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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
 OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in recognition of gallant and distinguished service in Malaya:—

To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companion, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Air Vice-Marshal Frederick Rudolph William SCHERGER, C.B.E., D.S.O., A.F.C., Royal Australian Air Force.

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4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of gallant and distinguished service in Malaya:—

To be an Additional Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Group Captain Claude Montgomery CHAMPION de CRESPIGNY, Royal Air Force.

To be Additional Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Flight Lieutenant Howard John BELL-WALKER, A.F.R.Ae.S. (103515), Royal Air Force.
 Warrant Officer George William Frederick POWELL (560995), Royal Air Force.

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military), in recognition of distinguished service in Malaya, to the undermentioned:—

520256 Flight Sergeant Geoffrey MAY, Royal Air Force.
 553081 Sergeant John Harry SWAN, Royal Air Force.
 531427 Sergeant Robert Victor THOMPSON, Royal Air Force.
 578273 Sergeant Jackie WILLIAMS, Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards in recognition of gallant and distinguished service in Malaya:—

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Wing Commander Clifford Corry Francis COOPER (40514), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant David Mudie FLEMING (115780), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Kenneth KINGSHOTT (180462), Royal Air Force.

Flying Officer Colin Peter FLAVELL (2448763), Royal Air Force.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

579643 Sergeant Reginald Ian CROSS, Royal Air Force.

4039708 Sergeant Gerald Joseph TURLEY, Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following personnel, who have been Mentioned in Despatches, in recognition of gallant and distinguished service in Malaya:—

Squadron Leader Peter Augustus ALT (47824), Royal Air Force.

Squadron Leader Neville Lawrence Roy COWAN, D.F.C. (44229), Royal Air Force.

Squadron Leader Charles John HAYNE (48581), Royal Air Force.

Squadron Leader Arthur St. John PRICE (48312), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant George Thomas CHERRY (52947), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Anthony John CLARKE (1333344), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant William John DOWD (57701), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Leonard Hampton LAKE (59243), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Ronald Robert MACDONALD, M.B., Ch.B. (502586), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Charles Henry SANDERSON (47167), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Stanley Douglas SINGLETON (136596), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Geoffrey Maurice WADE (176183), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Eric WEBSTER (56174), Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Douglas William WHITE (166194), Royal Air Force.

Warrant Officer James Cuthbert FITZSIMMONS (513868), Royal Air Force.
 572806 Flight Sergeant William Stewart BODYS, Royal Air Force.
 1140274 Flight Sergeant Maurice BURDETT, Royal Air Force.
 635925 Flight Sergeant Charles Frederick FRAMINGHAM, Royal Air Force.
 550088 Flight Sergeant Frederick Ernest KYTE, Royal Air Force.
 569772 Flight Sergeant George WALMSLEY-MOSS, Royal Air Force.
 591411 Flight Sergeant Alan John RAND, Royal Air Force.
 520347 Chief Technician Bertie William Charles FORD, Royal Air Force.
 1853800 Sergeant Denis FARMER, Royal Air Force.
 1055158 Sergeant Tom PEACOCK, Royal Air Force.
 4040393 Sergeant Roy WILLIAMSON, Royal Air Force.
 582225 Acting Sergeant Stanley Donaldson BISSETT, Royal Air Force.
 582662 Corporal Roy Edward BELL, Royal Air Force.
 1921054 Corporal William Ernest Henry DODMAN, Royal Air Force.
 4004075 Corporal Nigel Edwin FULLER, Royal Air Force.
 3501482 Corporal Derek Leslie HICKLING, Royal Air Force.
 583328 Corporal Gordon Patrick Clifford MOORE, Royal Air Force.
 4019625 Corporal Thomas MURPHY, Royal Air Force.
 2553152 Senior Aircraftman David Mitchell Arnott WILLIAMSON, Royal Air Force.
 4041195 Senior Aircraftman George Albert MACHEN, Royal Air Force.
 4035746 Leading Aircraftman Rodney Baxter Powell BAXTER, Royal Air Force.
 4108590 Leading Aircraftman Christopher Richard BRANSTON, Royal Air Force.
 4041704 Leading Aircraftman David James SELFE, Royal Air Force.
 2541929 Leading Aircraftman John Henry SMITH, Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the name of the under-mentioned deceased officer who has been commended for gallantry in the air on 31st December, 1953:—

Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct (Posthumous).

Flight Lieutenant Ralph Frederick FISHER (58547), Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the name of the under-mentioned airman who has been commended for gallantry in an incident in which a naval vessel was attacked in the Pearl River Estuary:—

Queen's Commendation for Brave Conduct.

1798189 Flight Sergeant Patrick KERNS, Royal Air Force.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Marshal Sir Donald HARDMAN, K.C.B., O.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Air Member for Supply and Organisation on the Air Council, in succession to Air Chief Marshal Sir John WHITWORTH JONES, K.C.B., C.B.E., on the latter's retirement. 1st May 1954.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.499/52.

As Flight Lieutenants:—

Richard Arthur LOCATELLI, D.F.C. (139512). 27th Mar. 1953.

Colin Roger BELL (59517). 1st Oct. 1953.

Frank Everett WOOD (191262). 8th Dec. 1953.

10th Dec. 1953.

Roy COLEBROOK (135614).

Geoffrey Edward MEEK (130654).

11th Dec. 1953.

David Henry ROSS (1508695).

Donald Peter SPENCER (132318).

14th Dec. 1953.

Keith ALDERSON, D.F.C. (177248).

Clive Leslie BLOWS (506604).

Edward CHOY (153731) (seniority 23rd July 1951).

Frederick Thompson CRAIG (169099).

Douglas Gordon Victor FREEMAN (128450).

15th Dec. 1953.

Kevin Philip KELLEHER (200912).

John SEVERN (186065).

As Flying Officers:—

Eric CONNELL (189949). 23rd Jan. 1953 (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

1st Oct. 1953.

Daniel Clifford EVANS (203759) (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

Peter William Ibbotson JENNER (1850761) (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

Ralph Matthew LEE, D.F.C. (1395880). 8th Dec. 1953 (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

Peter John WILSON, B.E.M. (575581). 16th Dec. 1953.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flight Lieutenants:—

Charles Alfred DEAR, D.F.C. (50523). 31st Dec. 1953 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

1st Jan. 1954.

Walter Stuart DONSON (154195) (for subsequent transfer to the Fighter Control Branch).

William Edgar RAY (187015) (for subsequent transfer to the Fighter Control Branch).

Reginald James Brown LEEDAL (151534). 22nd Jan. 1954 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch. 22nd Jan. 1954 (seniority 19th Mar. 1949)).

Patrick Joseph McDONNELL, D.F.C. (49646). 4th Feb. 1954 (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

4134174 Cadet Pilot Alan Frederick WOODS (4134174). 6th Jan. 1954 (period of service to count from 9th Sept. 1953).

Cadet Navigators.

27th Mar. 1954.

4139679 Alastair Walter PATERSON (4139679) (period of service to count from 18th Nov. 1953).

2708186 Jack Stuart SADIE (2708186) (period of service to count from 18th Nov. 1953).

4126274 Michael Arthur TEW (4126274) (period of service to count from 18th Nov. 1953).

Confirming and regrading.

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in appointment and regraded as Pilot Officers:—

17th Mar. 1954.

N. G. HALLIDAY (4113158).

A. D. DAVIES (2573593).

M. HOCKADAY (2573402).

P. A. OAKLEY (4081275).

D. J. SANDCRAFT (4093959).

P. N. BROUGHTON (4096106).

J. B. VALE (4115316).

G. W. GALE (2574936).

J. W. HARDING (2576089).

S. WATSON (4114509).

C. W. M. LISTER (4088074).

A. L. LESLIE-MILLER (4098614).

D. WILDE (2574406).

D. G. FENNER (4114511).

31st Mar. 1954.

W. B. MAISH (2548644).

R. P. ASHFORD-SMITH (1851972).

R. G. PROUDLOVE (3138726).

A. J. R. DOYLE (3514843).

J. P. GREENWOOD (4115153).

D. M. HEBBLETHWAITE (2548836).

H. J. LUDLAM (4116427).

C. H. DAVIS (4114577).

J. J. HATFIELD (3514690).

E. J. MUSSETT (3514838).
 B. R. HURN (503118).
 R. RAYNER (4115732).
 J. S. RENTON (2600453).
 C. G. PRICE (4115391).
 K. SIMPSON (4115727).
 J. M. POLLOCK (3515040).
 R. W. STRICKLAND (3514908).
 T. JONES (3514687).
 D. L. STANDEN (4116414).
 J. P. J. MUNROE (2485699).
 M. A. NOAD (4115138).
 C. WESTWOOD (4115155).

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.

The period of service of Pilot Officer A. G. SMITH (4084114) is adjusted to five years on the active list and four years on the reserve (on transfer to the Fighter Control Branch) with effect from 9th Apr. 1952.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. W. J. INGRAM (168268) is extended to eight years with effect from 5th June 1948.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

J. M. STRINGER (2547188). 19th Mar. 1954.
 D. J. D. CASTLE (2538838). 16th Apr. 1954.

23rd Apr. 1954.

F. J. FRY (1606196).
 B. KASPROWIAK (704440).
 R. A. SMITH (1399181).
 D. W. WOOD (3045975).

29th Apr. 1954.

J. A. HYDE (4075619).
 J. B. L. NORTH (2533607).
 P. F. WALSH (4077119).
 A. WALTON (2536066).

30th Apr. 1954.

P. J. ALDRIDGE (4089620).
 F. ALMAN (4089523).
 B. F. BALDOCK (3512259).
 A. R. BATEMAN (4089621).
 E. BROWN (4090282).
 R. F. BYRNE (3512200).
 A. J. CANN (4086019).
 J. G. CARTER (4031122).
 S. L. H. CHANDLER (3135341).
 E. COLLIER (4089014).
 I. B. DUNCAN (3511919).
 J. F. FISHER (4088914).
 J. R. J. FROUD (3512190).
 V. H. HART (3135520).
 J. C. HAYDAY (3508008).
 C. S. HAYTHORNTHWAITE (4089010).
 D. HILL-DAVIES (4089002).
 L. J. HITCHEN (4090291).
 A. KELLY (4087084).
 B. J. KING (2547378).
 J. LEDWARD (2541445).
 P. W. LEWIS (4089533).
 J. McCABE (4089016).
 H. V. MARTIN (3124847).
 D. C. MILLS (4089000).
 I. W. MOIR (4090216).
 M. R. NASH (4089003).
 D. H. NEAL (4089528).
 G. W. NETTLESHIP (4019281).
 F. G. PERRY (4089529).
 M. J. M. PERRY (3512187).
 P. H. PICKFORD (3512261).
 D. C. RICHARDSON (3511915).
 J. H. SAWTELL (4089520).
 M. J. SMITH (4089506).
 T. P. THOMPSON (3512116).
 A. WILSON (4090300).
 J. H. WILSON (4089513).
 A. R. J. YEOMANS (4023293).

R. K. HUNTER (4083087). 1st May 1954.

Notification cancelled.

16th Mar. 1954 (p. 1606, col. 2), concerning J. J. F. KING (2527628).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant D. BRAY (167590) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his rank. 7th Apr. 1954 (seniority 9th Mar. 1952).

Flight Lieutenant A. M. SCOTT (128920) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 23rd Mar. 1954 (seniority 5th Apr. 1951).

Flight Lieutenant C. F. P. HUGHES (59123) to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining his rank. 7th Apr. 1954 (seniority 26th June 1950).

Pilot Officer A. G. SMITH (4084114) to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 26th Jan. 1954.

Notification amended.

30th Mar. 1954 (p. 1886, col. 2), concerning R. A. SIMPKIN, D.F.M. (201080), should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant T. B. M. FITZSIMMONS (53930). 1st May 1954.

Short service commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on account of medical unfitness for air force service):—

Flying Officer W. J. F. LUCAS (4073912). 1st May 1954.

Pilot Officer C. J. HODGSON (585082). 4th May 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

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

Flying Officer A. H. FERRIER (2607956). 9th Feb. 1954.

Pilot Officers:—

J. C. CARTER (2525723). 1st Sept. 1953.
 J. J. F. KING (2527628). 16th Oct. 1953.
 D. W. GODDARD (2537949). 30th Nov. 1953.
 F. R. ALLISON (2524240). 18th Dec. 1953.
 K. W. FARROW (2563765). 11th Jan. 1954.
 R. A. DUGDALE (2567886). 24th Feb. 1954.
 R. G. HALLIE (3137995). 2nd Mar. 1954.
 J. M. CHEYNE (2569606). 10th Mar. 1954.
 R. BASKIN (2569981). 15th Mar. 1954.

16th Mar. 1954.

R. B. CLARK (2570112).
 A. M. HICKS (2570215).

22nd Mar. 1954.

S. H. ASHURST (3136215).
 P. C. DAVIE (2552432).

Commission terminated.

Flight Lieutenant E. C. STEWART, D.F.C. (87436). 7th Apr. 1954.

Pilot Officers:—

B. TAUBLER (4100753). 7th Apr. 1954.
 B. COLE (2452174). 27th Apr. 1954.

Acting Pilot Officers:—

P. J. JACKSON (4128658). 10th Apr. 1954.
 D. J. SMITH (2576167). 17th Apr. 1954.
 D. E. COOMBS (2547776). 21st Apr. 1954.

Acting Pilot Officers (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.):—

5th Apr. 1954.

P. A. JOHNS (3141597).

M. R. H. SMITH (2705192).

M. H. HARPER (4135585). 6th Apr. 1954.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flight Lieutenant:—

Arthur Charles BRADBROOK (54941). 21st Dec. 1953.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer:—

2713499 Aircraftman 2nd class Peter Albert WHITE, B.Sc. (2713499). 25th Mar. 1954.

Notification amended.

23rd Feb. 1954 (p. 1155, col. 2) concerning Anthony John Worth DUNNING (503484) and Malcolm John FLEET (503481) delete B.Sc.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

I. D. LEWIS (502637). 15th Apr. 1954.

23rd Apr. 1954.

D. D. BRAYSHAW, B.Sc. (2571691).

E. T. GOSS, B.Sc. (2576937).

Retirement.

Wing Commander R. EVE (35403). 1st May 1954.

Squadron Leaders:—

1st May 1954.

R. B. GREENHOW (44219).

W. J. HADNETT, M.B.E. (42956).

J. W. MILLS (48166).
W. L. SHARMAN (43488).
A. J. UPHILL (48508).

Flight Lieutenants:—

F. D. SKINNER (57856). 30th Mar. 1954.
T. C. BARBER (55748). 7th Apr. 1954.

1st May 1954.

J. W. BALL (53967).
N. R. BRANNEN (49004).
C. G. CLARKE (54805).
F. W. FRISBEE (54100).
H. F. V. MARSHALL, M.B.E. (48981).
J. MAWDSLEY (51570).
W. L. G. ROUND (51871).
J. WATSON (57475).

Wing Commander E. SHIPLEY, M.A.,
A.F.R.Ae.S. (05255), retaining the rank of Group
Captain. 3rd Apr. 1954.

Squadron Leaders retaining the rank of Wing Commander:—

J. W. BURNETT (44637). 24th Apr. 1954.

1st May 1954.

W. E. DEVERELL (43787).
L. F. JENNINGS, O.B.E. (43447).
L. C. MITCHAM (43727).

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

A. H. FORD (48904). 30th Apr. 1954.

1st May 1954.

A. PATERSON (45000).
H. D. J. PURSELL (48235).

Commission terminated.

Pilot Officer J. C. WALLACE, B.Sc. (503417). 8th
Apr. 1954.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.****As Flight Lieutenants:—**

Joseph BROWN (147738). 23rd Dec. 1953.
Ernest Frederick WEST (58435). 24th Dec. 1953.

As Flying Officer:—

Walter John DODKINS (185384). 23rd Dec. 1953.

Notification amended.

27th May 1952 (p. 2281, col. 2) concerning
Ernest Frederick STEPHENS (58433) *add* (seniority
3rd Oct. 1947).

16th Mar. 1954 (p. 1607, col. 1) concerning
Arthur Kenenth Llewellyn WINTERSON-BLOOMER
(503514) *for* Kenenth *read* Kenneth.

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches

The period of service of Flying Officer P. G.
BASSFORD (2429068) is adjusted to eight years on
the active list and four years on the reserve (on
transfer to the General Duties Branch) with effect
from 4th June 1952.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer P. G. BASSFORD (2429068) to the
General Duties Branch, retaining his rank. 14th
Oct. 1953 (*seniority 17th July 1953*).

Retirement**Flight Lieutenants:—**

1st May 1954.

C. H. MAYHEW (57818).
G. RIGGS (175480).

Flying Officer A. JONES (52084). 15th Aug.
1946.

Squadron Leader H. B. B. BURNS (31120) retaining
the rank of Wing Commander. 1st Apr. 1954.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.****As Flight Lieutenants:—**

22nd Dec. 1953.

Thomas William INGHAM (57069).
Robert Semple MUNRO (203014).
Claude Alfred SUMMERS (189412).

(Richard) ELLIOTT (591775). 29th Dec. 1953.

Notification amended.

16th Feb. 1954 (p. 1001, col. 1) concerning
Stephen Thomas SHARPE (120601) *for* 18th Nov.
1953 *read* 13th June 1953.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of
Flight Lieutenant T. K. GRAVES, D.F.C. (135413),
is extended to eight years with effect from 24th
Apr. 1947.

The period of service on the active list of
Flight Lieutenant C. D. LAPRAIK (168897) is extended
to seven years with effect from 18th July
1949.

The period of service on the active list of
Flight Officer B. M. WRIGHT (6202), W.R.A.F., is
extended to six years with effect from 15th Aug.
1949.

Transfer to reserve.**Flying Officers, W.R.A.F.:—**

1st Apr. 1954.

A. B. R. WILKINSON-JONES (8571).
J. M. WILLIAMS (née BAXANDALL) (2817669).

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

28th Apr. 1954.

N. R. SMITH (89704).
F. W. YATES (29196).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officer J. NAYLOR (2543178). 26th Jan.
1954.

Retirement.

Wing Commander J. H. G. D. BUGDEN, O.B.E.
(21255) (at own request). 1st Apr. 1954.

Squadron Leader A. A. MACKINNON (45712).
1st May 1954.

Flight Lieutenants:—

G. H. BROCK (58261). 28th Mar. 1954.
A. BIDDALL (52605). 24th Apr. 1954.
E. ARMSTRONG, M.B.E. (58157). 1st May 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer P. H. D. HAYES (2550743) (on
appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 8th Mar. 1954.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Promotion.****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**

R. THOMAS (2254211). 4th May 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

D. LYNCH (2446373). 2nd May 1954.

Retirement.

Flying Officer J. MOUNTFORD (57908). 1st May
1954.

Flight Lieutenant W. H. JONES (54214) retaining
the rank of Squadron Leader. 17th Apr. 1954.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.****As Flight Lieutenants:—**

Sydney BERTRAM (190451). 17th Dec. 1953.

18th Dec. 1953.

Harold Roy OSBORNE (1129243).
Geoffrey Charles RICCOMINI (171723).

As Flying Officer:—

Victor Emmanuel AZZARO, D.F.C. (56448). 17th
Dec. 1953.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.****As Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.:—**

Barbara Joan FOARD (428808). 17th Dec. 1953.

Notification amended.

2nd Feb. 1954 (p. 705, col. 1) concerning
4100813 Cyril Edge FROGGART (4100813) *for*
FROGGART *read* FROGGATT.

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

A. B. JONES (199419). 16th Apr. 1954.

F. B. ASHDOWN (131245). 29th Apr. 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer D. M. JENKINS (2552468) (on
appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 22nd Mar. 1954.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (national service).****As Pilot Officer:—**

3142358 Aircraftman 2nd class Norman William
LEE, B.Sc. (3142358). 25th Mar. 1954.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flight Lieutenant:—

Anthony John MERRIFIELD, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501858). 15th Feb. 1954.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenant J. O. R. STEWART, M.B., B.Ch., F.R.C.S. (502275). 25th Apr. 1954.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenant D. M. STORRAR, L.D.S. (502285). 25th Apr. 1954.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flight Lieutenants:—

Frederick Bernard BROWNING, B.A. (59769). 15th Dec. 1953 (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Douglas Victor FAGAN (198868). 29th Dec. 1953 (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

Anthony Julian AGIUS, M.A. (795406). 31st Mar. 1954.

As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Kenneth George MASON, B.Sc., A.R.I.C. (503533). 25th Mar. 1954.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officers:—

Aircraftmen 2nd class.

25th Mar. 1954.

2591101 Malcolm John DARLING, B.A. (2591101).

2713547 Kenneth Hern JONES, B.A. (2713547).

2713578 Paul Denton MIER, B.Sc. (2713578).

Notification amended.

16th Mar. 1954 (p. 1608, col. 1) concerning Thomas Hywell Bevan PHILLIPS, B.Sc. (2707962) for Hywell read Hywel.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer M. J. HARDEN (2409771) is extended to seven years with effect from 1st Jan. 1951.

The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader V. J. BARNES, B.A. (120408) is extended until 13th Sept. 1954 with effect from 4th Apr. 1949.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

G. H. BELL, B.Sc. (503224). 3rd May 1954.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant G. H. PALMER, B.Sc. (107251). 20th Apr. 1954.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officer J. H. HARRISON, L.L.B. (2589741). 7th Apr. 1954.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Wing Commander A. ADDERLEY, B.Sc., A.R.C.S., D.L.C., F.Inst.P. (73060) retaining the rank of Group Captain. 29th Apr. 1954.

CATERING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flying Officer:—

Reginald John GOULD (56974). 16th Dec. 1953.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flying Officer:—

Peter Hague JONES (203458). 16th Dec. 1953.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE RESERVE.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Officer (four years):—

Gwendolen Nora SUCKAMORE (406674). 25th Mar. 1954.

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

Extension of service.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

L. G. A. BUCHANAN (41370). 6th Oct. 1953.

K. J. HENDERSON, M.B.E. (40112). 17th Mar. 1954.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant H. T. SMITH (41215) is extended until 16th June 1953 with effect from 20th May 1952.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant A. M. GRUMMIT (57638). 21st Dec. 1953.

Flying Officer L. S. JOHNSON (57103). 22nd Sept. 1953.

Flight Lieutenant H. T. SMITH (41215) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 17th June 1953.

The undermentioned retaining their rank:—

Flight Lieutenant A. A. JARVIS (57545). 19th Oct. 1953.

Flying Officer L. A. J. MACLEAN (57738). 22nd Feb. 1954.

Notification amended.

9th Feb. 1954 (p. 860, col. 1) concerning J. CROWTHER, D.F.C. (552133) for (552133) read (54633).

Commission relinquished (class CC).

The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):—

Flight Lieutenant W. ALLAN, D.S.O., D.F.C. (135867). 1st Mar. 1954.

Flying Officers:—

30th Oct. 1953.

C. V. M. FANNING (300372).

J. J. GULLERY (300371).

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class CC).

As Squadron Leader:—

Alan George Austin COOPER (300396). 29th Mar. 1954.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. O. EVANS (58348) is extended by five years with effect from 22nd Dec. 1953.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant W. C. TREVITT (31470) is extended by five years with effect from 29th Sept. 1953.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant A. W. B. SCOTT (31244) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 2nd Jan. 1954.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class CC)

As Squadron Leader:—

Douglas Angus BOSWELL (71250). 5th Apr. 1954.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

T. G. GUEST (3131761). 3rd Apr. 1954.

J. F. BROWN (2539410). 10th Apr. 1954.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer D. A. TWEEDELE (56884) retaining his rank. 2nd Mar. 1954.

Commission relinquished (class CC).

Flight Lieutenant H. S. SANDY (192951) (on cessation of duty). 19th Mar. 1954.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Commission relinquished.

Squadron Leader J. A. RICHARDS (102196) retaining his rank. 12th Feb. 1954.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant I. I. MCLENNAN (113569) retaining his rank. 12th Feb. 1954.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant N. HAMLIN, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23371) is extended by five years with effect from 17th Jan. 1953.

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer P. G. ROWLAND (57655) is extended by five years with effect from 21st Dec. 1953.

PROVOST BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Pilot Officer W. J. A. THIRLWELL (59080) is extended by five years with effect from 3rd Nov. 1953.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. G. LEY (56580). 18th Mar. 1954.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

R. C. YULE, D.F.C. (187294). 1st Mar. 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

W. S. LEONARD (2525427). 3rd Oct. 1953.

W. K. MACKENZIE (2531330). 18th Dec. 1953.

W. WINCHESTER (2520706). 26th Mar. 1954.

*Transfer to reserve.**Pilot Officers:—*

G. D. ASHBEЕ (2458996). 22nd Feb. 1953.

E. P. CHURCH (159882). 13th Aug. 1953.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Squadron Leader R. COLLIER (145133) is extended by one year with effect from 1st May 1954.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Promotion.**Notification amended.*

30th Mar. 1954 (p. 1889, col. 1) concerning S. G. R. HALES (114280) should have appeared under the heading FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH and not AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F.:—*

J. S. C. LEWIS (3375). 1st Apr. 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

P. E. SMITH (269861). 22nd Jan. 1954.

Transfer to reserve.

Squadron Leader M. G. PEARSON (60927) and relinquishes command of No. 3603 (City of Edinburgh) Fighter Control Unit. 30th Mar. 1954.

Commission resigned.

Pilot Officer P. M. GROCOTT (2660704), W.R.Aux.A.F. 17th Nov. 1953.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted Section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (until 15th July 1957):—*

Alistair Hendry FERRIER (2607956). 9th Feb. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 18th Jan. 1957):—

Frederick Richard ALLISON (2524240). 18th Dec. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 7th Feb. 1957):—

John Charles CARTER (2525723). 1st Sept. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 20th Feb. 1957):—

John James Frederick KING (2527628). 16th Oct. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 5th May 1957):—

Derek William GODDARD (2537949). 30th Nov. 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 25th Aug. 1957):—

22nd Mar. 1954.

Sydney Hay ASHURST (3136215).

Peter Campbell DAVIE (2552432).

As Pilot Officer (until 23rd Dec. 1957):—

Keith William FARROW (2563765). 11th Jan. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 5th Feb. 1958):—

Robert Arthur DUGDALE (2567886). 24th Feb. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 11th Feb. 1958):—

Robert George HALLIER (3137995). 2nd Mar. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 19th Feb. 1958):—

John Morrice CHEYNE (2569606). 10th Mar. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 24th Feb. 1958):—

Ronald BASKIN (2569981). 15th Mar. 1954.

As Pilot Officers (until 25th Feb. 1958):—

16th Mar. 1954.

Raymond Bowen CLARK (2570112).

Alan Montrose HICKS (2570215).

Notification amended.

12th Jan. 1954 (p. 300, col. 2) concerning John Lawrence Taliesyn WILLIAMS (2608571) for Acting Pilot Officer on probation read Pilot Officer.

Extension of service.

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

C. F. R. MALLET (144634). 3rd Feb. 1953.

F. W. GILES (196502). 22nd June 1953.

N. J. CRISP (180222). 17th Aug. 1953.

S. B. SPRING, D.F.C. (151009). 23rd Sept. 1953.

E. A. THOMPSON (181175). 23rd Oct. 1953.

A. SPROXTON (115524). 2nd Nov. 1953.

L. C. HILL, D.F.C. (174424). 24th Nov. 1953.

R. T. SERCOMBE (158538). 9th Mar. 1954.

Flying Officers:—

K. A. WILKINSON (152283). 21st Nov. 1952.

J. HARRISON (135405). 11th June 1953.

L. J. FREEMAN (176046). 1st Sept. 1953.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant D. S. CORSER (126106) is extended by five years (or for the duration of employment as a civilian flying instructor) with effect from 21st Mar. 1954.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended by two years with effect from the dates stated:—

L. R. R. COTTERELL (166833). 29th Nov. 1952.

R. H. M. VERE (186944). 19th Mar. 1953.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. D. GOODY (137399) is extended by one year with effect from 21st Nov. 1953.

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

J. N. REID (152361). 1st Mar. 1951.

L. L. FLETCHER, D.F.C. (148573). 14th May 1951.

M. R. TITLOW (144390). 4th Sept. 1951.

T. W. S. WILSON (133808). 1st Dec. 1951.

G. A. CUTHELL (165303). 22nd Oct. 1952.

A. A. G. STEELE (116631). 8th Dec. 1952.

R. B. STRATTON (202884). 4th Jan. 1953.

C. H. A. GRANT (189967). 8th Jan. 1953.

J. C. WINANDY (1601986). 3rd Mar. 1953.

M. J. COLE (163777). 19th Mar. 1953.

15th Apr. 1953.

B. E. HOOKE (133542).

R. LEWIS (171679).

H. F. WATSON, D.F.C. (149079). 2nd May 1953.

F. W. WRAY, D.F.M. (183059). 16th May 1953.

H. H. WYNN (173003). 20th May 1953.

C. E. A. SMITH (196754). 21st May 1953.

G. O. WHITLEY (151645). 25th May 1953.

M. R. HALE (188447). 30th May 1953.

H. SKELDON (164562). 4th June 1953.

A. J. G. TAYLOR (123229). 7th June 1953.

P. G. F. TAYLOR (199755). 16th June 1953.

N. A. HAWKINS, D.F.C. (186434). 20th June 1953.

J. E. MERCER (195262). 24th July 1953.

E. A. ORANGE (152138). 2nd Aug. 1953.

G. COLLIER (167003). 12th Sept. 1953.

I. DENNIS (153390). 16th Sept. 1953.

N. C. CHAPMAN (153939). 26th Sept. 1953.

W. D. GOULD (169397). 2nd Oct. 1953.

L. T. BURROUGHS (131986). 3rd Oct. 1953.

E. J. TYTMAN (166274). 15th Oct. 1953.

D. O. WILLIAMS (169394). 26th Oct. 1953.

B. WARD (180177). 28th Oct. 1953.

A. W. HENDRIE (176658). 10th Nov. 1953.

G. E. WOODS (176378). 23rd Nov. 1953.

M. H. F. NEWMAN (166744). 4th Dec. 1953.

G. E. J. WITT (188501). 25th Dec. 1953.

F. G. SARLING (195341). 1st Jan. 1954.
 G. HALLIFAX (197764). 6th Jan. 1954.
 P. G. NASH (195581). 16th Jan. 1954.
 E. H. BARTON (197817). 19th Jan. 1954.
 J. LAKE (184314). 12th Feb. 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

F. C. MAXWELL (2606001). 1st Mar. 1951
 (*seniority 25th Aug. 1950*).

B. ATKIN (200510). 24th July 1951.
 G. A. MARWOOD (3124638). 29th Jan. 1952.
 T. P. R. LANT (3120228). 25th Apr. 1952.
 J. M. WRAGGE (2602458). 1st June 1952.
 B. F. SAGE (3124011). 16th July 1952.
 G. LORD (3124180). 9th Aug. 1952.
 J. A. TAGG (2459099). 26th Dec. 1952.
 B. H. LATIMER (3129682). 3rd Jan. 1953.
 M. J. MARSHALL (2499966). 24th Jan. 1953.
 J. L. RICHES (3129621). 28th Jan. 1953.
 D. CHAMBERS (3129813). 9th Feb. 1953.
 D. M. GLADSTONE (2492685). 10th Feb. 1953.

25th Feb. 1953.

B. C. DIXON-WARREN (2493228).
 J. H. WILLATTS (3126331).

T. D. OVERTON (2603609). 2nd Mar. 1953.
 A. W. WOODS (2496845). 19th Mar. 1953.
 K. M. RILEY (2495925). 20th Mar. 1953.
 A. R. SPENCER (2614372). 21st Mar. 1953.
 F. R. ASHMAN (2501679). 25th Apr. 1953.
 D. M. MANN (2500847). 28th Apr. 1953.
 J. H. RILEY (2502443). 2nd May 1953.
 L. J. COLLINS (2603413). 11th May 1953.
 A. J. A. SAGAR (3131526). 8th June 1953.
 M. J. FOXWELL (2507612). 15th June 1953.
 D. BUSH (3131788). 25th June 1953 (*seniority 12th June 1953*).

I. C. CLEVERLEY (2509458). 25th June 1953.
 B. E. PIKE (2509813). 29th June 1953.
 R. L. DAVIS (2479876). 1st July 1953.
 R. I. PERRY (2626076). 2nd Aug. 1953.

16th Aug. 1953.

B. K. B. FELTHAM (2508593).
 F. LOMASNEY (2502526).

20th Aug. 1953.

E. C. ROBERTS (2515271).
 T. G. TAYLOR (2511153).

M. J. MAAS (3132480). 1st Sept. 1953.
 I. M. HOOPER (2514591). 3rd Sept. 1953.
 D. P. NEWMAN (2495554). 5th Sept. 1953.

9th Sept. 1953.

R. L. LEATHAM (2603572).
 N. E. SIMS (2611660).
 R. N. DAVIDSON (2496657). 15th Sept. 1953.

16th Sept. 1953.

D. H. BROWN (2516833).
 W. I. MITCHELL (3131162).

J. D. TOWE (2517193). 21st Sept. 1953.
 J. T. FINNEY (2486678). 27th Sept. 1953.
 R. ROBINSON (2503160). 3rd Oct. 1953.
 B. H. WRIGLEY (2519207). 5th Oct. 1953.
 E. J. MORGAN (2519449). 6th Oct. 1953.
 R. S. KLIMCKE (2515972). 9th Oct. 1953.
 E. J. MYHILL (3132852). 12th Oct. 1953
 (*seniority 18th Sept. 1953*).

M. J. H. CLAYTON (2520234). 12th Oct. 1953.
 A. H. MORGAN (2520494). 14th Oct. 1953
 (*seniority 24th Sept. 1953*).

R. P. WALKER (2606072). 21st Oct. 1953.
 A. C. SIBLEY (3133021). 26th Oct. 1953.
 I. LANCASTER (2602510). 4th Nov. 1953.
 C. C. CHORLEY (2521746). 6th Nov. 1953.
 R. W. EDEN (2523620). 9th Nov. 1953.

10th Nov. 1953.

D. E. R. JUBY (2523780).
 B. C. WHORWOOD (2513573).
 R. W. B. DAVIES (3133266). 11th Nov. 1953.
 H. J. BUTTRUM (2524604). 16th Nov. 1953.
 R. E. NEWMAN (3133151). 30th Nov. 1953.
 P. A. JAMES (2532378). 5th Dec. 1953.
 A. PAIN (2500723). 8th Dec. 1953.
 J. D. FEW (2492548). 19th Dec. 1953.
 R. T. HOLDOM (3133797). 20th Dec. 1953.

21st Dec. 1953.

L. E. BATHER (2528441).
 G. A. HARRISON (2549602).
 L. F. COUSENS (2498111). 23rd Dec. 1953.

28th Dec. 1953.

C. N. FITZ (2529406).
 P. D. GRIFFITHS (2529469).

J. A. WOOLHAMS (2517776). 2nd Jan. 1954.
 B. S. MAYBRICK (2524815). 3rd Jan. 1954.
 W. F. CHAPMAN (3131433). 6th Jan. 1954.
 A. A. RANDALL (2531380). 12th Jan. 1954.
 W. J. G. WELLS (2526635). 16th Jan. 1954.
 D. R. TURNER (2532307). 19th Jan. 1954
 (*seniority 25th Dec. 1953*).

20th Jan. 1954.

R. W. HOGG (2534257).
 W. D. MARKHAM (3134257).

A. R. FOSTER (5003611). 26th Jan. 1954.
 G. P. PEACOCK (2603553). 27th Jan. 1954.

2nd Feb. 1954.

M. D. BAKER (3134512) (*seniority 2nd Nov. 1953*).

B. L. PORTER (2534268) (*seniority 20th Jan. 1954*).

W. C. SPALDING (2491649). 2nd Feb. 1954.

T. J. DIGBY (2537909). 6th Feb. 1954.

N. J. GIBSON (2535082). 9th Feb. 1954
 (*seniority 17th Jan. 1954*).

K. G. NEISON (2547040). 10th Feb. 1954.

J. D. ENGERRAN (2547161). 16th Feb. 1954.

R. N. PORTER (3134735). 19th Feb. 1954.

G. POPPLEWELL (2536952). 28th Feb. 1954.

2nd Mar. 1954.

R. CLEWS (3134923).

S. W. FIELD (3134922).

P. J. MCGLOIN (2538897). 7th Mar. 1954.

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant R. T. SERCOMBE (158538) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his rank. 8th Apr. 1954 (*seniority 11th Apr. 1953*).

Flight Lieutenant C. F. R. MALLET (144634) to the Medical Branch, retaining his rank. 8th Apr. 1954 (*seniority 10th Nov. 1950*).

*Commission relinquished.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

C. M. TUFFLEY (114084). 23rd July 1952.

A. HOULBROOK (197552). 21st Feb. 1953.

D. S. HARTLEY (178292). 27th Feb. 1953.

E. CHOY (153731) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 14th Dec. 1953.

Flying Officer H. S. WILKINSON (155620). 7th Sept. 1953.

Notification amended.

26th Jan. 1954 (p. 569, col. 2) concerning J. W. HAYES (204068) for J. W. HAYES (204068) read J. W. B. HAYES (204868).

9th Mar. 1954 (p. 1463, col. 1) concerning J. L. T. WILLIAMS (2608571) for Acting Pilot Officer read Pilot Officer.

Notification cancelled.

9th Mar. 1954 (p. 1463, col. 1) concerning S. B. SPRING, D.F.C. (151009).

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer K. J. TALKINGTON (173053). 2nd Nov. 1953.

*TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

J. N. B. PRANCE (79064). 19th Oct. 1953.

A. G. DAVENPORT (132924). 10th Dec. 1953.

W. F. THOMSON (114974). 2nd Feb. 1954.

H. H. FEW (89454). 3rd Feb. 1954.

G. K. WHORLOW (137515). 16th Feb. 1954.

N. O. F. E. WALKER, D.F.C. (78449). 22nd Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer C. J. O. GLEAVES (145220). 23rd Mar. 1954.

The period of service of Flying Officer N. O. M. BROWN (201540) is extended by three years with effect from 22nd Feb. 1954.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant R. McD. MEEK (73296) is extended by two years with effect from 9th Mar. 1954.

*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers:—*

R. S. ROWLAND (109726). 4th Jan. 1954.

W. A. WEBB (79678). 1st Mar. 1954.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

R. WHETSTONE (188196). 25th Oct. 1953.
W. J. W. SQUIRES (136561). 4th Dec. 1953.
S. W. YARDLEY (72274). 6th Jan. 1954.
E. HEMINGWAY (123909). 7th Feb. 1954.
W. E. GEE (61165). 17th Feb. 1954.
T. D. McA. BOYLAND (72210). 26th Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer E. SCOTT (158682). 4th Jan. 1954.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended by three years with effect from the dates stated:—

R. A. CLEGG (128379). 21st Jan. 1954.
C. C. WORSDELL (75820). 1st Mar. 1954.

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by two years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

C. P. RENSHAW (79976). 8th Feb. 1954.
S. R. BADEN (72155). 22nd Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer A. G. R. BREMNER (142933). 11th Feb. 1954.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. H. WATSON (87599) is extended by one year with effect from 18th Jan. 1954.

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

R. L. BINGHAM (110422). 17th Mar. 1954.

*Commission relinquished.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

G. M. HALL (64778). 4th Feb. 1954.
S. L. BACON (142935). 21st Mar. 1954.

Flying Officer L. E. WILLOTT (102254). 18th Jan. 1954.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Pilot Officer (until 11th Aug. 1957):—*

Philip Herbert Daniel HAYES (2550743). 8th Mar. 1954.

Extension of service.

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

R. E. O. ELWIN (63760). 22nd Dec. 1953.
H. T. YOUNG (142813). 13th Jan. 1954.
D. H. TUGWELL (102753). 17th Feb. 1954.
F. HANKIN (69600). 18th Feb. 1954.
A. F. LANSDOWNE (101763). 19th Feb. 1954.
I. A. WRIGHT (161958). 22nd Feb. 1954.
J. R. PAIRMAN (72910). 2nd Mar. 1954.

Flying Officers:—

F. R. H. WAUGH (168563). 25th Oct. 1953.
H. L. G. DAVIES (163231). 10th Dec. 1953.
V. R. KNOWLES (130305). 10th Jan. 1954.
H. A. SYNDERCOMBE (185639). 15th Jan. 1954.
G. NEWMAN (141673). 19th Jan. 1954.
C. H. HAYMAN, D.F.C. (146340). 12th Feb. 1954.
G. D. SNELL (149595). 7th Mar. 1954.

The period of service of Flying Officer H. BALL (136739) is extended by four years with effect from 26th Jan. 1954.

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by three years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenant J. B. W. SHRIMPTON (107672). 14th Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer A. F. SPRANGE (183988). 15th Jan. 1954.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant L. G. LAWDHAM (88488) is extended by one year with effect from 18th Dec. 1953.

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

G. H. MUSGROVE (155907). 23rd Mar. 1954.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant F. J. HARRIS (88977). 12th Jan. 1954.

Flying Officers:—

D. M. HILEY (199127). 28th Oct. 1953.
F. H. GRIMSTON (112132). 12th Jan. 1954.
R. E. RICHARDSON (175672). 3rd Mar. 1954.

Flying Officer M. (M. MOIR (2297), W.R.A.F.V.R. 4th May 1954.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant A. D. MORRIS (100148) is extended by five years with effect from 14th Apr. 1954.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant A. YATES (118206) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 5th Jan. 1954.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

Flight Lieutenants:—

A. R. MILNE-HENDERSON (101698). 19th Jan. 1954.
N. W. WALKER, D.F.C. (112454). 22nd Feb. 1954.
R. L. STIFF (108773). 25th Feb. 1954.
S. A. WALKER (152654). 1st Mar. 1954.

Flying Officers:—

J. A. JOHNSTONE (171528). 10th Dec. 1953.
R. C. STRUTT (174815). 15th Jan. 1954.
N. J. CONNELL (157259). 17th Feb. 1954.
K. R. REA, D.F.M. (183778). 10th Mar. 1954.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Pilot Officer (until 25th Aug. 1957):—*

David Michael JENKINS (2552468). 22nd Mar. 1954.

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

D. C. KEVILL (2536894). 13th Mar. 1954.
P. W. M. REVELL (2494241). 14th Mar. 1954.
A. L. THOMAS (2490155). 28th Mar. 1954.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer K. HITCHCOCK (128391) is extended by five years with effect from 21st Mar. 1954.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant F. M. LAUGHTON (140713) is extended by five years with effect from 14th Apr. 1954.

PROVOST BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant G. L. JONES (188264). 12th Feb. 1954.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. SCHOFIELD (85792) is extended by five years with effect from 19th Feb. 1954.

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

Arthur Edward COLES (187332). 31st Dec. 1953.
Leo Gerard KANE (206110). 2nd Feb. 1954.
Richard Frederick SYMONS (201898). 25th Feb. 1954.
Stanley Walter HOWARD (149192). 2nd Mar. 1954.

As Pilot Officers (four years):—

Michael Howard Deacon GREEN (2425302). 18th Dec. 1953.
Brian John MITCHELL (5003455). 19th Dec. 1953.
Ronald George SHERRINGER (636883). 13th Jan. 1954.
Peter William Tyacke GEORGE (206119). 16th Jan. 1954.
Robert CLIMIE (1019024). 5th Feb. 1954.
Douglas HOSKINS (206117). 16th Feb. 1954.

Clifford Henry MOORE (1318067). 19th Feb. 1954.

Leslie Victor OLIVE (1198388). 2nd Mar. 1954.
Derek Godfrey MOORE (2534054). 4th Mar. 1954.

6th Mar. 1954.

Shaun Walter HENRY (206116).
William KETTLES (1823567).
John McDonald McGILLIVRAY (2399166).
Alan STRUTHERS (1685781).

Alexander Malcolmson ROBERTS (1821626). 15th Mar. 1954.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. A. JENKINSON (65253) is extended by two years with effect from 25th Apr. 1954.

The period of service of Flying Officer E. A. BLAKE, O.B.E., M.M. (03146) is extended by one year with effect from 4th May 1954.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officers:—

A. E. WESTBROOK (143076). 13th Nov. 1953.
R. HUNT (163883). 10th Feb. 1954.
G. H. TULLEY (2689518). 20th Feb. 1954.
W. ATKIN (198339). 25th Feb. 1954.
A. V. TERRY (1158022). 21st Apr. 1954.
Pilot Officer F. DANDO (1583905). 5th Nov. 1953.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Wing Commander:—

H. A. BASKCOMB (64148). 3rd Apr. 1954.
G. M. BARRETT (63679). 9th Apr. 1954.
Flying Officer A. J. MACKENZIE, O.B.E., D.F.C. (128717), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Apr. 1954.

Flying Officer F. JOHNSON (126231) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 30th Apr. 1954.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

D. MORE (64070). 2nd Feb. 1954.
J. A. BAILEY (145438). 16th Feb. 1954.
L. N. DEELEY (64133). 25th Mar. 1954.
V. C. BULLEN (177867). 4th Apr. 1954.
R. J. WOODWARD (67000). 29th Apr. 1954.

Notification cancelled.

9th Mar. 1954 (p. 1464, col. 1) concerning G. H. TULLEY (2689518).

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers:—

C. J. HAWKINS (65316). 1st Oct. 1949.
A. A. HANDLEY (1605159). 18th Aug. 1953.
N. D. ANDERSON (205430). 11th Feb. 1954.
A. W. FINDLEY (1095817). 12th Feb. 1954.
W. MCCREADIE (198245). 19th Feb. 1954.
A. G. FISKIN (3024787). 24th Feb. 1954.
V. WOOD, D.F.C. (129566). 25th Feb. 1954.
Pilot Officer D. H. THOMAS (3088431). 10th Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer R. L. BURTON (171487) retaining his rank. 23rd Feb. 1954.

Commission terminated.

Flying Officer H. V. SMITH (112940). 2nd Apr. 1954.

Air Ministry, 4th May, 1954.

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Flying Officer J. W. ACEY (46880) retaining his rank.

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W. ALLAN (70007).
Squadron Leader E. ADDIS (70946) retaining his rank.
Flight Lieutenant G. M. ADAMS (70000), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

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E. N. ADLINGTON (90620).
J. AITKEN (90551).
Squadron Leader J. H. C. ALBRECHT (90345) retaining his rank.
Flight Lieutenant J. L. ADDLESHAW (90841), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader.

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