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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Australian Ministers, to approve the following award in recognition of gallant and distinguished service in Malaya:

Distinguished Flying Cross

Wing Commander Kenneth Victor ROBERTSON, A.F.C. (033013), Royal Australian Air Force.

30th December 1958.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Australian Ministers, to give orders for the publication of the names of the undermentioned personnel who have been mentioned in despatches in recognition of distinguished service in Malaya:

Wing Commander George Herbert PURDY (034054), Royal Australian Air Force.
A.21226 Flight Sergeant Hilton Thomas HAYES, Royal Australian Air Force.

AIR MINISTRY

30th December 1958.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:

Distinguished Flying Cross

Flight Lieutenant David Walter TANNER (3504735), Royal Air Force.

In recognition of gallantry and devotion to duty in air operations in the Arabian Peninsula.

Queen's Commendation for Valuable Service in the Air

Flight Lieutenant David James FOSTER (607348), Royal Air Force (Deceased).

In recognition of consistent bravery and devotion to duty in air operations in the Arabian Peninsula culminating in the final gallant action in which he lost his life.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

The undermentioned half-yearly promotions are made:

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Air Vice-Marshal to Air Marshal:

W. H. MERTON, C.B., O.B.E. 1st Jan. 1959.

Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal:

1st Jan. 1959

D. J. P. LEE, C.B., C.B.E.
J. G. DAVIS, C.B., O.B.E., M.A. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal).
B. K. BURNETT, D.F.C., A.F.C.

Group Captain to Air Commodore:

1st Jan. 1959

J. F. ROULSTON, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (Acting Air Commodore).
R. C. AYLING, O.B.E. (Acting Air Commodore).
T. W. PIPER, C.B.E., A.F.C. (Acting Air Commodore).
H. E. C. BOXER, O.B.E., A.D.C.
P. T. PHILPOTT, C.B.E. (Acting Air Commodore).
T. B. de la P. BRRESFORD, D.S.O., D.F.C. (Acting Air Commodore).
F. E. ROSIER, C.B.E., D.S.O., A.D.C. (Acting Air Commodore).
A. A. CASE, C.B.E.

Wing Commander to Group Captain:

1st Jan. 1959.

D. F. DENNIS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (64274).
J. R. ARMITSTEAD, D.F.C. (33378).
G. F. LERWILL, D.F.C. (37108).
J. ELLIS, O.B.E., D.F.C. (37850).
J. E. PRESTON, A.F.C. (33443).
G. B. WARNER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (39700).
C. V. WINN, D.S.O., O.B.E., D.F.C. (40586).
A. M. RUSTON, D.F.C. (33475).
E. H. LYNCH-BLOSSE, O.B.E. (33194).
J. B. WRAY, D.F.C. (37874).
P. NORTON-SMITH, D.F.C., A.F.C. (88026).
E. P. WELLS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (58786).
A. H. W. BALL, D.S.O., D.F.C. (33532).
N. M. MAYNARD, D.F.C., A.F.C. (44196).
C. P. N. NEWMAN, O.B.E., D.F.C. (41453).
E. F. J. ODOIRE, D.F.C., A.F.C. (43139).
J. T. SHAW, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (108962).
I. S. SMITH, O.B.E., D.F.C. (43048).
C. D. NORTH-LEWIS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (45073).

P. M. BROTHERS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (37668).
 F. B. SUTTON, D.F.C. (41962).
 H. A. C. BIRD-WILSON, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (40335).
 J. F. DAVIS, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (78867).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

1st Jan. 1959
 C. G. REEVE, M.B.E. (82965).
 K. S. BOOTH, A.F.C. (63478).
 A. J. H. KITLEY (111994).
 B. A. COLVIN (115322).
 P. W. LOVELL, D.F.C., A.F.C. (42351).
 R. J. V. SMYTH, D.F.C. (69488).
 P. G. K. WILLIAMSON, D.F.C. (107239).
 J. S. HART (106672).
 B. R. M. WADE, D.F.C. (42776).
 P. J. KELLEY, D.F.C. (67647).
 E. K. PAINE (115724).
 S. J. RAWLINS, D.F.C. (42437).
 R. G. CHURCHER, D.S.O., M.V.O., D.F.C. (68172).
 J. A. WRIGHT, M.B.E., D.F.C. (106084).
 P. W. GILPIN, D.F.C. (124402).
 A. R. SCOTT, D.F.C. (59323).
 P. D. THOMSON, D.F.C., D.F.M. (126705).
 W. A. THYNNE, D.F.C., M.M., B.E.M. (129528).
 A. C. HOLLINGSWORTH (129416).
 W. K. GREER, A.F.C. (133689).
 K. R. PENRY (143870).
 H. G. DAVIES (150046).
 C. A. RENNIE, D.F.M. (50959).
 C. L. C. MASON (151008).
 W. S. O. RANDLE, M.B.E., A.F.C., D.F.M. (144393).
 P. P. VILLA (87672).
 D. N. SHEPHERD, D.F.C. (102303).
 O. L. HARDY, D.F.C., A.F.C. (59622).
 J. E. BAZALGETTE, D.F.C. (131145).
 R. G. WILSON, D.F.C., A.F.C. (125601).
 P. D. THORNE, A.F.C. (125469).
 D. ROBERTS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (150196).
 W. S. NORTHCOTT, D.F.C. (138058).
 E. G. ALCOCK, A.F.C. (144628).
 R. C. EVERSON, A.F.C. (52030).
 J. R. SAUNDERS (113421).
 L. G. A. REED, M.V.O., D.F.C. (49333).
 J. G. CLARIDGE, D.F.C., A.F.C. (59401).
 K. B. ROGERS, D.F.C., A.F.C. (59741).
 B. L. PARTRIDGE (150052).
 W. D. ROBERTSON (146902).
 M. MAYS (152451).
 R. F. HITCHCOCK, M.B.E., A.F.C. (52019).
 W. D. HOOPER, A.F.C., M.A. (152197).
 B. HAMILTON, D.F.C., A.F.C. (153452).
 R. W. G. FREER (156754).
 L. S. LAUGHTON (119209).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959
 W. J. GREGORY, D.S.O., D.F.C., D.F.M. (115577).
 J. H. C. DICKIE, O.B.E. (116095).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :

1st Jan. 1959
 J. L. FARR (154733).
 D. R. MALLETT (164222).
 G. CURRY, D.F.M. (173870).
 H. GOLDSTONE (195386).
 G. R. PRICE, D.F.M. (59384).
 L. C. SPARGO, A.F.C. (196249).
 A. WATERWORTH (196814).
 J. H. DYER, M.A. (132721).
 J. M. MAUD (168430).
 M. E. TOWNSEND, M.A. (163820).
 J. A. ORMEROD (107162).
 M. E. J. HICKMOTT, D.F.C. (180676).
 V. D. YOUNG (201818).
 W. I. MACAULEY (199080).
 R. J. T. BUCHANAN, A.F.C. (193519).
 G. H. STEWART, B.Sc. (183738).
 A. N. MCGLASHAN (200967).
 H. G. CLARK (194352).
 K. W. JOHNSON, D.F.C. (180490).
 J. G. GREENHILL (58156).
 K. McD. FLETT (3023876).
 H. G. HUXTON (196041).
 P. G. MIDDLETON (58040).
 R. R. AUSTIN (58760).
 R. S. BRAND, D.F.C. (58993).
 A. P. TROWBRIDGE, A.F.C. (3039320).
 R. H. HINTON (196308).
 B. J. S. KNIGHT (3026211).
 C. FOUNTAIN (500929).

H. WATKIN-JONES, D.F.C. (2360121).
 A. B. STINCHCOMBE (3054064).
 W. J. WOODCOCK (501102).
 I. L. M. JOHNSTON (168361).
 C. P. STARCK (502201).
 J. H. PALMER (607035).
 D. S. WHITE (3039300).
 R. J. SPIERS (607056).
 W. F. KNAPPER (582015).
 G. S. GOODSSELL (607069).
 D. L. PINN (579060).
 E. D. BLAKE (154686).
 R. D. HILLARY (181253).
 J. F. STEWART (194261).
 F. B. YETMAN, B.A. (2600751).
 C. P. WOODROFFE, M.A. (4040927).
 L. C. SWALWELL (579749).
 R. E. DAYSH (2238016).
 J. E. HORSEFALL (1586230).
 D. B. CRAIG, M.A. (2600048).
 W. E. BLISS (3046090).
 H. J. BROMWICH (3026528).
 R. RAMIREZ (1818026).
 R. L. BENNETT (3046022).
 K. G. HUNTER (3032551).
 P. K. V. HICKS (181802).
 B. E. HARVATT (3110066).
 J. S. MACROSTIE (3110123).
 P. KENT (1806443).
 M. G. BRADLEY, B.A. (2600023).
 J. L. PRICE (607120).
 R. WATSON (582051).
 L. J. RUSSELL (607121).
 E. P. BENNETT (1906354).
 C. J. TREVAINS (3035366).
 J. A. MACPHERSON, B.A. (2600921).
 P. A. GIPKINS (64311).
 C. F. P. THOMPSON (203030).
 E. W. J. MORRIS (3114228).
 R. HOLLINGSWORTH (607146).
 R. C. WOOD (607161).
 J. A. McARTHUR (607151).
 T. M. FENNELL, A.F.C. (576575).
 S. J. WEST (607160).
 R. HAMPTON (201244).
 H. A. MERRIMAN, A.F.C. (3108403).
 K. A. C. WIRDNAM (582260).
 J. FRASER (1821637).
 J. E. POLLINGTON (1398448).
 D. C. A. LLOYD (3092286).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959
 C. H. BIRD, M.B.E. (48977).
 A. PERRY (500704).

1st Jan. 1959
 G. C. KNOWLES (72000).
 R. W. ALLWRIGHT (66004).
 B. A. FRASER (165808).
 E. A. DICK (155096).
 J. E. BURRELL (54702).
 A. S. WILLIAMS (616724).
 A. R. DAW (533635).
 C. H. LOWNE (580167).
 R. CLARKE (154872).
 E. H. THOMPSON, D.F.C. (70670).
 K. M. FROST (114753).

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal :

G. SILYN-ROBERTS, C.B.E., A.F.C., M.Sc., F.R.Ae.S. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal). 1st Jan. 1959.

Group Captain to Air Commodore :

1st Jan. 1959
 C. C. MORTON, C.B.E., A.M.I.E.E. (Acting Air Commodore).
 B. BALL, C.B.E., B.A. (Acting Air Commodore).
 H. G. LEONARD-WILLIAMS, C.B.E. (Acting Air Commodore).

Wing Commander to Group Captain :

1st Jan. 1959.
 M. L. GAINE, D.S.O., A.F.C., A.F.R.Ae.S. (36120).
 J. T. ARKLY, B.Sc. (87170).
 J. L. DAVEY (45561).
 R. C. FORDHAM, O.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (47439).
 C. K. STRBET, M.B.E. (47722).
 J. A. R. M. REID (40943).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

1st Jan. 1959

- H. G. A. SCILLEY, A.F.R.Ae.S. (46672).
- R. E. G. PIFF (47944).
- R. F. JONES (46678).
- H. BALL (46628).
- L. E. FRANCIS (48065).
- J. A. THEOPHILUS, O.B.E. (47420).
- T. de T. MACDONALD (33571).
- T. U. DUNN, A.F.R.Ae.S. (83870).
- R. LOS, M.B.E. (47915).
- H. WOOLSTENCROFT, D.F.C. (48733).
- W. E. D. MAKIN, D.F.C. (124936).
- D. C. WILLIAMS, A.F.R.Ae.S. (49473).
- L. KENDRICK, A.F.R.Ae.S. (49462).
- P. GREEN (49856).
- C. S. THOMAS, M.B.E. (49882).
- I. J. de la PLAIN, A.F.R.Ae.S. (49420).
- G. H. FORD, B.Sc., A.M.I.E.E., Dip.El. (131512).
- C. J. TURNER, M.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (49931).
- J. STAFF-BRETT (51083).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :

- L. D. W. COOMBS (112079).
- A. S. D. BURKE (52218).
- A. BURDESS, M.B.E. (51787).
- R. E. WARDROP (52278).
- P. M. PASSMORE (158115).
- T. MOORE (53050).
- C. A. FIELDHOUSE (54107).
- J. E. VAN PUYENBROEK (148277).
- C. A. CAWTHORNE, D.F.M. (54753).
- T. J. THOMAS (185097).
- D. B. J. HICKS, D.F.C. (183613).
- P. WOOLLEY (58186).
- F. H. E. NUNWICK (159380).
- H. F. PALING (568578).
- L. N. WEST (568419).
- D. A. THOMAS (567860).
- R. P. DOLLIMORE, M.A. (2402018).
- A. V. H. PALMER (575816).
- B. P. MURPHY (567314).
- J. R. TILLEARD (569468).
- D. H. R. WESTON (573808).
- G. E. TREVAINS (572924).
- A. FORD (571728).
- H. PENNY (524030).
- T. J. DARVELL (572991).
- D. H. J. MARTIN-JONES, M.B.E., M.A. (1826010).
- J. D. JONES, M.A., B.Sc., Dip.El. (579438).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959

- E. C. C. WHITE, A.M.I.E.E., A.M.I.Mech.E. (61322).
- L. I. MORGAN (48567).
- J. O. BRADLEY, M.B.E. (46594).
- H. J. SIMMS (51362).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Group Captain to Air Commodore :

- C. J. SALMON, O.B.E. 1st Jan. 1959.

Wing Commander to Group Captain :

1st Jan. 1959

- S. J. BRYANT (31172).
- S. J. POPHAM-PURSEY, O.B.E. (31240).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

1st Jan. 1959

- N. V. CARTER, O.B.E. (31425).
- G. D. DILLABOUGH (31430).
- R. M. W. HENDERSON (31274).
- C. W. LOVATT (31230).
- K. E. HOLLOM (74793).
- J. C. ARCHIBALD, M.B.E. (85438).
- W. A. HARRIS (83547).
- M. DRISCOLL (49166).
- W. G. LYDAN (135265).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :

1st Jan. 1959

- E. W. KEENE, D.F.C., D.F.M. (51694).
- E. CHELMICK (54202).
- E. J. BAKER (156359).
- S. J. ACONS (57949).
- T. K. ROURKE (154535).
- E. H. R. FALK (55179).
- E. A. WASS (187849).
- J. BURRIDGE (188681).
- R. E. LIPSCOMB, B.E.M. (57815).
- W. F. M. B. BUCHAN (58284).
- P. S. HOSE (58387).

L. HODGES (58359).

- W. F. LANGLEY, B.E.M. (58418).
- F. MCGONIGLE (189875).
- E. A. WISEMAN (58524).
- A. GILL (58628).
- H. J. D. O'CONNELL (58645).
- J. A. FOSTER (58700).
- K. J. LUTON (58697).
- J. C. G. WILSON, M.B.E. (142076).
- F. G. GALLOWAY (58837).
- E. R. MANSFIELD (58826).
- H. G. JOHNSON (58970).
- A. J. HONE (200991).
- A. J. SPENCE, M.B.E. (59032).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959

- J. G. RUTHERFORD (57834).
- C. H. NORRIS (79956).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Wing Commander to Group Captain :

1st Jan. 1959

- A. R. PRUDDAH (37773).
- R. J. WALKER, D.S.O. (39915).

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

1st Jan. 1959

- J. H. McMICHAEL (37759).
- A. J. D. MACLACHLAN, D.F.C. (41797).
- G. PACKE (37070).
- E. A. CHALLIS (45413).
- W. D. ROONEY (112551).
- S. W. TIMMIS, O.B.E. (45879).
- G. A. SENTANCE, M.B.E. (47243).
- F. H. A. CAMPBELL, M.B.E. (102193).
- N. S. FEAR (48740).

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :

1st Jan. 1959

- J. L. SHARP, D.F.C., A.F.C. (43374).
- M. K. B. JAMES (500457).
- J. C. EVANS (47069).
- R. J. MERDITH (117760).
- L. J. MADDERS, D.F.C. (149931).
- N. G. PAYNE, D.F.C. (132350).
- S. TURNER, D.F.C. (52747).
- D. G. WEBB, D.F.M. (178620).
- R. FALCONER (55838).
- W. F. LLOYD (161639).
- L. T. WALTON, D.F.C. (185206).
- R. G. HILLEN (56763).
- B. W. MULLEN (57316).
- R. A. L. SIMPSON (185298).

Flight Officer to Squadron Officer, W.R.A.F. :

- H. M. A. CRAWFORD (2038). 1st Jan. 1959.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959

- R. BEILL, C.B.E., D.F.C. (500006).
- P. E. LEWIS (117920).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

Wing Commander to Group Captain :

- R. J. H. de BRETT (500468). 1st Jan. 1959.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

- D. G. ROBERTS, M.B.E., M.M. (146809). 1st Jan. 1959.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :

1st Jan. 1959

- W. D. RATCLIFFE (59765).
- S. BROADBENT, M.B.E. (59806).

MARINE BRANCH

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :

- S. J. B. SNOWDEN, D.F.M. (45838). 1st Jan. 1959.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Group Captain to Air Commodore :

- J. B. WALLACE, O.B.E., M.D., Ch.B. (Acting Air Commodore). 1st Jan. 1959.

Wing Commander to Group Captain :

1st Jan. 1959

- J. St. C. POLSON, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H. (23368).
- R. O. YERBURY, M.B., B.S.(Lond.), M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (59902).
- J. S. HOWITT, A.F.C., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (84854).

DENTAL BRANCH

Wing Commander to Group Captain :
W. A. H. SMITH, B.D.S., L.D.S. (23184). 1st Jan. 1959.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :
1st Jan. 1959
F. A. COLEMAN, B.A. (73131).
E. H. B. MARTIN, M.Sc. (81179).
A. R. M. WATTS, B.A. (58906).

PROVOST BRANCH

Wing Commander to Group Captain :
C. S. HARLEY (39785). 1st Jan. 1959.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :
L. W. C. LEWIS (173388). 1st Jan. 1959.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :
F. W. KENDRICK (182413). 1st Jan. 1959.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) :

1st Jan. 1959
J. C. ELLENDER (503366).
R. W. GUNN (504050).

CATERING BRANCH

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :
K. C. C. HICKS (135834). 1st Jan. 1959.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :
E. A. VAUTIER (56392). 1st Jan. 1959.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :
B. F. STANNARD, A.F.C. (51630). 1st Jan. 1959.

Air Ministry, 30th December, 1958

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Vice-Marshal W. M. L. MACDONALD, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., is appointed Commander-in-Chief, Headquarters, Middle East Air Force, with the acting rank of Air Marshal, in succession to Sir Hubert PATCH, K.C.B., C.B.E. 26th Nov. 1958.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Transfer to a permanent direct commission (scheme A)

As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List) :
Donald Arthur PARR (4082595). 26th June 1958.
Drummond Spence CAIRNS (3500286). 4th Sept. 1958.
William Charles Bennett ROBINSON (193515). 3rd Oct. 1958.

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :
Gordon Randal LEWIS (4115147). 23rd July 1958 (since deceased).

Appointment to a direct commission (scheme B)

As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :
17th Nov. 1958
Malcolm Anthony Verder HARRIS (2773511) (seniority 14th Feb. 1958).
Michael John PILKINGTON (5019943) (seniority 26th May 1958).

Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B)

As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :
Reginald John CARELESS (579653). 4th Sept. 1958 (period of service to count from 12th Mar. 1952).

As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :
Harold Anderson HICKLING (5011446). 13th Oct. 1957 (period of service to count from 6th Feb. 1957).

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer W. R. PIGGIN (3515404) is extended to eight years with effect from 21st Feb. 1954.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :
A. J. RICHARDSON (4036284). 12th Dec. 1958.
C. D. WEEKES (582011). 16th Dec. 1958.
P. E. HOLBOURN (2442879). 19th Dec. 1958.
A. R. TRON (2536844). 23rd Dec. 1958.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

D. R. LOWE (3133436). 17th July 1958.
C. J. PARKER (505444). 12th Dec. 1958.

17th Dec. 1958 (seniority 17th Dec. 1957)

J. W. BLOCKEY (607695).
A. J. CHAPLIN (607687).
J. J. R. COHU (607699).
A. S. COTTINGHAM (587154).
C. P. J. COULCHER (607691).
T. H. F. DELAP (607700).
M. V. P. H. HARRINGTON (607704).
J. D. HERON (607694).
A. C. R. INGOLDBY (607701).
R. G. KERR (586994).
R. H. B. Le BROCC (607683).
P. S. MARTIN (607682).
E. J. NANCE (2725206).
R. B. NELSON (607703).
H. R. FLOSZEK (4160525).
M. A. F. RYAN (607697).
D. H. SCOTT (607693).
J. H. SCULLARD (607677).
N. G. STEEL (4154430).
W. I. C. STOKER (607678).
G. C. WILLIAMS (607676).
N. B. YOUNG (607681).

D. A. STEVENS (926078). 20th Dec. 1958.
L. BARTON (2473536). 21st Dec. 1958.

26th Dec. 1958

N. M. ALLEN (3523470).
P. BURNS (4186992).
R. M. CLAYTON (3523510).
G. St. Q. DREW (4186812).
J. W. HILL (3523511).
P. J. E. HOLMES (2430627).
B. HYGATE (4186993).
C. P. ROBERTS (4185818).
D. J. ROGERS (2620734).
A. D. TURNER (592870).
B. L. WARSAP (4186711).
E. WOODRUFF (2407610).

Transfer between branches

Squadron Leader H. F. ORCHARD (145207) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 30th Dec. 1958.

Flight Lieutenant W. TOOTELL (4062884) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his rank. 30th Dec. 1958 (seniority 19th June 1958).

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant D. R. BETTERIDGE (579825). 6th Dec. 1958.
Flying Officer A. J. FIELD (4133203). 2nd Dec. 1958.

Retirement

Wing Commander C. F. CURRANT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (43367). 14th Dec. 1958.

Squadron Leaders :

J. A. STEPHEN (55561). 9th Dec. 1958.
D. A. HAMMATT, A.F.C., D.F.M. (48465). 12th Dec. 1958.
R. EDWARDS, D.S.O. (115211). 15th Dec. 1958.
A. K. GRAYSON (113988). 16th Dec. 1958.

Squadron Leader J. WELCH, D.F.C. (46092), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 26th Dec. 1958.

Flight Lieutenants :

W. A. SUTTON (179787) (at own request). 28th Nov. 1958.
R. J. BANCE (640295). 20th Dec. 1958.

J. B. F. KEDDIE (172567) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 26th Dec. 1958.

Direct commission relinquished

P. MACDONALD (174284). 18th Nov. 1958, and resumes short service commission in the General Duties Branch as notified in *London Gazette Supplement* of 3rd Oct. 1952 (p. 5189, col. 1).

Short service commission relinquished

Flying Officer J. C. BARNETT (4062843). 31st Oct. 1958.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer P. G. MOORHEAD (5028882) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 15th Sept. 1958.

Commission resigned

Pilot Officer D. REID (2765261). 20th Dec. 1958.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (national service)**As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) :*

Michael John PHILLIPS (505964). 9th Oct. 1958.

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

9th Dec. 1958

W. V. BARNES, B.Sc., A.R.C.S. (5036650).
A. E. F. BENSON, B.Sc.(Eng.) (5036672).
D. P. COOPER, B.Sc. (5036649).
K. McA. DARGIE, B.Sc. (5036659).
G. I. DUFF, B.Sc.(Eng.), A.C.G.I. (5036677).
R. A. HOPE (5036656).
B. A. JOYCE, B.Sc. (5036653).

Retirement

Wing Commander F. J. WALTERS, M.B.E. (45770). 12th Dec. 1958.

*National service commission relinquished**Flying Officers (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.) :*

D. H. BECKMAN (5027603). 6th Sept. 1958.
D. G. JENKIN (2608443). 9th Sept. 1958.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Pilot Officer A. E. DREIBHOLZ (5036794). 13th Dec. 1958.

Retirement

Squadron Leader C. BILLINGTON (62371) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 14th Dec. 1958.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant A. C. FOREMAN (501010). 12th Dec. 1958.

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

G. STOCKS, A.A.C.C.A. (5036351). 6th Dec. 1958.

9th Dec. 1958

W. D. KIRTLEY (5036666).
M. A. E. LOUKS (5036674).

National service commission relinquished

Pilot Officer D. J. E. BUTTERWORTH (2736354). 17th Mar. 1958.

Commission resigned

Flight Lieutenant E. A. J. CANHAM (133855). 23rd Dec. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

*Appointment to commission (permanent)**As Flying Officer (General List)*

Raymond William POCOCK (4119069). 15th Oct. 1958 (for subsequent transfer to the Equipment Branch).

Transfer to reserve

Flying Officer J. N. WATERS (4081916). 21st Dec. 1958.

MARINE BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (permanent)**As Flight Lieutenant (General List) :*

Thomas Hilton FINN (504779). 1st Oct. 1957.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH

Temporary commission relinquished

Squadron Leader J. E. JONES, B.Sc.(Eng.), A.M.I.C.E. (504763). 2nd Dec. 1958.

MEDICAL BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (permanent)**As Flight Lieutenant (General List)*

James Augustine O'SULLIVAN, M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. (503596). 20th Oct. 1958.

DENTAL BRANCH

*Transfer to reserve (national service list)**Flight Lieutenants :*

N. W. V. BRYAN, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505160). 10th Oct. 1958.

5th Dec. 1958

A. J. MACGREGOR, B.D.S. (505147).
D. A. REES, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505149).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (permanent)**As Chaplain (General List) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader :*

Rev. Ralph Adrian LINDLEY, B.A. (58419). 11th Aug. 1958.

EDUCATION BRANCH

*Appointment to commission (short service)**As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :*

Derek Taylor MARSH, B.A. (2689105). 24th Nov. 1958.

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :

10th Oct. 1958

Peter Gordon CLARIDGE, B.Sc. (505995).

Michael FISHER, B.A. (506014).

David JENKINS, B.A. (505979).

Philip Alfred JONES, B.A. (505978).

John Albert LARKINS, B.A. (506011).

David Ronald MORGAN, B.Sc. (506016).

Michael Roger PEARCE, B.A. (505977).

Michael John SUTTON, B.A. (506015).

William James Neville THOMAS, B.A. (505987).

Alan Robert William TOMS, B.A. (506017).

Colin Selby WOOD (505989).

Charles Rostron FORD, B.Sc. (2608524). 15th Oct. 1958.

As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :

10th Oct. 1958

Frederick Brian BARNES, B.Sc.(Econ.) (505988).

Richard David BARWELL, B.A. (506013).

David EASTWOOD, B.A. (506012).

Terence John HOULFORD, LL.B. (506020).

John Raymond MYERS, LL.B. (505990).

Peter Heaton STANDING, B.A. (506022).

15th Oct. 1958

David Francis BARNETT, B.A. (2620790).

Michael DIXON, B.A. (2620791).

*Appointment to commission (national service)**As Pilot Officers (Supplementary List) :*

9th Oct. 1958

John Neville William CHAFFE, B.Sc. (505985).

Brian Taylor DODD, B.Sc. (505991).

Edward James HARRY (505981).

Leo Vincent HOWARD, B.Sc. (505986).

John David MARSHALL, B.Sc. (2608518).

John Michael MOSS, B.A. (506021).

Nicholas Tindal PHILLIPSON, M.A. (2620382).

Derek Leslie ROBINSON, B.Sc. (505982).

Roger Keith SPARKES (506010).

Alan Keith TAYLOR, B.Sc. (505984).

Notification amended

4th Nov. 1958 (p. 6732, col. 1) concerning Michael John SMITHIES, B.A. (505969) for B.A. read M.A.

Extension of service

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. T. W. FINDLEY, B.A. (173687) is extended to six years with effect from 29th Dec. 1953.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant P. STRINGFELLOW, B.Sc. (2608284), is extended to five years with effect from 28th Oct. 1955.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant W. M. HERBERT, B.Sc. (2707963), is extended until 25th Sept. 1961.

Transfer to reserve

Squadron Leader G. G. HOPPIT (1323970). 15th Dec. 1958.

Flight Officer S. M. STEAD, B.A. (8628), W.R.A.F. 6th Dec. 1958.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Flying Officer G. R. BARBOUR, M.A., LL.B. (5036646). 9th Dec. 1958.

Retirement

Wing Commander J. K. SILVER, B.Sc. (75303). 27th Dec. 1958.

Commission terminated

Flying Officer D. J. GEBBETT, B.A. (505885). 25th Nov. 1958.

CATERING BRANCH

Appointment to commission (short service)

As Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Robert John SELLERS (2528483). 19th Nov. 1958 (seniority 22nd Nov. 1957).

Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial

Flying Officer F. C. J. LEACH (2598144). 1st Sept. 1958.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

Short service commission relinquished

Flying Officer I. B. McPHERSON, D.F.C. (172549) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 26th Dec. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission relinquished (national service list)

Flying Officer M. A. V. HARRIS (2773511) (on appointment to a direct commission in the R.A.F.). 17th Nov. 1958.

Pilot Officer M. J. PILKINGTON (5019943) (on appointment to a direct commission in the R.A.F.). 17th Nov. 1958.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flying Officer D. T. MARSH, B.A. (2689105) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 24th Nov. 1958.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE

(Reconstituted)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Extension of service

The period of service of Flying Officer J. B. LARDER (2549674) is extended by two years with effect from 28th Nov. 1958.

*Transfer to reserve**Flying Officers:*

L. MARSHALL (2607931). 28th Feb. 1958.

J. A. HARGREAVES, B.Sc. (2743992). 13th July 1958.

J. E. HARPER (2690035). 16th Oct. 1958.

Pilot Officers:

G. W. RICE (2742146). 3rd Sept. 1958.

G. E. COOK (2682018). 28th Sept. 1958.

GENERAL LIST

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. BLAGG (2681690) is extended by four years with effect from 19th Oct. 1958.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. WROE (2686626) is extended by two years with effect from 1st Sept. 1958.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flying Officer W. J. CURRAN (194402). 23rd Nov. 1958.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flying Officer J. F. HIGGINS (53697). 4th Dec. 1958.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Squadron Leader R. G. H. CUNNINGHAM, M.B., Ch.B. (72014). 6th Dec. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

EMERGENCY LIST

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Commission relinquished

Flying Officer R. J. SELLERS (2528483) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 19th Nov. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(Reconstituted Section)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to commission

As Pilot Officer (until 21st Feb. 1962):

Peter Gerald MOORHEAD (5028882). 15th Sept. 1958.

Commission relinquished

Pilot Officer David Francis BARNETT (2620790) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 15th Oct. 1958.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission

As Flying Officer (until 12th Feb. 1962):

Donald Hubert BECKMAN (5027603). 6th Sept. 1958.

As Flying Officer (until 15th Feb. 1962):

David Griffith JENKIN (2608443). 9th Sept. 1958.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE

TRAINING BRANCH

Extension of service

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

E. W. BARRON (2524002). 3rd Dec. 1958.

J. CHURCHILL (2513800). 7th Dec. 1958.

K. A. DAVIES (3093474). 8th Dec. 1958.

N. C. F. BLOY (144931). 13th Dec. 1958.

G. W. CULHAM (196143). 15th Dec. 1958.

J. A. GIBBS (1672315). 18th Dec. 1958.

A. P. DUNLOP (202520). 19th Dec. 1958.

28th Dec. 1958

T. H. EVANS (1100761).

L. P. T. HALL (1498863).

W. E. LEE (1208014).

A. LLOYD-JONES (994755).

K. E. SOAL (205581).

A. G. WILSON (205790).

A. W. CHAPMAN (3105130). 30th Dec. 1958.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by one year with effect from the dates stated:

B. A. ENEFER (204111). 10th Dec. 1958.

C. H. PALMER, D.F.M. (116865). 27th Dec. 1958.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. E. BROWN (133786) is extended until 15th June 1958.

*Commission relinquished**Flying Officers:*

E. B. FARNELL (1590549). 8th Oct. 1958.

M. GRAY, B.A. (2574380). 12th Nov. 1958.

P. R. CHURCH (164480). 16th Nov. 1958.

Flying Officer W. A. GLANFIELD (136299), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 23rd Oct. 1958.

*Commission resigned**Flying Officers:*

E. R. A. DODDS (3102692). 26th Sept. 1958.

D. M. BACON (188441). 22nd Oct. 1958.

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