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## ROYAL AIR FORCE.

### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Appointment to commission (permanent).*

*As Flight Lieutenant:—*

Alfred Ian LE GRESLEY (607001). 1st Oct. 1954.

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

*As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—*

1st June 1954.

John Raymond HILL (53987).

Peter Murray Austin HULL (174636).

Earl Chester GOODEVE (51348). 31st Dec. 1954.

Leslie Victor DREDGE, D.F.C. (502287). 12th Jan. 1955.

John Edward LEE (182774). 21st Jan. 1955.

*As Flying Officer (Branch List):—*

Thomas Edward CARLEY (1045742). 1st June 1954.

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

*As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—*

Henry Charles Horatio CHANDLER (191604). 1st June 1954 (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Jack WEBB (191106). 24th Nov. 1954 (for subsequent transfer to the Fighter Control Branch).

*Appointment to a direct commission.*

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

Nicholas Longden Woodhead EVANS (2547565). 24th Sept. 1954 (seniority 20th Aug. 1954).

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

Peter George CULLEN (2575593). 19th Nov. 1954 (seniority 29th Jan. 1954).

*Transfer to a direct commission.*

*As Flight Lieutenants (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

Philip Percy PALMER (163176). 28th May 1954 (period of service to count from 29th Oct. 1948).

Peter Ernest NELSON (195206). 31st Aug. 1954 (period of service to count from 27th Feb. 1951).

Bernard Sydney DOWNS, D.F.C. (169114). 8th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 5th Oct. 1948).

John Douglas GRANT (185336). 19th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 2nd May 1951).

George Frederick GILL (150523). 25th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 23rd Apr. 1951).

Clive Westgarth SIMPSON (153329). 27th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 13th Nov. 1950).

Peter Vaclav HOWARD (153588). 29th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 28th Oct. 1948).  
Raymond Harry KERSWELL (178302). 3rd Nov. 1954 (period of service to count from 11th Aug. 1948).

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

Antony MYERS (2489611). 7th June 1954 (period of service to count from 22nd Oct. 1952).

Geoffrey STEGGALL (2441813). 12th Oct. 1954

(period of service to count from 16th Jan. 1952).

John Allen BROTHERS (2547031). 18th Oct. 1954

(period of service to count from 20th May 1952).

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

Keith ESCOTT (2545179). 24th May 1954 (period of service to count from 9th Feb. 1953).

*Notification cancelled.*

1st Feb. 1955 (p. 638, col. 1) concerning John Neal BIRD (3132587).

*Appointment to commission (short service).*

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

Clive Stuart SILVER (3128959). 17th Jan. 1955 (seniority 17th Jan. 1954).

*Confirming and regrading.*

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

10th Dec. 1954.

W. N. MONTEITH (4127032).

V. SINGH (4101429).

P. L. HEAVER (3511184).

C. E. BURROWS (3087251).

G. COLAM (2579703).

D. W. H. LEE (3119572).

7th Jan. 1955.

G. W. F. THOMAS (4111742).

B. R. REYNOLDS (4133216).

G. H. ELLA (4118457).

K. A. McL. HUGHES (3106902).

R. F. RODEN (3077817).

G. N. D. SHEEHAN (3516885). 22nd Jan. 1955.

6th Feb. 1955.

C. R. ADAMS (3517109).

S. A. BURNS (4138716).

L. B. BINNIE (3517157).

M. F. BOGGIS (4138669).

R. T. COKER (4136577).

J. FISHER (4138672).

P. J. HARMER (4138141).

T. M. JEFFREY (4137592).

M. D. JENKINS (2706628).

R. J. D. MCCRANN (4137588).

J. S. MARTIN (3517160).  
D. B. NEWELL (2706789).  
J. M. READ (2590675).  
E. M. W. ROBINSON (2590692).  
S. WATKINS (2594346).

*Confirming, regrading and transfer between branches.*  
Acting Pilot Officer on probation R. E. BALE (3517669) is confirmed in appointment, regraded as Pilot Officer and transferred to the Equipment Branch as Pilot Officer. 8th Dec. 1954 (seniority 8th Dec. 1954).

*Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.*

The period of service of Acting Pilot Officer on probation R. E. BALE (3517669) is adjusted to six years on the active list and four years on the reserve (on transfer to the Equipment Branch) with effect from 5th May 1954.

*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended to twelve years with effect from the dates stated.

*Flight Lieutenants :—*

C. J. MORGAN, A.F.C. (1609719). 4th Feb. 1947.  
A. H. W. THRASHER (3504455). 1st June 1948.  
W. T. K. ANSELL (3504508). 22nd June 1948.  
J. L. DILLON (582299). 25th Apr. 1949.  
D. R. PATRICK (3504254). 2nd May 1949.

*Flying Officers :—*

4th Mar. 1947.  
A. LYNE (1851726).  
C. SPOONER (3034032).  
D. J. PERRY (3504878). 28th Feb. 1949.  
M. J. MIDDLEMIST (4038157). 4th July 1949.  
J. BYARD (3084542). 8th Aug. 1949.  
P. F. WILSON (1436839). 29th Dec. 1949.  
J. F. BOUCHER (2432950). 14th Apr. 1950.  
V. W. H. DEACON (3507720). 5th June 1950.  
D. CARRINGTON (3507790). 26th June 1950.

12th July 1950.  
J. G. DAVIES (579944).  
D. W. S. STEDMAN (579834).

28th Aug. 1950.  
P. D. ASH (3507978).  
T. R. NORCROSS (4046203).  
G. J. BENNETT (582965). 20th Sept. 1950.  
K. T. W. AMBLER (4049133). 16th Oct. 1950.  
C. L. HYNAM (4056601). 31st Jan. 1951.  
C. TAYLOR (4076381). 15th Aug. 1951.  
D. L. EDWARDS (4081958). 10th Oct. 1951.  
E. D. B. COLES (3511817). 5th Dec. 1951.  
R. E. SPENCER (2420819). 2nd Jan. 1952.

30th Jan. 1952.  
D. C. MILLS (4089000).  
P. WILLIAMS (4089531).  
R. J. FISHER (3511814). 26th Feb. 1952.  
J. O. ANKER (3512567). 12th Mar. 1952.  
P. W. NICHOLSON (4096981). 23rd Apr. 1952.  
T. R. GARDNER (4109642). 17th Sept. 1952.  
D. BEDFORD (2569507). 24th Sept. 1952.

*Pilot Officers :—*

R. L. BEESON (4102751). 24th June 1952.  
F. H. B. STARK (3515190). 11th Feb. 1953.

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—*  
2nd Feb. 1955.

D. J. HARPER (579709).  
R. H. RUSSELL (582047).  
N. CUMBER (626502). 3rd Feb. 1955.  
H. J. WILLIS (4038754). 15th Feb. 1955.

17th Feb. 1955.  
G. A. AKED (2211642).  
D. J. CHECKETTS (4032627).  
F. SANKEY (3052461).  
G. H. BEATON (4038412). 20th Feb. 1955.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—*

A. A. MANSELL (4106191). 5th Nov. 1954.  
R. KNELL (4108974). 17th Dec. 1954.  
D. T. LACEY (4111026). 1st Jan. 1955.

20th Jan. 1955.  
K. ESCOTT (2545179).  
R. P. G. MITCHELL (4093957).

17th Feb. 1955.  
M. K. ADAMS (4111758).  
R. C. ALLEN (2572965).  
K. W. BANYARD (2430304).  
A. J. CAMPBELL (3514456).  
J. D. COLTMAN (3514376).

D. L. CRANE (4111659).  
M. J. CRUWYS (2568665).  
D. FEARLEY (2528911).  
J. M. FORD (2445501).  
A. W. FRASER (2548287).  
C. N. FULCHER (3514375).  
W. C. HUTCHINGS (4110294).  
D. B. KERR (3514380).  
G. LIMPKIN (4112940).  
J. G. NICKLIN (4105200).  
M. P. NOLAN (2572522).  
J. RISBY (4111753).  
K. P. SHERIDAN (4112442).  
J. G. F. SMILLIE (2572931).  
D. STINTON (2605313).  
D. SWEPSON (4108941).  
T. E. WILKINSON (4111058).

18th Feb. 1955.

B. G. CRAMP (4037882).  
G. DAVIES (2574501).  
C. HARRISON (4115148).  
J. KERR (4103176).  
N. J. MAPF (2573566).  
T. R. G. MONTGOMERY (2574840).  
R. F. PARROTT (4044886).  
J. D. SHORT (2548410).  
J. D. WALSH (4108973).  
V. D. WATKINS (4115718).

*Transfer between branches.*

Flying Officer G. D. CATTO (2600331) to the Technical Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 24th Jan. 1955.

Pilot Officer J. A. BUNCE (3140130) to the Airfield Construction Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 10th Jan. 1955.

*Transfer to reserve.*

*Flight Lieutenants :—*

J. W. PASCOE-WATSON, A.F.C. (3038489). 27th Jan. 1955.  
A. C. COOMBS (196912). 16th Feb. 1955.

*Notification amended.*

25th Jan. 1955 (p. 502, col. 2) concerning E. L. BANFIELD (2500837) for 17th Jan. 1955 read 22nd Jan. 1955.

*Forfeiture of seniority.*

Flight Lieutenant A. M. BLACKBURN (180454) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 19th Nov. 1954) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 1st Oct. 1948.

*Retirement.*

Flight Lieutenant A. G. S. McCULLOCH (53682). 18th Feb. 1955.

*Short Service commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer W. J. BRYEN (3134849) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 17th Feb. 1955.

*Acting Pilot Officers :—*

J. A. C. HAMILTON (4140191) (on appointment to a national service commission). 10th Oct. 1954.  
R. C. BURRIDGE (4068792) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 17th Feb. 1955.

*National service commission relinquished.*

The undermentioned on appointment to direct commissions :—

Flying Officer N. L. W. EVANS (2547565). 24th Sept. 1954.

Pilot Officer P. G. CULLEN (2575593). 19th Nov. 1954.

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

*Pilot Officers :—*  
30th Jan. 1955.

J. L. CHORLEY (3139486).  
P. B. EDWARDS (2579358).  
Acting Pilot Officer D. J. LERMAN (2548528). 19th Oct. 1954.

*Commission terminated.*

Flying Officer B. K. GAMMAGE (3112355). 22nd Feb. 1955.

*Pilot Officers :—*

R. C. MOSER (4092703). 19th Feb. 1955.  
N. E. TIMMINS (4112510). 22nd Feb. 1955.

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

Pilot Officer M. H. DALE (3516113). 25th Jan. 1955.

*Acting Pilot Officers :—*

J. S. SADIE (2708186). 24th Jan. 1955.  
M. A. YOUNG (4138240). 26th Jan. 1955.

**Notification amended.**

25th Jan. 1955 (p. 503, col. 1) concerning C. E. SMITH (4101838) *add* (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.).

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (permanent).****As Flight Lieutenant :—**

Cyril John Digby FOWLE, B.Sc. (125958). 1st Oct. 1954.

**Appointment to commission (national service).****As Pilot Officers :—****Aircraftmen 2nd class.**

6th Jan. 1955.

2734968 Kenneth ACKROYD, B.Sc. (2734968).

2725354 Kenneth Edward BALL (2725354).

2734960 Kenneth James DAVIS, B.Sc.(Eng.) (2734960).

3144468 Leslie Babington DAY, B.A. (3144468).

3144474 David Richard GOODMAN, B.A. (3144474).

2734957 Ian Peter HUSBANDS, B.Sc.(Eng.) (2734957).

2734962 John Kerr MARLEY, B.Sc. (2734962).

2734963 David Westcott PRICE, B.Sc. (2734963).

2734952 Peter Henry STONE, B.Eng. (2734952).

2600350 Martin James WAGREL, B.Sc. (2600350).

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

Flight Lieutenant John Harvey HUNT (567609) who was appointed to a permanent commission in London Gazette (Supplement) dated 22nd Aug. 1950, is transferred to the Branch List category under the conditions of A.M.O. A.288/53, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 14th Jan. 1955.

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

18th Feb. 1955.

R. J. GRAINGER, B.Sc. (2590949).

R. A. HODGES, B.Sc. (2710582).

K. W. KERSLAKE, B.Sc. (2590917).

R. S. ROBSON, B.Sc. (2710534).

E. A. RYDER, B.Sc. (3142035).

N. J. SYLVESTER, B.Sc. (2710536).

G. R. TOULL, B.Sc. (503496).

K. J. JACKSON (3130564). 20th Feb. 1955.

**Retirement.**

Wing Commander S. J. FIELD, O.B.E. (43437) (at own request). 1st Feb. 1955.

**Commission terminated.****Pilot Officers :—**

29th Jan. 1955.

K. W. HAYTER (503668).

J. KAY (503593).

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.****Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant T. H. GRAHAM (199386) is extended to seven years with effect from 21st Apr. 1949.

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

17th Feb. 1955.

R. E. S. DE NAEYER (544770).

R. F. G. HOWARD, B.E.M. (574253).

J. A. H. SORRELL, M.B.E. (562881).

**Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Lieutenant A. MORRIS (501092). 13th Feb. 1955.

**Retirement.**

Squadron Leader R. G. REID (31462) (at own request). 30th Jan. 1955.

Flight Lieutenant H. TIMMINS (58655). 17th Feb. 1955.

**National service commission relinquished.**

Pilot Officer A. G. E. HALES (2571876) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 3rd Oct. 1954.

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

Francis Edward Goodenough HAYTER (40164). 1st June 1954.

Alec Charles STEVENSON (500854). 29th Dec. 1954 (seniority 23rd Apr. 1951).

**As Flying Officer (Branch List) :—**

Andrew Douglas PAXTON (168990). 1st Oct. 1954.

**Appointment to commission (short service).**

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

Larry Robert Holmes D'EATH (3140789). 22nd Dec. 1954 (seniority 18th Feb. 1954).

**Appointment to commission (national service).****As Pilot Officers :—****Aircraftmen 2nd class.**

6th Jan. 1955.

2714463 Geoffrey Brian HILLSON, A.C.A. (2714463).

2734967 Charles Ian HOWARTH (2734967).

2729112 William INGLEBY, C.A. (2729112).

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

E. H. LA PORTA (4040606). 17th Feb. 1955.

18th Feb. 1955.

D. H. HOUGH (2542370).

P. W. VOLLBORTH (4071816).

**Notification amended.**

25th Jan. 1955 (p. 503, col. 2) concerning J. W. DOWNES (2820266) W.R.A.F. for (2820266) read (2820226).

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

A. C. CURRIE (2580770). 31st Jan. 1955.

G. A. CORNELL (2579750). 5th Feb. 1955.

W. A. BENNIE (2567592). 6th Feb. 1955.

D. S. HUME (607554). 7th Feb. 1955.

14th Feb. 1955.

J. F. BATESON (2582029).

P. M. GORDON (2579828).

**National service commission relinquished.**

Pilot Officer L. R. H. D'EATH (3140789) (on appointment to a short service commission). 22nd Dec. 1954.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.****Appointment to commission (permanent).****As Pilot Officer :—**

George Hardy ONSLOW (2238683). 1st Oct. 1954 (since promoted to the rank of Flying Officer).

**Appointment to commission (short service).**

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

John Ivor MORGAN-JONES (3138907). 8th Nov. 1954 (seniority 19th Nov. 1953).

**Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant D. J. HOLMES (36963) is extended to eight years with effect from 12th Jan. 1949.

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

R. J. W. MARTIN (4026381). 17th Feb. 1955.

**National service commission relinquished.**

Pilot Officer J. I. MORGAN-JONES (3138907) (on appointment to a short service commission). 8th Nov. 1954.

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

John Henry HARWOOD, D.F.C. (138478). 1st June 1954.

**FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (permanent).****As Flying Officer :—**

Alan REDSHAW (2446073). 1st Oct. 1954.

**Appointment to commission (short service).**

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

John Charles MEADER (2584770). 16th Nov. 1954 (seniority 11th Apr. 1954).

**Appointment to commission (national service).****As Pilot Officers :—**

John Andrew Charles HAMILTON (4140191). 10th Oct. 1954 (seniority 10th Oct. 1954) (period of service to count from 17th Nov. 1953).

**Aircraftmen 2nd class.**

12th Sept. 1954.

2711876 Anthony ELLIS (2711876).

2708372 Max Alderson HALLAS (2708372).

2590504 Patrick James LOCHRIE (2590504).

2590899 David Sydney MORGAN (2590899).

2790767 Brian Joseph RADLEY (2790767).

4134636 Alan John WELLS (4134636).

19th Dec. 1954.

- 2717498 Francis Thomas HORAN (2717498).  
 4135082 Henry KNAGGS (4135082).  
 2717332 Alastair Rowan MACMATH (2717332).  
 2590785 David Arthur Grant THESIGER (2590785).

*National service commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer J. C. MEADER (2584770) (on appointment to a short service commission). 16th Nov. 1954.

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

- L. E. PALMER (2573865). 25th Oct. 1954.  
 J. M. NOBLE (2578208). 20th Dec. 1954.

**AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (national service).**As Pilot Officers:—**Aircraftmen 2nd class.*

6th Jan. 1955.

- 3144469 William Stuart BOURNE (3144469).  
 2608454 Brian Crawford BRIDGES, B.Sc. (2608454).  
 2734964 Paul Henry Charles CROSS, B.Sc.(Eng.) (2734964).  
 3144471 Geoffrey Frank HARTLEY, B.Sc. (3144471).  
 2608471 Harry MALLINSON, B.Sc. (2608471).  
 2734965 Donald George Alexander POCKNEY, B.Sc.(Eng.) (2734965).  
 2734948 Robert William RENNISON, B.Sc. (2734948).  
 2734955 James Ian RICKETT, B.A. (2734955).  
 2734958 Ernest Lawrence ROBSON, B.Eng. (2734958).

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

18th Feb. 1955.

- J. G. BEVAN, B.Sc. (2590916).  
 G. E. BRATCHELL, B.Sc. (3142036).  
 E. W. LANG, B.Sc. (2711109).  
 C. K. MOULSON, B.Sc. (2711108).  
 D. J. D. WOOD, B.A. (2710553).

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).**Notification amended.*

11th Jan. 1955 (p. 215, col. 1) concerning W. G. BOGGIN, B.Sc. (3135108) for BOGGIN read BOGGON.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (short service).**As Flying Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

- Brian Andrew SOUTHGATE, M.B., B.S. (503904). 3rd Dec. 1954 (seniority 26th Sept. 1954).  
 Guy Courtney SMITH, L.M.S.S.A. (504047). 5th Jan. 1955 (seniority 21st Nov. 1954).  
 John Marsden CLIFFORD, M.B., B.Ch. (504022). 12th Jan. 1955 (seniority 21st Nov. 1954).

*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant D. H. BOTTOMLEY, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. (502233), is extended to four years with effect from 8th Apr. 1952.

*Transfer to reserve.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

12th Feb. 1955.

- J. MACDERMOTT, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502190).  
 G. E. MORLEY, M.B., Ch.B. (502192).  
 J. R. SUDBURY, B.M., B.Ch., M.R.C.P., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (501912). 21st Feb. 1955.  
 R. G. TROUP, M.B., Ch.B. (501222). 22nd Feb. 1955.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).*

Flight Lieutenant T. SUSSMAN, M.B., B.S. (502951). 29th Jan. 1955.

*National service commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant R. P. HOLMES, M.B., B.Ch. (502913) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 28th Jan. 1955.

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

- B. A. SOUTHGATE, M.B., B.S. (503904). 3rd Dec. 1954.  
 G. C. SMITH, L.M.S.S.A. (504047). 5th Jan. 1955.  
 J. M. CLIFFORD, M.B., B.Ch. (504022). 12th Jan. 1955.

**MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH.***Retirement.*

Squadron Leader C. A. SIRETT (48359). 19th Feb. 1955.

**DENTAL BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (short service).**As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

Ronald Thomson Sutherland STEWART, B.D.S. (503852). 13th Dec. 1954 (seniority 20th July 1954).

*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader E. TWELVES, L.D.S. (59406), is extended to ten years with effect from 11th Sept. 1947.

*National service commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer R. T. S. STEWART, B.D.S. (503852) (on appointment to a short service commission). 13th Dec. 1954.

**CHAPLAINS' BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (short service).**As Chaplain (three years on the active list) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—*

Rev. Frederick Cyril MANN (504100). 16th Jan. 1955 (seniority 9th Nov. 1951).

*Promotion.*

The Rev. H. L. O. REES, M.A. (61209), is granted the relative rank of Wing Commander. 14th Feb. 1955.

**EDUCATION BRANCH.***Appointment to commission (short service).**As Flying Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

- John Victor FIRTH, B.A. (2571212). 8th Nov. 1954.  
 James TATTERSALL, B.Sc. (2733051). 11th Jan. 1955.

*Appointment to commission (national service).**As Pilot Officers:—**Aircraftmen 2nd class.*

6th Jan. 1955.

- 2734944 Martin Walter BAKER, B.Sc. (2734944).  
 2734970 Rex BARHAM, B.Sc. (2734970).  
 2734961 Bryan Anthony BATES, M.Sc. (Econ.) (2734961).  
 2728530 Vernon Graham BOTTERILL, B.A. (2728530).  
 3144472 Joseph Geoffrey CHADWICK, B.Sc. (3144472).  
 2726234 Alec COLLIER, B.Sc., A.R.I.C. (2726234).  
 2591572 Barry Russell FOX, B.A. (2591572).  
 3144473 John Laurence GARRETT, B.A. (3144473).  
 2734966 Bruce William HALLIDAY, B.Sc. (2734966).  
 2731049 Peter Brian HOULDSWORTH, B.A. (2731049).  
 2734969 John Henry MACE, B.A. (2734969).  
 2734956 Graham David MITCHELL, B.Sc. (2734956).  
 2731051 Mervyn Biden MITCHELL, B.Sc. (2731051).  
 2734959 Frank Christopher NEWMAN, B.Sc., Ph.D. (2734959).  
 2734950 Patrick PETTIT, B.A. (2734950).  
 2734954 John Stanley RYLAND, B.A. (2734954).  
 2734946 Ivor John SMITH, B.A. (2734946).  
 2734949 Robert George WATSON, M.A. (2734949).  
 2734951 Lawrence Harding WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (2734951).

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

E. A. BRADLEY, B.A. (502402). 20th Feb. 1955.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

18th Feb. 1955.

- W. L. ANDERSON, B.Sc. (2710550).  
 B. BENSON, B.A. (2710551).  
 T. W. BURROW, B.Sc. (2710531).  
 H. T. COWIE, M.A. (2710530).  
 A. A. FURPHY, M.A. (2705072).  
 R. E. GRANT, B.Sc. (2710583).  
 J. K. GREEN, B.Sc. (2710535).  
 D. L. INGRAM, B.Sc. (2710532).  
 C. J. MCCRON, B.Sc. (2710555).  
 P. OLNEY, B.A. (2710554).  
 T. B. RAISTRICK, B.A. (2710533).  
 A. I. REES, B.A. (2590918).  
 A. RUTHERFORD, B.Sc. (2710552).  
 B. SHIMMIELD, B.Sc. (2711155).  
 R. W. SPARROW, B.A., Ph.D. (3142033).  
 D. J. WALKER, B.A. (2711107).

**Transfer to reserve.**

Flying Officer I. C. MACLEOD (2535318). 21st Feb. 1955.

Flying Officer J. M. WEBB, B.A. (2821789), W.R.A.F. 15th Jan. 1955.

**National service commission relinquished.**

The undermentioned on appointment to short service commissions:—

Flying Officer J. V. FIRTH, B.A. (2571212). 8th Nov. 1954.

Pilot Officer J. TATTERSALL, B.Sc. (2733051). 11th Jan. 1955.

**CATERING BRANCH.****Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Officer A. M. CROFTON (8597), W.R.A.F. 25th Jan. 1955.

**PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.****Promotion.**

Flight Officer to Squadron Officer:—

J. S. WEIR (405594). 2nd Feb. 1955.

Flying Officer to Flight Officer:—

O. A. KIRKHAM (406896). 11th Feb. 1955.

**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer G. F. MCGOWAN (407294) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 1st Jan. 1955.

**Commission resigned.**

Flying Officer B. C. DONOVAN (407073). 31st Jan. 1955.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (class CC).**

As Flying Officer:—

Philip Anthony BROWN (300545). 11th Jan. 1955.

As Pilot Officer:—

Frederick Alexander McBRIDE (300544). 11th Jan. 1955.

**Extension of service.**

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

E. W. CRISP (135646). 22nd Aug. 1954.

E. A. MILES (148404). 26th Sept. 1954.

R. F. MASON (47675). 13th Jan. 1955.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant M. V. ROSE (195837) is extended by one year with effect from 13th Feb. 1955.

**Notification amended.**

11th Jan. 1955 (p. 216, col. 1) concerning J. P. Dow, D.F.C., D.F.M. (172937) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant and for (172937) read (172939).

**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

R. R. JAMES (49836). 22nd Aug. 1953 (seniority 21st Feb. 1953).

**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer J. H. CHARSLEY (70840) (on being recalled to the Royal Navy). 3rd Jan. 1941.

**Commission relinquished (class CC).**

Flying Officer W. W. MACNAUGHTON (300521) (on cessation of duty). 1st Jan. 1955.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (class CC).**

As Squadron Leader:—

John David MCNEIL (300435). 3rd Jan. 1955.

**Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant D. A. CARLYLE (51788) is extended by five years with effect from 15th Feb. 1955.

**Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

B. M. GOLDSMITH (3136602). 25th July 1954.

L. T. G. GRAHAM (3137695). 7th Nov. 1954.

J. N. BARNARD, B.Sc. (2571472). 28th Dec. 1954.

R. P. KING (4081954). 31st Jan. 1955.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.****Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

J. P. FERNYROUGH (2532962). 7th Dec. 1954.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (class CC).**

As Wing Commander:—

Albert Meredith PAGE (192356). 3rd Jan. 1955.

**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

K. VOWE, D.F.M. (179241). 15th June 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

J. D. PROCTER (2450685). 21st Sept. 1953.

M. G. W. THOMAS (3133942). 15th July 1954.

I. M. COHEN (3133225). 20th July 1954.

D. MATTHEWS (2567669). 29th Nov. 1954 (seniority 11th Oct. 1954).

J. LAMB (2534018). 3rd Dec. 1954.

M. A. PINHORN (2520428). 6th Dec. 1954.

F. W. ANDREWS (2505802). 8th Dec. 1954.

D. L. HIGGINS (3133537). 10th Dec. 1954.

R. C. PARSONS (2512274). 17th Dec. 1954.

A. BADENOCH (2511460). 19th Dec. 1954.

W. G. PUTNAM (2573620). 20th Dec. 1954.

D. H. DAVIES (2542379). 26th Dec. 1954.

C. J. GERREY (2538879). 27th Dec. 1954.

J. S. BOUSTRED (2538721). 28th Dec. 1954.

R. A. MARTIN (2520776). 4th Jan. 1955.

D. G. STUART (2544597). 17th Jan. 1955.

18th Jan. 1955.

D. O. DAY (2518035).

R. W. HOWELL (2515272).

19th Jan. 1955.

A. H. IDLE (3134350).

L. K. W. WILLIAMS (3132586).

20th Jan. 1955.

N. A. TAPPIN (2533210).

G. L. WOOLF (2552653).

21st Jan. 1955.

G. E. BROADHEAD (2535564).

P. E. DALE (2534115).

C. F. MOSS (3132491). 23rd Jan. 1955.

P. M. REEVE (2531527). 24th Jan. 1955.

J. C. MORSE (4058123). 29th Jan. 1955.

T. A. SUMERAY (2551598). 31st Jan. 1955.

**Commission relinquished (national service list).**

Flying Officer D. J. CLARKSON (2546129) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 17th Jan. 1955.

**Commission relinquished (class CC).**

The undermentioned on cessation of duty:—

Wing Commander J. W. L. YOUNG (71436). 11th Nov. 1954.

Flight Lieutenant L. O. HURD (300194). 18th Dec. 1954.

Flying Officer J. H. EVANS (300186). 9th Jan. 1955.

**Notification amended.**

9th July 1954 (p. 4013, col. 2) concerning J. DERBYSHIRE (195657) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.****Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

P. M. SCOTT (183501). 8th Aug. 1952.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

R. W. CADY (2534070). 5th Mar. 1954.

P. S. GRANGER (2534069). 16th Apr. 1954.

R. G. CADMAN (2517034). 15th May 1954.

7th Dec. 1954.

R. HASLAM (2520396).

P. PARRISH (2532902).

S. J. KAYE (3135003). 28th Dec. 1954.

R. G. R. JONES (2516550). 31st Dec. 1954.

A. G. MCGEE (3134396). 22nd Jan. 1955.

R. BURNES-SMITH (3509793). 23rd Jan. 1955.

**FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.****Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer C. S. SILVER (3128959) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 17th Jan. 1955.

**EDUCATION BRANCH.****Commission relinquished.**

Flight Lieutenant A. C. STEVENSON (500854) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 29th Dec. 1954.

## ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

## Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. M. TAYLOR (2497539) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 10th Jan. 1955.

## TECHNICAL BRANCH.

## Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. A. HUXLEY (52532). 11th Oct. 1954.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

## Appointment to commission.

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

Arthur Walter Reginald FRAMPTON (190285). 19th Nov. 1954 (seniority 18th Oct. 1954).

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

## Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Officer E. M. CLAPHAM (106) W.R.Aux.A.F. is extended by one year with effect from 2nd Jan. 1955.

## Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer P. P. HAINES (200709). 10th Jan. 1955.

## FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

## Appointment to commission.

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

Harold WILSON (3126392). 22nd Nov. 1954.

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

William Alan Alderson DUTTON (2612162). 13th Dec. 1954.

## Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant D. E. MANSFIELD (102106). 9th Jan. 1955.

## MEDICAL BRANCH.

## Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (until 4th July 1958) :—

Rodney Peter HOLMES, M.B., B.Ch. (502913). 28th Jan. 1955.

## Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant F. E. H. LIGHTBODY, D.F.C., M.B., Ch.B. (153059) is extended by five years with effect from 18th Nov. 1954.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

## EMERGENCY LIST.

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

## Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant A. W. R. FRAMPTON (190285), retaining his rank (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 19th Nov. 1954.

## Flying Officers :—

R. O. J. EDWARDS (199611) (on appointment to the Army Emergency Reserve). 8th Nov. 1954.

M. L. MCMILLAN (163352) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 22nd Nov. 1954.

J. MONTGOMERIE (200698) (on appointment to the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (Air Branch)). 30th Nov. 1954.

## Miscellaneous (emergency commission).

The permission granted to Flight Lieutenant R. LUCAS (146108) to retain his rank, notified in London Gazette (Supplement) dated 26th Dec. 1950 is withdrawn, with effect from 4th Jan. 1955.

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

## Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. A. GREENWOOD (149729) (on appointment to the Army Emergency Reserve). 9th Dec. 1954.

## Miscellaneous (emergency commission).

The permission granted to Flying Officer C. J. HALLWARD (74113) to retain the rank of Flight Lieutenant, notified in London Gazette (Supplement) dated 12th May 1942 is withdrawn, with effect from 12th Jan. 1955.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

## Appointment to commission.

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (four years) :—

James PROUDFOOT (2600381). 10th Oct. 1954 (period of service to count from 11th Feb. 1953).

As Pilot Officer (until 29th June 1958) :—

Paul Brian EDWARDS (2579358). 30th Jan. 1955.

As Pilot Officer (until 5th July 1958) :—

John Leonard CHORLEY (3139486). 30th Jan. 1955.

As Acting Pilot Officer (until 6th Apr. 1958) :—

David Leslie LERMAN (2548528). 19th Oct. 1954.

## Extension of service.

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

## Flight Lieutenants :—

I. B. MCCUBBREY (176973). 23rd Oct. 1953.

J. GREASLEY, B.E.M. (183826). 1st Oct. 1954.

7th Oct. 1954.

D. GEALL (155857).

K. GRAY (130314).

C. C. DAVEY (205333). 23rd Nov. 1954.

C. S. BELL, D.F.C. (124149). 19th Dec. 1954.

D. W. CLARKE, D.F.C. (124388). 12th Jan. 1955.

## Flying Officers :—

F. N. DAVIE (133389). 8th Apr. 1954.

G. A. DARNBROUGH (196751). 3rd Feb. 1955.

A. A. C. BAILEY (201789). 18th Feb. 1955.

## Notification amended.

21st Sept. 1954 (p. 5378, col. 1) concerning J. H. DONAGHUE, D.F.C. (172060) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant and for DONAGHUE read DONOGHUE.

2nd Nov. 1954 (p. 6198, col. 1) concerning F. F. M. COWAN (185481) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

25th Jan. 1955 (p. 505, col. 2) concerning S. K. ELTRINGHAM (2600866) for Pilot Officer read Acting Pilot Officer.

## Promotion.

## Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

G. W. McCABE, D.S.C. (204944). 2nd Mar. 1951.

T. R. D. KEBBELL (205481). 3rd Apr. 1953.

E. H. C. TURNER (196092). 4th Sept. 1954.

E. OLDHAM, D.F.C. (179645). 21st Jan. 1955.

## Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

D. M. HARRISON (2547127). 13th Feb. 1954.

R. F. A. SPOONER (3137073). 9th Nov. 1954.

W. M. STEEN (3136849). 11th Nov. 1954.

B. C. KIMMONS (2562986). 3rd Jan. 1955.

B. F. J. BELL (2540013). 17th Jan. 1955.

P. FARRAR (3135600). 18th Jan. 1955.

B. W. MITCHELL (2528474). 22nd Jan. 1955.

A. A. J. MOSSON (2547592). 26th Jan. 1955.

L. J. BEST (3137480). 28th Jan. 1955.

## Notification amended.

25th Jan. 1955 (p. 506, col. 1) concerning R. A. SMITH (165813) for 23rd Oct. 1954 read 27th May 1952.

## Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant K. GRAY (130314) to the Technical Branch, retaining his rank. 1st Nov. 1954 (seniority 13th Aug. 1951).

The undermentioned to the Secretarial Branch, retaining their rank :—

Flight Lieutenant I. B. MCCUBBREY (176973). 22nd Dec. 1954 (seniority 10th June 1954).

## Flying Officers :—

F. W. SEAZELL (185983). 22nd Dec. 1954 (seniority 11th Apr. 1954).

W. VERLING (2602274). 13th Jan. 1955 (seniority 14th July 1954).

Pilot Officer W. A. H. KAHN (2606105), retaining his existing seniority. 22nd Dec. 1954.

## Notification amended.

31st Dec. 1954 (p. 7367, col. 2) concerning A. M. PATERSON (190920) should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS and not ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

*Transfer between branches and reversion to lower rank.*

Flight Lieutenant R. ALLEN (195087) to the Secretarial Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 22nd Dec. 1954 (seniority 7th Mar. 1950).

*Commission relinquished.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

H. J. S. BEAZLEY, D.F.C. (73023). 23rd Aug. 1954.

J. E. CROSSE (121220). 6th Oct. 1954.

R. A. ELSOM, A.F.M. (137282). 9th Jan. 1955.

H. J. RICHARDSON, D.F.C. (187121). 11th Feb. 1955.

*Flying Officers:—*

B. CLARKE (2604750). 12th Oct. 1954.

R. A. JONES (172594). 20th Feb. 1955.

N. L. ROSE, D.F.C. (144286). 21st Feb. 1955.

*Notification amended.*

21st Dec. 1954 (p. 7221, col. 1) concerning R. J. COOMBS (60324) *add* D.F.C.

*EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.*

*As Pilot Officer (until 8th Mar. 1958):—*

Alfred George Edward HALES (2571876). 3rd Oct. 1954.

*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer H. B. DEANE (83533) is extended by five years with effect from 10th Jan. 1955.

*Notification amended.*

11th Jan. 1955 (p. 217, col. 2) concerning W. H. T. EVANS (113152) *for* W. H. T. EVANS *read* W. N. T. EVANS.

*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers:—*

D. COULSON (199104). 6th Feb. 1955.

T. A. RICHARDSON (158805). 18th Feb. 1955.

*SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.*

*As Flying Officer (until 28th July 1957):—*

Derek Joshua CLARKSON (2546129). 17th Jan. 1955.

*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. EVANS (172664) is extended by five years with effect from 6th Feb. 1955.

The period of service of Flying Officer H. A. R. EARLE (179729) is extended by two years with effect from 17th Jan. 1955.

*Notification amended.*

7th Sept. 1954 (p. 5137, col. 1) concerning R. T. STOREY (138574) *for* Flying Officer *read* Flight Lieutenant.

21st Dec. 1954 (p. 7221, col. 1) concerning J. DARBY (150680) *for* Flying Officer *read* Flight Lieutenant and *for* 10th Dec. 1954 *read* 10th Dec. 1953.

*Commission relinquished.**Notification amended.*

14th Dec. 1954 (p. 7067, col. 2) concerning L. A. V. J. CICESTER-STEUART-SMITH (186469) *for* L. A. V. J. CICESTER-STEUART-SMITH *read* A. L. V. J. de CICESTR-STEUART-SMITH and should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS and not ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

*ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Commission relinquished.**Notification amended.*

4th Jan. 1955 (p. 89, col. 1) concerning G. DRYSDALE (202708) *for* Flight Lieutenant *read* Flying Officer and should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS and not ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

*AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.**Extension of service.**Notification amended.*

24th Aug. 1954 (p. 4883, col. 1) concerning J. W. FINLAYSON (198190) *for* Flight Lieutenant *read* Flying Officer and *for* J. W. FINLAYSON *read* J. D. FINLAYSON.

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

*As Pilot Officer (until 31st Mar. 1958):—*

Leonard Edward PALMER (2573865). 25th Oct. 1954.

*As Pilot Officer (until 25th May 1958):—*

John Michael NOBLE (2578208). 20th Dec. 1954.

*Promotion.**Notification amended.*

14th Dec. 1954 (p. 7067, col. 2) concerning M. W. G. LLOYD (2540836) *for* 28th Apr. 1954 *read* 14th June 1954.

*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer H. WILSON (3126392) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 22nd Nov. 1954.

*AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.**Extension of service.**Notification amended.*

21st Dec. 1954 (p. 7221, col. 2) concerning H. R. DODD (149364) *add* D.F.C.

*METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer D. M. V. CLARK (6611) W.R.A.F.V.R. 24th Jan. 1955.

*ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. TRAINING BRANCH.**Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by four years with effect from the dates stated.

*Flying Officers:—*

20th Feb. 1955.

R. L. HODGES (205636).

C. WEIR (1796400).

22nd Feb. 1955.

D. F. MAGNIN (205635).

G. E. SAVAGE (205618).

L. K. SHILCOCK (128243).

Pilot Officer J. L. DOUGHTY (205620). 16th Feb. 1955.

*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers:—*

F. C. PRIOR (1167632). 17th Feb. 1955.

L. R. W. TAYLOR (205626). 22nd Feb. 1955.

*Commission resigned.**Flying Officers:—*

J. T. WADSWORTH (206078). 26th Sept. 1954.

H. G. HOW, D.F.C. (102096). 19th Nov. 1954.

F. W. PASSEY (130045). 11th Dec. 1954.

A. A. MAIDMENT (1611112). 14th Dec. 1954.

G. S. DIBLEY (1593120). 21st Dec. 1954.

4th Jan. 1955.

E. J. PROTHEROE (13228).

A. J. O. WARNER (88137).

W. McI. BROWN (205708). 12th Jan. 1955.

Flying Officer W. F. STILES (145751), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 29th Dec. 1954.

Pilot Officer B. MATTHEWS (205951). 29th Dec. 1954.

*Commission terminated.*

Flying Officer J. BUSHELL (178108). 20th Jan. 1955.

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