200797).

D. N. WILSON (199222).

I. A. H. WITTER (58034). 3rd May 1951.

R. G. HARTWIG (59394). 19th June 1951.

Short service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer B. C. REDMOND (1395581) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining his rank. 22nd June 1951.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant F. H. ROBERTSON (189633) (on appointment to a short service commission). 12th Apr. 1951.

Emergency commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to the R.A.F.R.O.) retaining their rank:—

B. F. SPARK, D.F.C. (53952). 22nd Jan. 1951.

7th Mar. 1951.

C. F. FRYER, D.F.M. (54626).

A. W. HUNTER, D.F.M. (49241).

The undermentioned (on enlistment in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant T. P. KEEGAN (50675). 19th May 1951.

Flying Officer W. C. MAY (56523). 22nd May 1951.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant A. E. FEATHERSTONE (143456). 25th May 1951.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

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

David Walter William ROGERS (1577607). 30th May 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant W. R. J. CRAGGS (203155) (and called up for air force service). 19th June 1951.

Emergency commission relinquished.

Flying Officer T. H. BRIGGS (58573) (on appointment to the R.A.F.R.O.) retaining his rank. 17th Mar. 1951.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**Notification cancelled.*

19th Nov. 1946 (p. 5676, col. 1) concerning H. APPLETON (51476).

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

John Kingsley NEWMAN (49873). 24th Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

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

Marcus CREWS (58533). 31st Mar. 1951 (seniority 17th Oct. 1948).

Frank PERRIN (58650). 12th Apr. 1951 (seniority 14th Nov. 1948).

As Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Russet HOLDEN (8649). 23rd May 1951.

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

F. E. WOOLLEY (58658). 12th June 1951.

L. J. JACOBS (180566). 17th June 1951.

D. M. RUSSELL (102955). 23rd June 1951.

T. H. GRAHAM (199386). 24th June 1951

26th June 1951.

F. W. B. DUCKWORTH (58732).

J. A. KEAREY (58740).

J. C. READ (58745).

Transfer to reserve.

The undermentioned (and called up for air force service):—

Flight Lieutenant W. H. EDWARDS, D.F.C. (40045). 27th June 1951.

Flying Officer C. HAWARD (142304). 19th June 1951.

Notification amended.

22nd May 1951 (p. 2805, col. 1) concerning J. R. MACGREGOR, M.B.E. (89018), for Squadron Leader read Flight Lieutenant.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer H. EDWARDS (56910) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 5th May 1951.

(Substituted for notification of 24th Apr. 1951 (p. 2313, col. 1).)

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flying Officers (on appointment to short service commissions):—

M. CREWS (58533). 31st Mar. 1951.

F. PERRIN (58650). 12th Apr. 1951.

Emergency commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer W. J. H. TURK (58903) (on appointment to the R.A.F.R.O.) retaining his rank. 1st Feb. 1951.

Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial.

Flying Officer S. J. T. BARRETT, B.E.M. (56904). 2nd June 1951.

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

Albert Edward Gregory SHARPE (154039). 16th Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

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

Herbert Rowdon COLLINS, A.F.C. (27124). 21st May 1951 (seniority 21st May 1951).

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

Henry Nicholas Macphail DASTON (79109). 29th May 1951 (seniority 23rd June 1947).

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

Howard John HANDEL (3121233). 31st Mar. 1951 (seniority 19th Jan. 1950).

Harry Stevenson BATEMAN (195127). 16th May 1951 (seniority 15th Nov. 1949).

As Pilot Officers, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

23rd May 1951.

Denise Audrey ELLSE (8654).

Vita Rose Maria Regina REINHARDT (8652).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

J. A. G. FEDERICO (180620). 17th June 1951.

G. BRAND (187385). 18th June 1951.

H. DUNCAN (58727). 26th June 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

W. WILKINSON (199676). 18th Apr. 1951.

K. S. FOSTER (1350943). 15th June 1951.

Transfer to reserve (National Service List).

Pilot Officer B. SMITH (2432006). 5th June 1951.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer H. J. HANDEL (3121233) (on appointment to a short service commission). 31st Mar. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer G. J. WILSON (202320) is extended to eight years with effect from 17th July 1947.

Notification amended.

13th Mar. 1951 (p. 1295, col. 1) concerning R. B. J. S. MORSE (195300) for "is extended to six years with effect from 17th July 1947" read "is extended to seven years with effect from 17th July 1947."

Transfer to reserve.

Wing Commander E. O. GULLAND (118200) (and called up for air force service). 19th June 1951.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Neile Stewardson DOWER (53144). 16th Nov. 1950 (seniority 3rd Feb. 1948).

Edward George STURGIS (51378). 5th Dec. 1950 (seniority 29th June 1950).

Ian Anthony WAUGH (116405). 1st Feb. 1951 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flying Officer (permanent):—

James Douglas CULMER, D.F.M. (177211). 24th Nov. 1950 (seniority 24th Aug. 1946).

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

Francis Hunter ROBERTSON (189633). 12th Apr. 1951 (seniority 29th Dec. 1950).

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

Osmond Charles BROWN (142205). 3rd May 1951 (seniority 25th Dec. 1949).

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

Ernest Ronald WILLIAMS (191208). 16th May 1951 (seniority 4th Feb. 1950).

Hubert Stiit DUNLOP (189517). 21st May 1951 (seniority 1st July 1950).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

C. F. FLETCHER (178983). 26th June 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

T. H. G. BASSETT (54451). 30th Mar. 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

The undermentioned Flying Officers (and called up for air force service):—

W. J. LLEWELLYN (191536). 19th May 1951.

P. COLEBY, D.F.C. (158412). 23rd June 1951.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Philip Francis O'KEEFE, A.F.M. (46164). 20th Apr. 1951 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 20th Apr. 1951 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945)).

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

21st May 1951.

Dudley Charles GODSLAND (501861) (seniority 4th Nov. 1948).

Roland Percival Sidney HARRIDENCE, D.F.C. (134733) (seniority 14th June 1949).

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

2485878 Aircraftman 2nd class William John BROOKS (2485878). 3rd May 1951.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

I. L. C. BLACKWELL (185508). 12th May 1951.

F. W. FLOWERS (647056). 15th June 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.:—

E. N. CAMPBELL (7224). 11th May 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant P. B. PERCIVAL (122233) (and called up for air force service). 21st May 1951.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve.

Squadron Leader W. R. DUNSTAN-CRAREY, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E. (60641) (and called up for air force service). 5th June 1951.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

J. N. C. COOKE, M.D., B.S., M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P., M.R.C.P.(E.) (201232). 1st May 1951.

A. J. K. GALLAGHER, L.R.C.P. & S. (204226). 28th May 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

1st June 1951.

J. BARRON, M.B., Ch.B. (501243).

S. KAY, M.B., Ch.B. (501248).

J. B. MILLARD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501249).

J. S. ROBERTSON, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501251)

Transfer to reserve (National Service List).

Flight Lieutenants:—

27th May 1951.

C. P. E. ELLIOTT-BINNS, M.B., B.Ch. (500706).

F. G. G. SHEPHERD, M.B., Ch.B. (500679).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Extension of service.

Notification cancelled.

23rd Jan. 1951 (p. 424, col. 2) concerning the Rev. J. A. McSHANE (129986).

Promotion.

Rev. D. W. D. WILLIAMS (124178) is granted the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 16th June 1951.

LEGAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Janet MACKAY (363). 1st Feb. 1951 (seniority 1st Feb. 1951).

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

C. A. SEATON, B.A. (135190). 8th Mar. 1951.

R. W. HATCHER, B.Sc. (73934). 3rd Apr. 1951.

J. C. FORTH, M.A. (500002). 10th May 1951.

H. S. SMITH, B.Sc. (81858). 25th May 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

D. G. G. WILKEY, B.A. (3026497). 4th Jan. 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

15th June 1951.

L. B. RUTTER, B.Sc. (2447680).

E. THOMAS, B.Sc. (3124336).

J. M. WILLIAMS, B.A. (501563). 20th June 1951.

Short service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer A. G. MACKINNON, M.A. (8573), W.R.A.F. (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 29th June 1951.

Commission terminated.

Flight Lieutenant L. P. WILLIAMS (501045). 10th June 1951.

PROVOST BRANCH.**Retirement.**

Flying Officer H. APPLETON (51476) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 7th June 1949.

CATERING BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

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

William Hunter ELLYARD (501884). 30th May 1951.

As Flying Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Kathleen Mary CLARK (2050643). 23rd May 1951.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Dorothy Alice SWAN (8641). 23rd May 1951.

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

Flying Officer A. F. QUINLAN (6786). 17th May 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.**Appointment to commission (class J).**

As Flight Lieutenants:—

28th May 1951.

John Roland BRADSHAW (141961) (Flying Officer R.A.F.R.O.).

Frank Harold MORTON (35200) (Wing Commander ret.).

Edwin John FLEXEN (43402) (Flight Lieutenant ret.). 11th June 1951.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (five years):—

Archibald Wilson HUNTER, D.F.M. (49241). 7th Mar. 1951.

As Flying Officers (five years):—

Maurice Vivian ROSE (195837). 13th Feb. 1950.

Brian Frederick SPARK, D.F.C. (53952). 22nd Jan. 1951.

Claude Francis FRYER, D.F.M. (54626). 7th Mar. 1951.

Extension of service, etc.

R. A. PLUMB (42434) is transferred from class (C) to class (A) with effect from 5th May 1948 and is granted an extension of service for five years with effect from 7th Dec. 1950. His war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant is converted to substantive rank, 1st Nov. 1947 (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—

Squadron Leader H. R. COLLINS, A.F.C. (27124). 21st May 1951.

Flight Lieutenant G. T. R. JOHNS (40918). 4th May 1951.

Flying Officer P. PANNIFER (58693) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 22nd June 1951.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer (five years):—

Thomas Henry BRIGGS (58573). 17th Mar. 1951.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Pilot Officer (five years):—

William James Hood TURK (58903). 1st Feb. 1951.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (five years):—

Hugh William MORTON (41945). 5th Mar. 1951.

Appointment to commission (class CC).

As Squadron Leader:—

Geoffrey Victor VAUGHAN, A.F.C. (192966). 25th May 1951.

As Flight Lieutenants:—

29th May 1951.

Francis Joseph BUDDEN (192969).

John William HALEY (192967).

Commission relinquished (class CC).

The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):—

Wing Commanders:—

13th May 1951.

C. F. HOARE (192833).

E. A. TURNER (192763).

Squadron Leader J. R. WILSON (192791). 13th May 1951.

Flight Lieutenants:—

C. J. POOLEY (192323). 19th Dec. 1950.

E. S. WILLIS (192844). 28th Apr. 1951.

W. JOHNSTONE (192756). 15th May 1951.

16th May 1951.

H. L. DAVIS (192754).

M. FIRTH (192759).

Flying Officer W. L. WOODCOCK (192484). 16th May 1951.

Notification amended.

15th May 1951 (p. 2707, col. 2), concerning A. G. SHALLCROSS (192771) for Squadron Leader read Flight Lieutenant.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Released from the active list.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Commission resigned.**

Flying Officer J. W. CARMICHAEL (90353). 1st May 1951.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

Relinquishment of Appointment as Honorary Air Commodore.

Sir William Y. DARLING, C.B.E., M.C., LL.D., D.L., M.P., relinquishes his appointment as Honorary Air Commodore of No. 603 (City of Edinburgh) Squadron, No. 2603 (City of Edinburgh) L.A.A. Squadron and No. 3603 (City of Edinburgh) Fighter Control Unit. 16th June 1951.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (five years and five years on the reserve):—

Rodney Charles TASTO (157105). 1st Apr. 1951.

As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve):—

Henry Brynmor GARNEY (91366). 24th Feb. 1951 (seniority 12th Feb. 1951).

Transfer to reserve.**Notification amended.**

8th May 1951 (p. 2586, col. 1), concerning R. D. GRAESSER (122407) should have appeared under the heading FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH and not GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. J. H. POWELL (190181) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 3rd May 1951.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve):—

Stanley McPherson FORRESTER (195146). 29th Mar. 1951.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer H. S. BATEMAN (195127) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 16th May 1951.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

John Charles ASHTON (91367). 1st Feb. 1951.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

Frank Reginald HUNT (161964). 17th Apr. 1951 (seniority 16th Feb. 1951).

Notification cancelled.

6th Sept. 1949 (p. 4295, col. 2), concerning Andrew WALKER (191192).

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officers (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

Alan Bernard Gardner BARCLAY (100027). 8th Mar. 1951 (seniority 31st Jan. 1951).

29th Mar. 1951.

Douglas Harlow COLEMAN (120835).

Gerald GOODMAN (119443).

As Pilot Officers (five years and five years on the reserve):—

30th Jan. 1951.

Derek John GUTTERIDGE (2691504);

Walter Gordon MASON (2691520).

John McCONNELL (149295). 3rd Mar. 1951 (seniority 20th Jan. 1951).

Donald Thomas UNDERHILL (186858). 4th May 1951.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

John Liddal INSLEY, B.M., B.Ch., D.L.O. (190697). 24th Feb. 1951 (seniority 26th Aug. 1950).

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Emergency commission section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—**Flight Lieutenants:—*

R. A. DENNEY (155334). 1st Nov. 1948 (substituted for notification of 9th Nov. 1948 (p. 5877, col. 2)).

N. W. W. PRYDE (187756). 1st Dec. 1948 (substituted for notification of 10th May 1949 (p. 2289, col. 2)).

O. C. BROWN (142205). 3rd May 1951.

F. GARSIDE (122492). 21st May 1951.

R. W. CRAFT, D.F.C. (152925). 22nd May 1951.

P. O. DEVERSON (150350). 28th May 1951.

Flying Officers:—

J. E. BIRCH, D.F.M. (196527). 15th May 1951.

E. R. WILLIAMS (191208). 16th May 1951.

P. R. WOOLCOCK (165869). 22nd May 1951.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining their rank:—

J. McCONNELL (149295). 3rd Mar. 1951.

G. GOODMAN (119443). 29th Mar. 1951.

The undermentioned (on enlistment in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenant H. S. J. BEACH (155497). 22nd May 1951.

Flying Officer A. ROSS, D.F.C. (182749). 21st May 1951.

Flight Lieutenant P. MONTGOMERY (176373) (on appointment to the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve). 16th Apr. 1951.

Notification cancelled.

6th Sept. 1949 (p. 4294, col. 2) concerning A. WALKER (191192).

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer S. McP. FORRESTER (195146) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.), retaining his rank. 29th Mar. 1951.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer H. S. DUNLOP (189517) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 21st May 1951.

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

Flight Lieutenant A. B. G. BARCLAY (100027) retaining his rank. 8th Mar. 1951.

Flying Officer D. H. COLEMAN (120835) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 29th Mar. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer C. J. DOWNES (203062) (on enlistment in the Territorial Army). 9th May 1951.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant J. L. INSLEY, B.M., B.Ch., D.L.O. (190697) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 24th Feb. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers:—*

D. A. G. HARDING (154119) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 31st May 1950.

W. G. COATES (204850) (on appointment to the Royal Navy). 24th June 1951.

Flying Officers (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—

16th May 1951.

K. BOWDEN (173006).

S. G. WHITE (191235).

R. P. S. HARRIDENCE, D.F.C. (134733). 21st May 1951.

Flying Officer R. C. TASTO (157105) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 1st Apr. 1951.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Grant of higher rank.*

Flying Officer (honorary) G. H. BRIDGE (192665) to be Flight Lieutenant (honorary). 4th May 1951.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer F. R. HUNT (161964) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 17th Apr. 1951.

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

Harold Mervyn HOWARD (185180). 27th Feb. 1951.

Charles John Verschoyle WRONG (199067). 23rd Mar. 1951.

30th Apr. 1951.

Norman Arthur Horsey COURAGE (173002).

Frank MOXON (158773).

Joseph ESLER (158628). 1st May 1951.

Philip Ernest HAMMOND, D.F.C. (177667). 3rd May 1951.

David Edward GABB (205663). 5th May 1951.

Alan THORPE (131044). 15th May 1951.

As Pilot Officers:—

James McMICHAEL (205661). 20th Feb. 1951.

John Douglas GILLIES (205666). 12th Apr. 1951.

William Henry RADFORD (2689072). 22nd Apr. 1951.

30th Apr. 1951.

John ATHA (3090850).
 John BARBOUR (3102784).
 Frank Edward BROOKS (205665).
 Francis William Frederick BROWNING (1330150).
 James Albert CANNON (1289543).
 Kenneth George FRETEN (3102890).
 David GERARD-WUYTS (1553998).
 George IRELAND (205669).
 Allen James JEFFERY (3006690).
 Kenneth Harold PEARSON (1339944).
 Reginald Edgar SEABROOK (1894052).
 John Robert WHITBREAD (614548).

Alexander William Gow (205668). 5th May 1951.

8th May 1951.

William ANDERSON (517595).
 John Desmond OVERTON (205670).
 Anthony Edward Oliver WILLIAMS (205671).

15th May 1951.

Henry NATTRESS (188640).
 Walter James RUSSELL (134394).

Herbert Macdonald POTHECARY (1185201). 17th May 1951.

Douglas Ramsay BROWN (807109). 18th May 1951.

*Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

L. S. HALLETT (156216). 19th Sept. 1947.
 H. ADDISON (199903). 12th Oct. 1950.

*Commission resigned.**Flying Officers:—*

F. E. TREBRISE (202593). 22nd Mar. 1947.
 N. McD. CRAIG (105027). 31st Oct. 1948.
 S. J. HAMPSHIRE (160962). 8th Nov. 1950.
 H. ELKIN (204638). 13th Nov. 1950.
 F. HAWTHORNE (159093). 9th Apr. 1951.
 A. R. KYLE (200779). 12th Apr. 1951.
 R. C. McKECHNEY (66847). 6th May 1951.
 M. B. HITCHMAN (65374). 11th May 1951.
 J. A. CROFTON (64525). 16th May 1951.

Pilot Officers:—

J. GRANT (127768). 30th Apr. 1946.
 H. J. CARLING (204960). 3rd Nov. 1950.
 F. T. JENKINS (62830). 23rd Jan. 1951.
 M. J. A. O'NEILL (574725). 2nd May 1951.
 F. H. KAVANAGH (1472206). 5th May 1951.
 R. R. HUGHES (1493187). 15th May 1951.

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ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Officer (temp.) J. MACKAY (363) (on appointment to a short service commission in the W.R.A.F.) 1st Feb. 1951.

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