

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

J. SWEET (3135329). 19th Nov. 1952 (*seniority 19th Aug. 1951*).  
 A. W. CHAMBERS (3129829). 8th Feb. 1953.  
 J. W. BURTON (607229). 14th Feb. 1953.  
 P. CONDÉ (2451319). 16th Feb. 1953.  
 27th Feb. 1953.  
 H. E. V. FORD (4047116).  
 A. J. GREEN (3127702).

*Notification cancelled.*

6th Jan. 1953 (p. 161, col. 2) concerning J. M. COX (583299).

*Transfer between branches.*

*Pilot Officers to the Secretarial Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—*

P. S. VINCENT (2530500). 31st Jan. 1953.  
 J. A. CALVERT (2521672). 3rd Feb. 1953.  
 J. W. GODBOLT (2532331). 9th Feb. 1953.

*Pilot Officers to the Royal Air Force Regiment, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—*

J. D. TRAINOR (3132022). 19th Dec. 1952.  
 S. DEAN (2517221). 27th Jan. 1953.

31st Jan. 1953.  
 I. T. B. JOYCE (3132754).  
 J. R. MORRIS (2526588).

9th Feb. 1953.  
 A. J. CLAPP (2520022).  
 J. S. PROCTOR (2529365).

*Pilot Officers to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—*

20th Jan. 1953.  
 A. JOHNSON (584372).  
 A. G. LOVELL (3045478).

*Retirement.*

Flight Lieutenant W. GAIR (53263) (and re-employed on the active list). 28th Feb. 1953.

*Short service commission relinquished.*

*Acting Pilot Officers (on account of medical unfitness for air force service):—*

B. M. LAVEN (3135409). 1st Mar. 1953.  
 J. MACASKILL (4073919). 2nd Mar. 1953.  
 J. BENFIELD (4088935). 3rd Mar. 1953.

*The undermentioned (on appointment to national service commissions):—*

*Pilot Officers:—*  
 G. R. M. REDMAN (4058118). 26th Jan. 1953.  
 31st Jan. 1953.  
 W. M. FENOUGHTY (4074479).  
 B. R. HARKER (4077140).

*Acting Pilot Officers:—*

J. M. W. SMITH (3511571). 27th Jan. 1953.  
 B. E. DOWDEN (4093956). 31st Jan. 1953.

*National service commission relinquished.*

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

Flying Officer M. N. MORSS (2600484). 28th Oct. 1952.

*Pilot Officers:—*

9th Nov. 1952.  
 R. W. NEEDHAM (2492702).  
 R. de V. RUDOLPH (3129833).  
 N. W. M. HUNTER (2501885). 26th Jan. 1953.  
 W. M. AGNEW (2502530). 1st Feb. 1953.

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

Flying Officer D. HARRIS (2492891). 31st Dec. 1952.

*Pilot Officers:—*

J. T. MOORE (2484012). 9th Sept. 1952.  
 G. A. WATSON (3131238). 1st Oct. 1952.  
 M. J. BENNISON (2503665). 2nd Oct. 1952.  
 D. WHITE (2492712). 19th Oct. 1952.  
 A. WARDROP (2492837). 22nd Oct. 1952.  
 S. J. CLARK (3129933). 31st Oct. 1952.  
 R. L. HEATHER (3129847). 9th Nov. 1952.  
 M. C. MARSH (2494703). 23rd Nov. 1952.  
 A. C. MUNSON (3130202). 26th Nov. 1952.  
 R. C. BRADLEY (3130241). 30th Nov. 1952.  
 S. E. FRANCIS (2496893). 8th Dec. 1952.  
 A. H. HOLLIS (2497540). 14th Dec. 1952.

21st Dec. 1952.  
 J. J. AYRES (2498677).  
 N. C. DUNCAN (2498684).

L. G. ADAMS (2498811). 22nd Dec. 1952.  
 A. R. COATES (2498918). 23rd Dec. 1952.  
 M. FLANAGAN (3129357). 25th Dec. 1952.

28th Dec. 1952.

J. S. BELL (2500004).  
 I. A. FORBES (2500084).  
 J. SMITH (3130790).  
 J. D. BANKS (2500333). 29th Dec. 1952.

30th Dec. 1952.

W. D. HAYHURST (2500263).  
 J. H. MOUNCEY (3130819).  
 J. WHITE (3130826). 31st Dec. 1952.  
 M. G. OLLIS (2500861). 4th Jan. 1953.

5th Jan. 1953.

A. J. B. WEBSTER (2500882).  
 T. M. WHEELER (2495600).  
 E. A. WALKER (2501391). 25th Jan. 1953.  
 L. H. WILSON (2502320). 1st Feb. 1953.  
 M. G. FOWLER (3131255). 11th Feb. 1953.

*Emergency commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant W. R. STAGG (55246) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 15th Dec. 1952.

*Commission terminated.*

Pilot Officer J. M. COX (583299). 27th Jan. 1953.  
 Acting Pilot Officer P. V. WARNER (412126). 19th Feb. 1953.

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

Pilot Officer D. A. SLAUGHTER (2520350). 3rd Feb. 1953.

*Acting Pilot Officers:—*

R. A. G. ECCLESTON (772722). 31st Jan. 1953.  
 J. M. SPATCHER (4093950). 2nd Feb. 1953.

5th Feb. 1953.

J. A. MURRAY (2542287).  
 I. C. SMITH (3511680).  
 T. WALSH (4098964).

6th Feb. 1953.

G. HOLROYD (4085362).  
 E. H. ROSE (4084732).

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.**

*Appointment to commission (permanent).*

*As Flying Officer:—*

David Anthony Rhys MATTHEWS, B.Sc. (502953). 9th Feb. 1953 (*seniority 26th Sept. 1949*).

*Appointment to commission (short service).*

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

Stuart Gregory POUNTAIN (2677617). 4th Feb. 1953.

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

John Alan RIXOM (502997). 28th Jan. 1953.  
 John HOPE (2600833). 4th Feb. 1953.

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

C. W. BURROWS, M.B.E. (560536). 17th Feb. 1953.

*Retirement.*

*Wing Commanders:—*

F. H. CATTON, O.B.E. (35089) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 26th Feb. 1953.  
 R. H. THOMAS (35205). 1st Mar. 1953.

*Emergency commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant A. PADDEN (47942) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 13th Oct. 1952.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

27th Feb. 1953.  
 A. G. MARTYN (204086).  
 D. W. TAMBING (204179).

*Reversion to reserve.*

Flight Lieutenant E. G. COOPER (181467). 26th Feb. 1953.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).*

Pilot Officer A. S. WHITING (3131425). 1st Mar. 1953.

*Retirement.*

Squadron Leader E. SANKEY, M.B.E. (47060) (and re-employed on the active list). 27th Feb. 1953.