

R. FISHER (4110362).
 I. FRASER (2571798).
 A. C. LIVINGSTON (3514285).
 J. M. LOGUE (4111040).
 W. A. R. LUSH (4111050).
 E. MEARS (4111048).
 B. PENNY (3514282).
 A. J. ROSE (3514140).
 E. J. SCOTT (4111057).
 J. C. SHIPMAN (2571831).
 E. J. SOWDEN (2571003).
 G. G. M. BATY (2484713). 9th Jan. 1955.

Retirement.

Wing Commander P. D. W. HACKPORTH (33112) (at own request). 1st Dec. 1954.
 Wing Commander P. HEATH (26136) (at own request), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 4th Dec. 1954.
 Squadron Leader T. S. HARRIS, D.F.C. (117928) (at own request). 30th Nov. 1954.
 Flight Lieutenant B. J. V. YOUNG, M.C. (144384). 7th Dec. 1954.
 Flying Officer B. N. SMITH (4038794). 11th Dec. 1954.

Short service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer K. F. JACKSON (3139403) (on appointment to a permanent commission). 26th May 1954.
 (Acting Pilot Officer J. B. AYSCOUGH (4128050) (on appointment to a national service commission). 12th Oct. 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.):—
 C. P. HARRINGTON (2576111). 21st Nov. 1954.
 5th Dec. 1954.
 T. D. JOHNSTON (2577306).
 V. STONE (2577363).
 J. J. NOBLE (2548602). 7th Dec. 1954.
 C. M. HOLT (2576081). 14th Dec. 1954.

Commission terminated.

Pilot Officer M. J. HAWKINS (3514064). 4th Jan. 1955.
 Acting Pilot Officer P. A. C. WAKEFIELD (2590408) (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.). 2nd Dec. 1954.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Transfer to Branch List conditions of service.**

Flight Lieutenant Alfred John Reginald MALLET (560645) who was appointed to a permanent commission in London Gazette (Supplement) of 25th Apr. 1950, is transferred to the Branch List category under the conditions of A.M.O. A. 288/53, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 13th Dec. 1954.

Transfer to reserve.

Squadron Leader A. B. AVERY (104714). 9th Jan. 1955.

Flying Officers:—

8th Jan. 1955.
 P. J. CHALLEN, B.Sc. (2530727).
 M. DIAS (3132870).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officers:—
 H. M. SUTCLIFFE, B.Sc. (2567501). 25th Dec. 1954.

3rd Jan. 1955.
 J. R. PLACKETT, B.Sc. (2578958).
 R. SHAW, B.Sc. (3139369).

Pilot Officers:—

10th Nov. 1954.
 H. BARNES (2576056).
 H. R. BECKLEY, B.Sc. (2576159).

Retirement.

Wing Commander W. ROBINSON, M.B.E. (35122). 3rd Jan. 1955.
 Flight Lieutenant W. A. PENDLEBURY (48972), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 24th Dec. 1954.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent).**

As Flight Lieutenants:—
 1st Oct. 1954.
 James Mackereth STEVENSON (204213).
 Joseph Colin WARDILL (112390).

As Flying Officer:—

Charles Derek MATTHEWS (1851435). 1st Oct. 1954.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant D. L. REEVE (190635) is extended to twelve years with effect from 9th Jan. 1948.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Officer L. H. FOX (7249), W.R.A.F. 2nd Jan. 1955.
 Flying Officer T. W. STARRS (501027). 2nd Jan. 1955.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant J. S. CULLEN (58586). 2nd Jan. 1955.
 Flying Officer A. W. BOLTON (59014). 8th Jan. 1955.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission (permanent).**

As Flying Officer:—
 Norman Stanley PLUCK (3121893). 1st Oct. 1954.

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

As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List):—
 Maurice Frewen Osborne CLARKE (106664). 1st Oct. 1954.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
 Thomas Reginald JOHNSON (504079). 20th Dec. 1954.

As Pilot Officer (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
 Hywel Glyn ISAAC (504003). 9th Dec. 1954.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer:—
 John Barry AYSCOUGH (4128050). 12th Oct. 1954 (seniority 12th Oct. 1954) (period of service to count from 5th May 1953).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader W. F. DANTON (90917) is extended to nine years with effect from 8th Jan. 1947.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
 J. E. A. ABBOTT (170538). 29th Nov. 1954.
 W. T. OWEN (2399377). 6th Jan. 1955.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant F. H. L. MACKINNON (42012), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 1st Jan. 1955.

Flight Officers, W.R.A.F.:—

N. B. REDLER (8515). 11th Dec. 1954.
 J. M. E. WALLACE (3580). 3rd Jan. 1955.
 Flying Officer C. D. PELL (2819205), W.R.A.F. 27th Nov. 1954.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officer I. A. DICKSON (2600337). 2nd Jan. 1955.

Pilot Officers:—

J. M. G. PAUL (2578051). 18th Dec. 1954.
 M. J. TEW (2578109). 19th Dec. 1954.

20th Dec. 1954.
 D. O. DURRANT (2578192).
 P. R. MIDDLETON (2578191).
 26th Dec. 1954.

D. E. EVANS (2578466).
 L. MASON (2578499).
 J. WINTER (2578465).
 J. N. COLLIER (2548876). 27th Dec. 1954.
 D. J. TOMPKINS (2578846). 2nd Jan. 1955.

Retirement.

Wing Commander F. S. DEAN (21314). 6th Jan. 1955.

Squadron Leaders:—

F. T. SEENEY (21282). 2nd Jan. 1955.
 R. S. SWEETLOVE (44503). 4th Jan. 1955.
 Flight Lieutenant L. B. I. DAY (48227). 15th Dec. 1954.

Flight Lieutenants, retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

V. G. J. PHILLIPS, D.F.C. (46925). 1st Jan. 1955.
 L. A. ARISS (52130). 3rd Jan. 1955.