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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):-

1st Oct. 1950.

Edmond Augustus Devillez (59583). Ronald Frederick Etherington (196313).

Laurence John Littleton Green (172422) (for subsequent transer to the Fighter Control Branch).

10th (Nov. 1950.

Philip EAUDE (134698) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 7th May 1951 (seniority 20th Nov. 1947)) (substituted for notification of 7th Aug. 1951 (p. 4219, col. 1)).

John Kitchener EDWARDS (55272) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 2nd Jan. 1951 (seniority 26th May 1948)).

Lionel GEEKIE, D.F.C. (144011). 27th Nov. 1950 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 18th June 1951 (seniority 1st Feb. 1948)) (substituted for notification of 29th June 1951 (p. 3546, col. 1)).

Edwin Leonard Ankers (51878). 19th Apr. 1951 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

John Merlin Rowland Jones (57031). 24th Apr. 1951 (and transferred to the Fighter Control Branch 11th July 1951 (seniority 22nd Mar. 1949)).

Keith Neville Haselwood (47271). 14th July 1951 (seniority 6th Aug. 1950).

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

Jack Sinclair (55682). 1st Sept. 1949 (seniority 25th Feb. 1948) (substituted for notification of 6th Sept. 1949 (p. 4284, col. 2)).
23rd Apr. 1951 (seniority 23rd April 1951).
Roy Colebrook (135614).
(Reginald Harry Comer Pryce (150193).

William John Crozter (132617). 30th July 1951 (seniority 24th Mar. 1947).
Patrick Ian Hamilton Courtney (186276). 24th

Aug. 1951 (seniority 24th Aug. 1951).

781361 Flight Sergeant Heronim Waclaw JANCZUR (781361). 27th Aug. 1951 (period of service to count from 11th July 1949).

As Flying Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Francis William Gordon Meadows (181428).
23rd Apr. 1951 (seniority 12th Oct. 1949).
198715 Sergeant Robert Forster Tracy (198715).
2nd Aug. 1951 (seniority 25th Sept. 1950) (period of service to count from 28th Aug. 1949).

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

Flight Sergeants.
2nd Aug. 1951.

1395228 Alfred John CAMP (1395228) (period of service to count from 9th Dec. 1946).

1603892 George Henry Suckling (1603892) (period of service to count from 22nd Sept. 1947).

1897922 Sergeant Gerald Alfred Tull (1897922). 2nd Aug. 1951 (period of service to count from 19th Jan. 1946).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer E. J. Francis (197736) is extended to eight years with effect from 31st Mar. 1947.

Promotion.

T. Holmes (195048). 7th June 1951.
T. J. Bradbury (3037171). 23rd Sept. 1951 (seniority 14th Aug. 1950).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— W. DAVIDSON (582376). 12th Sept. 1951.

21st Sept. 1951.

J. W. D. Collins (621777). M. H. Day (3504547). S. Evans (1320990).

R. W. SMITH (1892503).

Acting rank.

Air Commodore C. A. Stevens, C.B., C.B.E., M.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 10th Sept. 1951.

Air Commodore G. W. Tuttle, C.B., O.B.E., D.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 17th Sept. 1951.

Return to the active list from the retired list.
Wing Commander V. H. A. McBratney, A.F.C.
(34085), in the rank of Wing Commander. 4th
June 1951 (seniority 1st Mar. 1951).

Transfer between branches,
Flying Officer W. Watson (202690) to the
Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 3rd Sept.
1951 (seniority 5th Mar. 1948).
Flight Lieutenant D. A. V. NICHOLSON (183086)
to the Royal Air Force Regiment, retaining his
rank, 20th Aug. 1951 (seniority 30th July 1950),

The undermentioned to the Aircraft Control Branch: Flight Lieutenant F. P. SMITH (160724) retaining is rank 18th June 1951 (seniority 16th Mar. 1950).

Flight Lieutenant G. W. MILBURN (169859), retaining his rank. 13th Aug. 1951 (seniority 1st Apr. 1949).

Flight Lieutenant R. A. YATES-EARL, D.F.C. (40163), retaining his existing rank and seniority. 24th Sept. 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

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

Flight Lieutenants: 3rd Sept. 1951 M. Twigg (3039015). 3rd Sept. 1951.
C. A. Wade (52372). 10th Sept. 1951.
W. G. RAPHAEL (59661). 17th Sept. 1951.
V. S. B. CLARK (59581). 19th Sept. 1951. 20th Sept. 1951.

E. W. BRIGGS (59618).
A. F. CRANE (59620).
A. S. DREW, D.F.C., A. R. F. MADIGAN (59625).
M. N. SPARKS (59631).

A.F.C. (59621).

J. C. LAMPRECHT (59634). 23rd Sept. 1951.

Flying Officers:—
15th Sept. 1951.

E. Polak (177353). H. A. Ramsey, D.F.C. (59606).

W. F. Griffin (59586). 19th Sept. 195
B. A. Sinclair (59629). 20th Sept. 1951.
J. N. Quirk (59636). 23rd Sept. 1951.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flight Lieutenant N. T. KEEN, D.F.C. (55951) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 31st July 1951) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 7th Feb. 1949.

Air Vice-Marshal G. S. Hodson, C.B., C.B.E., A.F.C. 7th Sept. 1951.
Flight Lieutenant S. N. Sloan, D.F.C., C.G.M. (146605) (at own request). 17th Aug. 1951.

Flight Lieutenants (and re-employed on the active

list) :-1st Sept. 1951.

T. H. Frewin (53367). A. N. Hornby, A.F.C. (47404). H. I. Tingley (46847).

Temporary commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to short

service commissions): Flight Lieutenant W. J. CROZIER (132617). 30th July 1951.

Flying Officer P. A. Bellerby (199333). Apr. 1951.

Emergency commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant J. Sinclair (55682 appointment to a short service commission). (on 1st Sept. 1949 (substituted for notification of 6th Sept. 1949 (p. 4284, col. 2)).

# TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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As Flying Officer (permanent):—

Brian Charles TWISS, M.A., D.C.Ae. (501979).

1st Aug. 1951 (seniority 31st Aug. 1948).

As Pilot Officers (permanent):—
Jasper William Morris STEER, D.C.Ae. (501980).
18th July 1951 (seniority 18th Apr. 1950).
563450 Flight Sergeant Walter CARRINGTON (563450). 2nd Aug. 1951.
532050 Sergeant Thomas Ross SMITH (532050).
2nd Aug. 1951.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
21st Sept. 1951.

J. Beattie (561447). D. BILTCLIFFE (570611).
S. G. COULSON (366248).
W. A. LOWRY (575151).
L. A. ROBERTS (565746).
G. E. WATTS (573059).

Transfer between branches.

Notification amended.

20th Dec. 1949 (p. 6024, col. 2) concerning
N. Walling (204175) for (seniority 27th Feb.
1949) read (seniority 27th Feb. 1948).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officers:—

24th Sept. 1951.

J. B. INGALL, B.Eng. (2443239).

M. J. POPAY, B.Sc. (3122502).

Retirement.

Squadron Leader E. BLAKE, O.B.E. (35213) (at own request) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 31st Aug. 1951.

# EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

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

Officer Cadets.

30th Aug. 1951. 2815381 Jane Elizabeth Montgomery (2815381). 2815384 Kathleen Mary Nicholson (2815384). 2813172 Elizabeth Graham Thomas (2813172). 2815383 Ruby Christine Elizabeth Zala (2815383).

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list (A.M.O. A.269/51)):—
Frederick Albert Spicer Carter, B.E.M. (59016).
31d July 1951 (seniority 21st Mar. 1950).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
 S. C. B. PARKER, D.F.C. (183130). 7th June 1951.
 J. V. FANNON (58876). 30th July 1951.
 E. D. ARTUS (59060). 7th Sept. 1951.

13th Sept. 1951.
G. A. FARRELL (59018).
A. J. Hone (200991).
T. PILKINGTON (59030).
A. J. SPENCE, M.B.E. (59032).
J. SWAINSTON (59033).
W. A. TIDMAN (59035).
H. TWEDDELL (59036).
K. J. WINDER (59044).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:-21st Sept. 1951.

T. W. Bower (563860) K. S. Marpole (539880).R. Sanderson (561923).A. Satherley (565733). D. H. WILLIAMS (570426).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant W. A. NAYLOR (46280) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 22nd Sept. 1951.

Commission resigned.
Flight Lieutenant R. O. SNAPE (31466). 30th Aug. 1951.

# SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
Louis Frank MIDDLETON, D.F.C. (82729).
Oct. 1950. 1st

As Pilot Officer (permanent):—
591492 Sergeant Gordon Stafford Cross
(591492). 2nd Aug. 1951.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Peter Alfred Bellerby (199333). 17th Apr. 1951 (seniority 4th June 1947).

As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
3129956 Aircraftman 1st Class Nigel Sebastian Charnley Fish (3129956). 2nd Aug. 1951 (period of service to count from 2nd Aug. 1951).

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

30th Aug. 1951. 2056340 Sergeant Margaret Ainley (2056340). 2811051 Corporal Dorothy Mary CADM. CADMAN (2811051). 2810907 Leading Aircraftwoman Rosalie Joy MILLAR (2810907).

Officer Cadets.
30th Aug. 1951.
Pamela Dorothy 431485 GLADSTONE-MILLAR

(431485). 2815794 Jacqueline Hunter-Watts (2815794). 2815136 Anne Messer-Bennetts (2815136).

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH. Promotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
R. B. WALKER (200582). 6th Sept. 1951.
E. J. BALDOCK (196649). 12th Sept. 1951. Appointment to commission. As Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
2078141 Officer Cadet Pamela Constance WHITTAKER (2078141). 30th Aug. 1951. 13th Sept. 1951. W. W. Beattie (59045). R. J. Longstaff (59054). L. A. Walker (59057). K. E. NAISH, D.F.C. (45447). 7th June 1951.

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

A. B. VINCENT (8645). 6th Sept. 1951. 21st Sept. 1951. W. F. BURKE (137445). F. J. DINGLE (59061). J. L. Hunt (112668). 25th Sept. 1951. AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
W. D. KIEFFER (501777). 30th June 1951.
J. D. PAYLING (3118484). 28th July 1951. Transfer to reserve (national service list). Flying Officers:—

24th Sept. 1951.

E. H. Barlow, B.Sc. (2443265).

E. W. Hamley, B.Sc. (3122508).

J. K. Levitt, B.Sc. (3122500).

H. N. Robinson, B.Sc. (3122507). 22nd Sept. 1951. J. G. FIELDING (2418387). K. J. HITCHCOCK (3115707). Transfer between branches.
Flight Officer W. M. LUND-LINTON (5145),
W.R.A.F., to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining her existing rank and seniority. 4th Sept.
1951. MEDICAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission. As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Edgar Oldham Barnes, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
(144658). 27th Apr. 1951 (since promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader). Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant L. J. Tweed (138195) (and called up for air force service). 22nd Sept. 1951. As Flying Officer, short service (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Robert Fisher COGGINS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S..
L.R.C.P. (501796). 26th May 1951 (seniority 4th Apr. 1951) (substituted for notification of 10th July 1951) (p. 3748, col. 2)). Reversion to reserve.

Flying Officer S. C. A. Wilson (149445), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 10th Sept. Transfer to reserve (national service list). Pilot Officers:—

C. N. RICHARDSON (3122453). 22nd Sept. 1951.

A. J. A. LUTMAN (2443115). 23rd Sept. 1951.

M. W. LEGGATT (3122537). 25th Sept. 1951. As Flying Officer (national service):—
Peter Howard, M.B., B.S. (502025). 20th Aug. 1951. Promotion. Retirement. Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:— H. R. KEFFORD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (138853). 12th June 1951. Squadron Leader R. G. P. JAGGARD, M.B.E. (21252) (at own request) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 6th Sept. 1951. S. M. Bieber, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23379). 6th July 1951. ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— M. J. LINNETT, M.B., B.S. (501351). 27th July 1951 (seniority 28th July 1950) (substituted for notification of 7th Aug. 1951 (p. 4222, col. 1)). Appointment to commission. As Pilot Officer, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

2485597 Corporal Raymond Walter VARLEY (2485597). 2nd Aug. 1951 (period of service to count from 2nd Aug. 1951). 1st Sept. 1951. D. Davis, M.B., Ch.B. (501389). K. Wade, M.B., Ch.B. (501399). Extension of service. 6th Sept. 1951 W. A. HENDERSON, M.B., Ch.B. (501441) (seniority 20th Aug. 1950).
J. D. KEIR, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (501442) (seniority 6th Sept. 1950). The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader R. Whitty (121750) is extended to eight years with effect from 15th May 1947. Promotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
A. F. BARCLAY (59908). 25th Aug. 1951.
A. A. WALLER (59068). 19th Sept. 1951. Acting rank. Air Commodore E. D. D. DICKSON, C.B.E., M.D., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. (Edin.), D.L.O., K.H.S.. is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 28th Aug. Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Pilot Officer A. C. CESSFORD (2442817). 22nd Sept. 1951. Transfer to reserve (national service list). ransfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenants:—

25th Sept. 1951.

G. D. Allen, M.B., B.S. (500859).

J. R. Bennett, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500822).

A. V. Coleman, M.B., Ch.B. (500878).

J. L. Cotton, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500825).

F. W. M. H. Daly, M.B., Ch.B. (500884).

P. R. Fleming, M.B., B.S. (500799).

C. E. D. Hearn, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500796). AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH. Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Arthur Ernest Feather (44870). 22nd May 1951. As Flying Officer (permanent):—
James Joseph Clenaghan (178007). 19th Apr. 1951. As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Geoffrey Richard Davies (173078). 27th Aug. 1951 (seniority 15th Oct. 1950). (500796). 500796).

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

R. N. C. LOCKEY, M.B., B.S. (500828).

H. C. McGilp, M.B., Ch.B. (500855).

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

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

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).

F. E. WEALE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500807). As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Peter Stuart Brown, D.F.C. (195045). 27th Aug. 1951 (seniority 29th Dec. 1949).

(500807). F. W. WIGZELL, M.B., Ch.B. (500863). Retirement. Air Vice-Marshal T. C. St.C. MORTON, C.B., O.B.E., M.D., Ch.B., F.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.P.M., D.T.M. & H. (at own request). 25th Sept. 1951.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
K. F. Moore (150273). 10th Sept. 1951.
E. J. HARGRAVE (183548). 21st Sept. 1951.

Flying Officer R. E. HECTOR (205285) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 18th July 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— G. C. Lynch (182470). 8th Sept. 1951.

Transfer between branches.

# DENTAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-

I. J. STEWART, L.D.S. (501418). 1st Sept. 1951.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenants.

25th Sept. 1951.
D. J. W. Foster, L.D.S. (500833).
D. Franks, B.D.S. (500874).
A. Goldthorpe, B.Ch.D., L.D.S. (500834).
P. L. James, L.D.S. (500835).
B. de V. Walker, B.D.S., L.D.S. (500836).

# CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Chaplains, short service (three years on the active list) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader :-

28th Aug. 1951. Thomas Freyne (126135) (seniority 15th Rev.

July 1944). Rev. John Alexander Lapsley Invine, B.A. (502015) (seniority 30th Aug. 1945).

The Rev. F. E. H. Trevor, B.A. (38055), is granted the relative rank of Wing Commander. 15th Sept. 1951.

The Rev. J. E. Bryant, B.A. (501384), is granted the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 18th Sept. 1951.

#### EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Michael Pursey, B.Sc. (502004). 22nd Aug. 1951.

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

22nd Aug. 1951. Patrick Edward Birney, B.A. (501975). Laurence Joseph Clancy, B.Sc. (502003). Illtyd Rhys Lloyd, B.Sc. (501978). Graham Neale, B.Sc. (501974). Joseph Harry Newman, B.A. (502012).

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

22nd Aug. 1951.
Lionel Francis Green, B.Sc. (502005).
David Noel Owen JACQUES, B.A. (501977).
Brian Patterson JAMES, B.Met. (502010).
Robert Arthur KNOWLES, B.A. (502000).
Eric Anthony Nicholson, B.Sc. (501976).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-

K. O'D. Troy, B.Sc. (500387). 10th Aug. 1951. H. G. Flegg, M.A. (188879). 6th Sept. 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: — K. W. COTTAM, B.A. (3128033). 21st Sept. 1951.

Transfer between branches and reversion to lower

Flight Lieutenant K. W. MARTIN (500702) is transferred to the Secretarial Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 25th July 1951 (seniority 4th May 1951).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officers:—
G. H. ELLISON, B.A. (2446414). 21st Sept. 1951.

24th Sept. 1951.

A. BICKERS, B.Sc. (2443237).

H. L. L. LEACH, B.Com. (2443261).

Temporary commission relinquished.
Group Captain S. BARRACLOUGH, M.B.E., retaining his rank. 21st Sept. 1951.

# PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent):—
522530 Warrant Officer Clifford Scorr (522530). 2nd Aug. 1951.

# CATERING BRANCH.

Retirement.

Flight Officer H. M. Green (6235), W.R.A.F. (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 19th Sept. 1951.

# PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Wilfred Mervyn Mullings (501949). 27th Aug.

1951 (seniority 10th Sept. 1950).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Pilot Officer W. THOMSON (3122340). 16th Sept.

#### NCESS MARY'S F NURSING SERVICE. PRINCESS ROYAL AIR FORCE

Appointment to commission.
As Flight Officer (permanent):—
Betty Beal. (6612). 10th July 1951.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended by one year with effect from 20th Sept. 1951:—
Flight Officer R. E. Balley (6046).
Flying Officer J. METCALFE (6739).

# ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion

Flving Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— L. G. Walker (58326). 24th May 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
1st Mar. 1951.
J. G. B. Moulsdale (3053666) (seniority 18th June 1948).

M. C. Newell (2237928) (seniority 16th Sept.

1948)

# EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— W. McBain (198473). 1st Sept. 1951.

# SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class CC).
As Squadron Leaders:—

28th Aug. 1951.
Raymond William Harvey (192316).
John Frederick Paisley (300025).
Henry Lowe Wadeson (300026).

Hector William McKelvie (300027). 30th Aug. 1951.

As Flight Lieutenants:

29th Aug. 1951. George Ronald Alexander (300023). Frank Packard (300024).

As Flying Officer: Eric Francis Quick (300029). 30th Aug. 1951.

Commission relinquished (class CC), Squadron Leader W. H. E. Tew (192441) (on cessation of duty). 24th Aug. 1951.

# ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion.

Commond.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
C. TAYLOR (91258). 1st Apr. 1950 (seniority 12th Apr. 1948).
A. F. FROST (124830). 16th July 1951.

Transfer between branches.
Flight Lieutenant J. Tilston (174222) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 7th Aug. 1951.

Notification amended.

19th June 1951 (p. 3359, col. 2) concerning H. L. MOWBRAY (182754) for Flying Officer read Pilot Officer.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant K. N. HASELWOOD (47271) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 14th July 1951.

# TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
R. A. Wilby (145550). 1st Apr. 1950.
R. M. PONTEFRACT (197902). 1st Feb. 1951.
W. R. BRACE (156860). 1st Aug. 1951.
Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
R. H. WHITLEY (611628). 2nd July 1950.

# EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— R. J. McG. MeLVIN (132454). 1st Jan. 1951 (seniority 1st Jan. 1950). C. E. M. HANSEL (31322). 7th Apr. 1951.

# SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— K. Blashill (134779). 1st Sept. 1950.

1st Apr. 1951. MAINLAND, M.B.E. (91294) (seniority 1st Apr. 1950). R. K. SMITH (117833).

N. NICHOLSON (137849). 16th July 1951 (seniority 20th Mar. 1951).

R. A. Jones (106874). 1st Sept. 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F.:—P. M. THOMAS (3471). 1st Aug. 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
K. McC. Baldwin (2691526). 29th
W. A. Ure (2691527). 8th July 1951. 29th June 1951.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer R. J. AYLING (153442) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 4th Sept. 1951.

# AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— R. J. Murton (103897). 31st May 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— R. P. Mackrell (2691508). 1st July 1951.

# FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:— M. G. Pearson (60927). 9th July 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
J. C. Bulleyment (104919). 1st Apr. 1950.
J. Adamson (115660). 1st Aug. 1950.
G. Newall, D.F.M. (52664). 1st Oct. 1950.
K. Newton, D.F.M. (187993). 1st Jan. 1951.

1st Aug. 1951. C. D. Davies (110402). F. H. Harrison, D.F.C., D.F.M. (148805).

# ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Emergency commission section).

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. T. GILLESPIE (115629). 1st June 1951.

Flight Lieutenant G. R. DAVIES (173078) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 27th Aug. 1951.

# ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer A. C. K. ROBERTSON (162706) (on appointment to the Royal Navy). 8th Aug. 1949.

Retention of rank.

The permission granted to Flying Officer L. E. Thevenard (104114) to retain the rank of Flight Lieutenant, notified in London Gazette (Supplement) of 21st Nov. 1944 (p. 5333, col. 1), is withdrawn with effect from 10th July 1951.

# CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

The Rev. T. Freyne (126135) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 28th Aug. 1951.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section).

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

1st Mar. 1951.

J. K. KEATES, A.F.C. (113955) (seniority 6th

J. K. KEATES, A.F.C. (113955) (seniority 6th June 1947).

H. ALMOND, D.S.O., D.F.C. (106110) (seniority 10th Dec. .1947).

M. A. RICHARDSON, D.F.C. (115442) (seniority

10th Dec. 1947).
A. W. MARTIN, D.F.C. (78254) (seniority 24th

A. W. MARTIN, D.F.C. (78254) (seniority 24th May 1948).
B. R. T. RAMSBOTTOM (128926) (seniority 6th June 1948).

I. A. KAYES (85283) (seniority 14th June 1948). H. V. KING (62256) (seniority 16th June 1948). M. L. W. Britchford (48749) (seniority 19th

M. L. W. BRITCHFORD (10.77), [1.10]

July 1948).

W. H. HUGHES, D.F.C., D.F.M. (159079)

(seniority 20th Aug. 1948).

J. S. FIFIELD, D.F.C., A.F.C. (83274) (seniority 29th Oct. 1948).

R. R. GLASS, D.F.C. (104445) (seniority 10th Jan. 1940)

S. C. Josling, D.F.C. (150408) (seniority 14th Jan. 1949).
W. F. Plumpton (136203). (seniority 21st Jan.

1949). W. KENWORTHY (127341) (seniority 21st Feb.

1949).

J. W. Franklin (70228) (seniority 3rd Mar. 1949).

H. R. Selkirk, D.F.C. (48784) (seniority 20th Mar. 1949).

R. Plenderleith, D.F.C. (139411) (seniority 27th

May 1949).
C. DAWSON (164013) (seniority 1st July 1949).
P. E. ABBOTT (205100) (seniority 12th July 1949).
M. J. SEALES (125709) (seniority 18th July 1949).
B. C. FLEMING (144036) (seniority 20th July

1949). T. G. KNOX (162008) (seniority 22nd July 1949).
M. F. MOORE (130987) (seniority 11th Aug. 1949).
M. J. FROST, D.F.C. (144786) (seniority 17th Aug. 1949).
J. K. MOODIE (107255) (seniority 31st Aug. 1949).
R. G. MCQUAKER, D.F.C. (148820) (seniority 14th

Sept. 1949).
J. T. ROBSON (116557) (seniority 6th Oct. 1949).
A. P. WALKER, D.F.M. (178372) (seniority 21st

Oct. 1949).
T. P. THATCHER (181090) (seniority 22nd Oct. 1949).

H. J. SKUDDER (163949) (seniority 1st Nov. 1949).
D. J. T. SYME, D.F.C. (159076) (seniority 9th Nov. 1949).
W. BOWER (151034) (seniority 24th Nov. 1949).
A. MORTON (119806) (seniority 6th Feb. 1950).
J. DUBBURY, D.F.C. (142851) (seniority 28th Feb. 1950).

1950).

R. HOUSTON (112370) (seniority 4th Mar. 1950).

R. S. SOWTER (153023) (seniority 18th Mar. 1950). G. R. J. BRITTAIN (183240) (seniority 13th Apr. 1950).

F. BROUITT (150934) (seniority 27th Apr. 1950).

W. H. LOVESY (146993) (seniority 1st May 1950). E. C. Rowe (165340) (seniority 16th May 1950).
J. J. RICE (167860) (seniority 27th June 1950).
E. W. Poole (142578) (seniority 15th Aug. 1950).
L. F. ROBERTS (166664) (seniority 17th Aug.

1950). R. Kennaway (142895) (seniority 10th Sept.

G. R. WHITTARD, D.F.C. (79742) (seniority 15th Sept. 1950).
D. C. F. HAGGIS (180281) (seniority 23rd Sept. 1950).

G. MACKIE (163994) (seniority 30th Sept.

(L. Thomson (111969) (seniority 30th Sept. 1950). K. A. E. TRUSLER (137610) 1950).

1950).

L. G. SLEVEN (178800) (seniority 13th Oct. 1950).
A. A. HARDING (152383) (seniority 24th Oct.

1950). F. R. LAMBETH (165327) (seniority 26th Oct.

S. A. WALKER (152654) (seniority 1st Dec. 1950). L. H. SANDOW (111977) (seniority 19th Dec. 1950).

 J. H. BEDFORD (151510) (seniority 4th Jan. 1951).
 K. R. NASH (198283) (seniority 13th Jan. 1951).
 G. CAMPBELL (138088) (seniority 25th Jan. 1951). D.F.C., D.F.M. (118093)

М. В. BERNDSSON, D.F.C., D.F.M. (1180 (seniority 27th Jan. 1951).
В. Ненік (180530) (seniority 19th Feb. 1951).

D. H EASBY (193381). 10th Mar. 1951.

M. HUNTER (141135). 8th Apr. 1951. T. J. EASBY (193380). 22nd May 1951. J. M. MAGINN (170119). 4th June 1951. E. J. MOORE (173588). 13th June 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

1st Mar. 1951.

B. F. F. ELY (1809061) (seniority 2nd June 1949). R. BEVAN (197767) (seniority 22nd Jan. 1950). W. T. STACEY (201206) (seniority 19th Nov. 1950). D. M. STONEHAM (2603251) (seniority 16th Feb. 1951).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. A. K. OGILVIE (126971).

28th July 1951.

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

Flight Lieutenants:

23rd Apr. 1951.
R. COLEBROOK (135614).
R. H. C. PRYCE (150193).
G. A. WALKER (113499) (substituted for notification of 28th Aug. 1951 (p. 4551, col. 1)).

Flying Officers:

F. W. G. Meadows (181428). 23rd Apr. 1951. R. D. Buswell (160974). 7th June 1951 (substituted for notification of 31st July 1951 (p. 4105, col. 2)).

# TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: 1st Mar. 1951.

G. FISCHELES (77293) (seniority 28th Oct. 1948).

A. (HUNT (83363) (seniority 25th Nov. 1948).
D. A. WEALE (102159) (seniority 22nd Feb. 1949).
P. K. BROWN (61316) (seniority 26th Apr. 1949).

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer P. MILLS (205631) (on appointment to the Army). 10th Sept. 1951.

# EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-

1st Mar. 1951.
R. (H. CAIN (75930) (seniority 24th Sept. 1948).
C. P. RENSHAW (79976) (seniority 5th Mar. 1949).
C. H. B. Rose (106292) (seniority 23rd Mar. 1949).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-

1st Mar. 1951.
W. Manton (76995) (seniority 23rd Feb. 1949).

C. D. LAND (106333) (seniority 23rd Oct. 1949). L. M. HERITAGE (80920) (seniority 4th Dec. 1949). J. Evans (172664) (seniority 24th Aug. 1950).

Commission relinquished (honorary).
Flight Lieutenant D. J. Gallagher (192673) (on cessation of duty). 6th Aug. 1951.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

#### TRAINING BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer C. R. KNUTTON (188017) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 21st Aug. 1951.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers:—

F. P. REED (173671). 31st Dec. 1945.

31st (Mar. 1949. W. J. James, M.M. (119393). T. D. Stroud (113635). W. R. Vellacott (158352).

L. E. STOCKWELL (173997). 18th Peb. 1951.
D. O. P. WOODGATE (1409281). 11th July 1951.
J. S. THOMPSON (125049). 24th July 1951.

Pilot Officers:

J. STIRRUP (202122). 21st June 1948. H. F. Jenner (1226128). 1st Dec. 1950. H. Cowlard (204875). 17th July 1951.

Commission terminated.

Flying Officers:

6th Sept. 1951.
W. C. R. BOYD (144718).
W. J. FINCH (114553).

Pilot Officers:-

6th Sept. 1951.

C. Brown (126401)

A. C. EDWARDS (108293). H. A. ELLIOT (69221). A. N. HARRIS (138525). R. JACKSON (133152). H. D. STEPHEN-EVANS (110693),

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