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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Appointment to commission.*

*As Pilot Officers (permanent):—*

19th Sept. 1951.

Geoffrey CLARKE (2600164) (seniority 19th Dec. 1949).

David Brownrigg CRAIG (2600048) (seniority 19th Dec. 1949).

John Desmond PENROSE (2600684) (seniority 19th June 1950).

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

Robert William SMITH, D.F.M. (131882). 16th July 1951 (seniority 16th July 1951).

Harold James MORTIMORE (501900). 3rd Sept. 1951.

Richard John BARNES, D.F.C. (66005). 5th Sept. 1951 (seniority 5th Sept. 1951).

John Terence RILEY (187696). 17th Sept. 1951 (seniority 17th Sept. 1951).

Peter John Stanley CHAPLE (123101). 18th Sept. 1951 (seniority 18th Sept. 1951).

Roy MOLYNEUX (167987). 1st Oct. 1951 (seniority 4th Jan. 1951).

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

Jack Walter THOMPSON (196098). 23rd Apr. 1951 (seniority 3rd Sept. 1950).

Bernard Anthony McCABE (196240). 4th Sept. 1951 (seniority 3rd Jan. 1951).

Peter George SOUTH (163388). 10th Sept. 1951 (seniority 29th Dec. 1949).

17th Sept. 1951.

John Ernest STRANOE (165556) (seniority 24th Jan. 1950).

John Victor WEEKS (185009) (seniority 17th Nov. 1950).

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

*Cadet Pilots.*

28th June 1951.

4054922 Julian Francis ALDERTON (4054922) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054418 John Edward BOWLER (4054418) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054401 Maurice Bertram BUTLER (4054401) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054415 John Stanley CHAMBERS (4054415) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4033169 Donald Frank CHRISTMAS (4033169) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054923 John Francis Anthony COLSTON (4054923) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

2433683 Derek Leslie DAVIES (2433683) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4049135 Harry Myddleton FISHER (4049135) (period of service to count from 6th Dec. 1950).

4030795 Alan Leslie FLETCHER (4030795) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

2321779 Kenneth Eugene FOSTER (2321779) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

2434777 Richard Arthur FRANCIS (2434777) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054928 George Charles GAYTON (4054928) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3407764 David Hubert GENTRY (3407764) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3508815 John Martin GISBORNE (3508815) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3507675 Hebert Vernon GRAVES (3507675) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054403 Thomas Trevor HALL (4054403) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3508824 David John HARRIES (3508824) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054918 Donald Gill HEADLEY (4054918) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054921 Michael Cedric HEMPSTEAD (4054921) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3508825 Frank William Anthony HOLLINS (3508825) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054419 Michael HORROCKS (4054419) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054431 John Michael HOWARD-JOHNSTON (4054431) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3508784 Peter Inglis JOHNSON (3508784) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054781 Harry George KEELING (4054781) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

3508689 Charles Bernard LEWIS (3508689) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054917 Brian Broadbent LONG (4054917) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4054919 Brian Compton LONG (4054919) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

4045635 Ronald Alexander LORD (4045635) (period of service to count from 10th Jan. 1951).

*As Flight Lieutenant, short service (eight years on the active list (A.M.O. A.269/51)) :—*

Chris Younger BROWNLOW (48885). 8th Sept. 1951 (seniority 8th Sept. 1951).

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

Roy Norman ELLIOTT (174422). 23rd Apr. 1951. (seniority 14th Jan. 1950).

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

Richard George BETHELL (153526). 12th July 1951 (seniority 17th Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the Fighter Control Branch 12th Sept. 1951 (seniority 17th Sept. 1949)).

#### Promotion.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

A. B. CLAYTON (582210). 2nd Aug. 1951.  
G. K. MARSDEN (579754). 28th Aug. 1951.  
V. T. G. TAYLOR (2424285). 30th Aug. 1951.  
16th Sept. 1951.

J. P. F. De SALIS (3504858).

D. R. J. HALL (582219).

#### Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer D. MacG. STEWART (58052) to the Aircraft Control Branch, retaining his rank. 13th Aug. 1951 (seniority 18th Oct. 1946).

#### Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant J. F. NIVEN (59493) (and called up for air force service). 15th Oct. 1951.

#### Retirement.

Air Chief Marshal Sir George C. PIRIE, K.C.B., K.B.E., M.C., D.F.C., LL.D. (at own request). 15th Oct. 1951.

Flight Lieutenant V. PHILLIPS, D.S.O. (45749) (and re-employed on the active list). 1st Sept. 1951.

Flight Lieutenant A. W. BEDFORD, A.F.C. (169901) (at own request). 15th Sept. 1951.

#### Temporary commission relinquished.

*Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to short service commissions):—*

R. G. BETHELL (153526). 12th July 1951.

R. MOLYNEUX (167987). 1st Oct. 1951.

#### Emergency commission relinquished.

*Flight Lieutenants:—*

C. Y. BROWNLOW (48885) (on appointment to a short service commission). 8th Sept. 1951.

N. F. McLEOD (48695) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining his rank. 26th May 1951.

Flying Officer R. J. JOHNSTON (55558) (on enlistment in the R.Aux.A.F.) 2nd July 1949. (Permission granted to retain the rank of Flying Officer with effect from 9th Aug. 1951.)

#### Commission terminated.

Acting Pilot Officer (on probation) P. F. SMITH (2501837) (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.). 29th Aug. 1951.

### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

#### Appointment to commission.

*As Pilot Officer (permanent):—*

Geoffrey Bryning TYLER, B.Sc., D.C.Ae. (2600837). 19th Sept. 1951 (seniority 19th Dec. 1949).

#### Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant J. BEARDMORE (144904) (and called up for air force service). 13th Oct. 1951.

#### Emergency commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. H. CAVENEY (50642) (on appointment to a short service commission). 18th Sept. 1951.

### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

#### Appointment to commission.

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

John Perrott MALING (3125313). 11th Aug. 1951 (seniority 31st Aug. 1950).

*As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list (A.M.O. A.269/51)):—*

James Henry CAVENEY (50642). 18th Sept. 1951 (seniority 6th Oct. 1949).

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

Michael John CROSS (2467819). 7th June 1951 (seniority 26th Oct. 1950).

#### Transfer to reserve (national service list).

*Pilot Officers:—*

6th Oct. 1951.

E. S. DUCKWORTH (3122722).

R. SHELTON (2444458).

#### National service commission relinquished.

*Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service commissions):—*

M. J. CROSS (2467819). 7th June 1951.

J. P. MALING (3125313). 11th Aug. 1951.

### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

#### Appointment to commission.

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

Samuel Eric THOMPSON (502044). 10th Sept. 1951.

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

Thomas Eric TABER (157743). 26th Sept. 1950 (seniority 21st Nov. 1946) (and transferred to the Fighter Control Branch on appointment) (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant) (substituted for notification of 2nd Jan. 1951 (p. 63, col. 2)).

Peter Carl THORNS (135286). 18th Sept. 1951 (seniority 19th Aug. 1950).

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

2815800 Officer Cadet Lilith Madeline KEMBER (2815800). 30th Aug. 1951 (seniority 15th July 1951).

Marjorie Ruth HAWKE (4768). 3rd Sept. 1951 (seniority 22nd Dec. 1949).

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

Terence BLOUNT (2438499). 23rd June 1951 (seniority 9th Mar. 1950).

*As Flight Lieutenant, short service (five years on the active list (A.M.O. A.269/51)):—*

Samuel George KILFORD (53976). 22nd June 1951 (seniority 22nd June 1951).

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

Bryan George SMITH (3122062). 10th May 1951 (seniority 9th Mar. 1950).

#### Notification amended.

12th June 1951 (p. 3231, col. 2) concerning Ronald Henry Charles POWLING (85682) for "(and transferred to the General Duties Branch 18th Jan. 1951 (seniority 15th Feb. 1947))" read "(and transferred to the General Duties Branch 19th Oct. 1950 (seniority 19th Dec. 1945))."

7th Aug. 1951 (p. 4221, col. 1) concerning William Hetherington ARD (53523) for (seniority 5th Mar. 1950) read (seniority 5th Mar. 1949).

#### Promotion.

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

R. C. THORNTON (199656). 23rd Aug. 1951.

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

N. B. REDLER (8515). 3rd Oct. 1951.

#### Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer D. E. BIGNELL (159338) to the Technical Branch, retaining his rank. 21st Sept. 1951 (seniority 31st Dec. 1949).

#### Notification amended.

8th May 1951 (p. 2583, col. 2) concerning J. V. BERGGREN, D.F.C. (40459) for (seniority 13th Nov. 1945) read (seniority 13th Nov. 1944).

#### Transfer to reserve.

Flight Officer L. I. DAWSON (4671), W.R.A.F. 29th Sept. 1951.

#### Transfer to reserve (national service list).

*Pilot Officers:—*

A. J. BIDDULPH (3122596). 30th Sept. 1951.

6th Oct. 1951.

B. P. DENCER (2444343).

R. L. HICKS (3122714).

A. M. NISBET (3122706).

P. STEPHENS (2444311).

J. W. L. GRAHAM (2444786). 7th Oct. 1951.

#### Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant W. ALLEN, M.B.E. (44338), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 13th Oct. 1951.

#### Notification amended.

4th Sept. 1951 (p. 4667, col. 1) concerning C. M. HARRIS (58444) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

#### Temporary commission relinquished.

Flying Officer E. G. CLARKE (161371) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 14th Oct. 1951.

#### National service commission relinquished.

*Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service commissions):—*

B. G. SMITH (3122062). 10th May 1951.

T. BLOUNT (2438499). 23rd June 1951.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.***Appointment to commission.*

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

Donald Ullathorne TAYLOR (3126885). 20th June 1951 (seniority 9th Nov. 1950).

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

R. E. BOWMAN (57685). 7th June 1951.

*Notification amended.*

14th Aug. 1951 (p. 4322, col. 2) concerning R. B. J. S. MORSE (197300) for (197300) read (195300).

*Transfer to reserve.*

Flying Officer N. S. PATERSON (203288) (and called up for air force service). 16th Oct. 1951.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).*

Pilot Officer A. F. J. LOPTHOUSE (2431441). 7th Oct. 1951.

*National service commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer D. U. TAYLOR (3126885) (on appointment to a short service commission). 20th June 1951.

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

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

Terence Joseph MOONEY (157523). 18th June 1951 (seniority 9th Nov. 1949).

George White WARREN (122907). 21st Sept. 1951 (seniority 6th June 1948).

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

Ian Beaumont BOND (153325). 5th Sept. 1951 (seniority 5th May 1950).

10th Sept. 1951.

Robert McROBBIE, D.F.C. (132194) (seniority 16th Nov. 1949).

John Patrick MURRAY (173271) (seniority 22nd Apr. 1951).

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

A. R. L. TAQ (175079). 7th June 1951.

*Transfer between branches.**Notification amended.*

12th June 1951 (p. 3232, col. 1) concerning W. FOSTER, A.F.C., D.F.M. (45124) for (seniority 21st Jan. 1946) read (seniority 21st Jan. 1945).

*Transfer to reserve.*

Flying Officer W. A. McKENNA (136887) (and called up for air force service). 16th Oct. 1951.

*Temporary commission relinquished.*

*Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to short service commissions):—*

T. J. MOONEY (157523). 18th June 1951.

G. W. WARREN (122907). 21st Sept. 1951.

**FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

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

Lewin Samuel TUGWELL (131185). 3rd Sept. 1951 (seniority 24th Sept. 1950).

Eric Oliver TOWERS (118905). 4th Sept. 1951 (seniority 10th Apr. 1948).

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

Edward James ANDREWS (2467325). 13th July 1951 (seniority 11th Jan. 1951).

*Transfer between branches.*

Flight Lieutenant J. A. C. HOUGHTON (77356) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 21st Sept. 1951.

*National service commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer E. J. ANDREWS (2467325) (on appointment to a short service commission). 13th July 1951.

*Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.):—*

12th Aug. 1951.

A. H. KURTZ (2439065).

B. A. WHITE (3121867).

J. H. HYDE (3121997). 27th Aug. 1951.

**AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Squadron Leader (temporary):—*

Horace Declan Michael SEYMOUR, B.Eng., A.M.I.C.E. (135164). 17th Sept. 1951.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).*

Flying Officer F. W. GREGORY, B.Eng. (2443241). 6th Oct. 1951.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

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

Richard ROWLANDSON, M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.S., L.M.S.S.A. (502073). 1st July 1951 (seniority 5th Apr. 1945) (and seconded to the London Chest Hospital with effect from 1st July 1951).

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

3rd Sept. 1951.

Frank Tatham HUNT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502036).

Frank Gordon JOHNSON, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501985).

Charles Roland LEESON, M.B., B.Ch. (2600120).

Thomas Sydney LEESON, M.B., B.Ch. (2600121).

*As Flying Officer (national service):—*

Charles Anthony ROGERSON, M.B., B.Ch. (502042). 3rd Sept. 1951.

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

J. DE CHOISY, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501286). 29th June 1951 (seniority 29th Dec. 1950) (substituted for notification of 24th July 1951 (p. 3989, col. 2)).

D. G. KAY, M.B., Ch.B. (501394). 1st Sept. 1951.

*Transfer to reserve.*

Flight Lieutenant A. STEWART, M.B., Ch.B. (203851) (and called up for air force service). 15th Oct. 1951.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).*

*Flight Lieutenants:—*

25th Sept. 1951.

J. A. CLARK, M.B., Ch.B. (500866).

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

H. M. G. EWAN, M.B., Ch.B. (2607954). 26th Sept. 1951.

*National service commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant D. McK. K. MUIR, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (500762) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.). 25th July 1951.

**DENTAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

*As Flying Officers (national service):—*

3rd Sept. 1951.

Douglas Leslie Issac ALBERT, B.D.S., L.D.S. (502037).

Jack ARNOT, L.D.S. (502052).

Francis William BRIGLMEN, L.D.S. (501994).

Robert Alexander DARLING, L.D.S. (502038).

Geoffrey Evan HARPER, B.D.S., L.D.S. (502041).

Trevor Thomas Peter SANSOME, L.D.S. (501995).

David Scott SHOVELTON, B.D.S., L.D.S. (502039).

Peter WALKER, L.D.S. (502040).

**EDUCATION BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.*

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

Peter Roy QUICK, B.A. (201010). 10th Sept. 1951.

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

5th Sept. 1951.

John Francis CLAY, B.A. (502017).

John James McCAFFERTY, B.Sc. (502043).

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

Ronald Lewis PICK, B.Sc. (501988). 5th Sept. 1951.

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

Brian Thomas BROOKS, B.A. (2484166). 28th June 1951 (seniority 28th June 1951).

Noel Charles SKERMAN, B.A. (3128633). 12th July 1951 (seniority 12th July 1951).

5th Sept. 1951.

Kenneth John BLADON (501999).  
 Jules Patrick CAMPBELL, B.A. (502035).  
 Stanley Hubert GREY, B.A. (502046).  
 Arthur John Derek JENNINGS, B.Sc. (502029).  
 Ronald Stanley LODGE, B.A. (502032).  
 William Daniel WILSON, B.A. (502030).

*As Pilot Officer, short service (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*  
 Charles HAROLD, M.A. (502031). 5th Sept. 1951.

**Promotion.**

*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

J. GATISS, B.Sc. (126965). 12th Aug. 1951.  
 T. E. W. EVANS, B.A. (69618). 29th Sept. 1951.

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

G. M. TOWNSEND, B.A. (8611). 1st Sept. 1951.

**Notification cancelled.**

29th May 1951 (p. 2939, col. 2) concerning  
 A. OWEN, B.Sc. (2464351).

**Transfer to reserve.****Notification amended.**

17th Apr. 1951 (p. 2181, col. 2) concerning  
 E. T. F. KINGSTON (3450) W.R.A.F., for 4th Apr.  
 1951 read 5th Apr. 1951.

**Transfer to reserve (national service list).****Flying Officers:—**

R. A. DUDLEY, B.Sc. (2454881). 1st Oct. 1951.

8th Oct. 1951.

N. M. NOBLE, B.Sc. (2446328).

B. G. SAUNDERS, B.A. (2446326).

**National service commission relinquished.**

*Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service commissions):—*

B. T. BROOKS, B.A. (2484166). 28th June 1951.

N. C. SKERMAN, B.A. (3128633). 12th July 1951.

**PROVOST BRANCH.****Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of Flight  
 Lieutenant P. E. BOND (105662) is extended to five  
 years with effect from 7th Nov. 1946.

**Transfer to reserve.****Notification cancelled.**

5th Dec. 1950 (p. 6071, col. 2) concerning P. E.  
 BOND (105662).

**CATERING BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

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

John Adrian REES (502006). 17th Sept. 1951  
 (seniority 21st Dec. 1948).

**Promotion.**

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

J. K. JACKSON (2322154). 22nd 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):—*

Clement MATHEWS (190420). 11th Sept. 1951  
 (seniority 11th Sept. 1951).

**PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.****Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of the  
 undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by one  
 year with effect from 11th Oct. 1951:—

M. GARDINER (6752).

V. C. JOULE (6758).

**Commission relinquished.****Flying Officers:—**

11th Oct. 1951.

M. E. DARWEN (6754).

O. EVANS-JONES (6748).

W. H. HART-DAVIES (6753).

H. A. SPAREY (6749).

**ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Commission relinquished.**

Flight Lieutenant R. W. SMITH, D.F.M. (131882)  
 (on appointment to a short service commission in  
 the R.A.F.). 16th July 1951.

Squadron Leader D. SECRETAN (41746) (on  
 appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) re-  
 taining the rank of Wing Commander. 9th June  
 1951.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (class CC).****As Squadron Leader:—**

John William Henry SEWELL (71922). 15th Oct.  
 1951.

**Commission relinquished (class CC).****The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):—**

Squadron Leader C. W. HUBBLE (192772). 13th  
 Sept. 1951.

Flight Lieutenant D. K. RYAN (192865). 8th  
 Sept. 1951.

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.****Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer R. BELL (53458) (on appointment  
 to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 20th Aug. 1951.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.****Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant  
 C. W. S. MARRIS, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23406) is  
 extended by three years with effect from 5th June  
 1951.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**

(Reconstituted.)

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

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

Dennis SECRETAN, D.F.C. (41746). 9th June 1951  
 (seniority 9th May 1951).

Edward Phil CHURCH (159882). 5th July 1951  
 (seniority 25th May 1951).

Wallace Ian COVINGTON, D.F.C. (119537). 30th  
 Aug. 1951 (seniority 30th May 1951).

**As Flying Officer (two years):—**

Norman Finlay MCLEOD (48695). 26th May  
 1951 (seniority 2nd Apr. 1951).

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

Edward Hubert Thomas HOWLETT (2685596).  
 25th June 1951.

Murray Gordon WHITE (91371). 5th July 1951  
 (seniority 22nd June 1951).

Eric BAXENDALE (2687513). 17th July 1951.

Robert John JOHNSTON (55558). 9th Aug. 1951.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

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

James LOCKHART (201344). 3rd Mar. 1951  
 (seniority 20th Feb. 1951).

**Promotion.**

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

L. B. WILLCOCKS (197730). 23rd Aug. 1951.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.****Promotion.**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

L. WILLIAMS (178363). 10th Sept. 1951.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.****Appointment to commission.**

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

Maurice Johnson STOAKES (169471). 11th May  
 1951.

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

Norman William MAHY (205269). 23rd July  
 1951.

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

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

Ronald BELL (53458). 20th Aug. 1951 (seniority  
 3rd July 1951).

**Promotion.**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

J. W. WILTSHIRE (157015). 1st Sept. 1951.

**FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

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

Harold Allen SETH (171506). 22nd June 1951.

*As Flying Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F. (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

Ursula Mary ROBERTSON (1434). 22nd June 1951.

*As Pilot Officers (until 18th Jan. 1955):—*

12th Aug. 1951.

Alan Henry KURTZ (2439065).

Brian Aubrey WHITE (3121867).

*As Pilot Officer (until 2nd Feb. 1955):—*

John Henry HYDE (3121997). 27th Aug. 1951.

*As Pilot Officers, W.R.Aux.A.F. (five years and five years on the reserve):—*

Gladys Mary CRITCHLEY (2655654). 2nd June 1951.

Ernestine Mary Miles TAYLOR (2655473). 10th June 1951.

2nd July 1951.

Margaret Cousar Wilson LAWSON (2659180).

Sheila Morag WATERS (2659333).

#### *Promotion.*

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

K. H. WELLMAN (142194). 12th Sept. 1951 (seniority 12th Sept. 1950).

#### *Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer B. A. McCABE (196240) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 4th Sept. 1951.

#### **MEDICAL BRANCH.**

##### *Appointment to commission.*

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

Ian Henderson CAMERON, M.B., Ch.B. (163670). 27th June 1951 (seniority 16th Feb. 1951).

#### **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:—*

5th Sept. 1951.

R. J. BARNES, D.F.C. (66005).

I. B. BOND (153325).

R. McROBBIE, D.F.C. (132194). 10th Sept. 1951.

17th Sept. 1951.

J. T. RILEY (187696).

J. E. STRANGE (165556).

P. J. S. CHAPLE (123101). 18th Sept. 1951.

##### *Flying Officers:—*

P. R. QUICK (201010). 10th Sept. 1951.

C. MATHEWS (190420). 11th Sept. 1951.

J. V. WEEKS (185009). 17th Sept. 1951.

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

M. J. STOAKES (169471). 11th May 1951.

H. A. SETH (171506). 22nd June 1951.

I. H. CAMERON (163670). 27th June 1951.

E. P. CHURCH (159882). 5th July 1951.

##### *Notification amended.*

8th Feb. 1949 (p. 684, col. 1), concerning J. GEE (196258) for Flight Lieutenant read Flying Officer.

#### **TECHNICAL BRANCH.**

##### *Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer J. LOCKHART (201344) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining his rank. 3rd Mar. 1951.

##### *Notification cancelled.*

7th Nov. 1950 (p. 5555, col. 2), concerning J. H. WARNE (110291).

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

##### *Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer L. S. TUGWELL (131185) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 3rd Sept. 1951.

#### **ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Reconstituted section.)

#### **GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

##### *Extension of service.*

##### *Notification amended.*

18th Sept. 1951 (p. 4879, col. 1), concerning W. H. FORD (141013) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

##### *Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

27th Aug. 1951.

G. N. KNOWLES, D.F.C. (157427).

D. J. LOVELL (163801).

H. M. PERRY (128477).

W. S. ALSTON (169426). 28th Sept. 1951.

##### *Transfer between branches.*

Flight Lieutenant T. L. FARRER, D.F.C. (152174), to the Aircraft Control Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 21st Sept. 1951.

##### *Commission relinquished.*

##### *Pilot Officers:—*

P. B. LUSTY (205578). 22nd Aug. 1951.

N. WILKINSON (1567897). 3rd Sept. 1951.

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

Flight Lieutenant P. G. SOUTH (163388). 10th Sept. 1951.

##### *Flying Officers:—*

23rd Apr. 1951.

R. N. ELLIOTT (174422).

J. W. THOMPSON (196098).

J. P. MURRAY (173271). 10th Sept. 1951.

P. C. THORNS (135286). 18th Sept. 1951.

Flying Officer W. I. COVINGTON, D.F.C. (119537) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 30th Aug. 1951.

#### **TECHNICAL BRANCH.**

##### *Appointment to commission.*

##### *Notification cancelled.*

7th Nov. 1950 (p. 5556, col. 2) concerning James Hardy WARNE (110291).

#### **SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**

##### *Appointment to commission.*

##### *Notification amended.*

18th Sept. 1951 (p. 4882, col. 1) concerning Betty Dunnett COOK (2675158) for Dunnett read Dunnet.

#### **AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.**

##### *Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer H. D. M. SEYMOUR (135164) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 17th Sept. 1951.

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#### **ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

##### *Commission relinquished.*

Section Officer M. R. HAWKE (4768) (on appointment to a short service commission in the W.R.A.F.). 3rd Sept. 1951.

Section Officer U. M. ROBERTSON (1434) (on appointment to the W.R.Aux.A.F.) retaining the rank of Flight Officer. 22nd June 1951.

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