

**Direct commission relinquished**

Flight Lieutenant W. G. GERRARD (133423) (on appointment to a permanent commission. 13th Feb. 1959.

Acting Pilot Officer B. R. JONES (4230206) (on appointment to a short service commission). 4th Nov. 1958.

**National service commission relinquished**

Pilot Officer M. D. SYKES (50111404) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 23rd Dec. 1958.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH**

**Transfer to Supplementary List conditions of service**  
Squadron Leader George Hatton KING, M.B.E. (50782), who was appointed to a permanent commission is transferred to the Supplementary List under the terms of A.M.O. A.215/55, reverting to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 6th Mar. 1959 (seniority 21st July 1946).

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

P. M. WILSON (503521). 25th Mar. 1959.

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :**

26th Mar. 1959

D. W. COOKE (578103).

A. SMALL (586707).

27th Mar. 1959

J. V. LEWIS (505530).

C. ROWE (505588).

**Transfer to reserve**

Flying Officer A. J. PORTER (2769977). 29th Mar. 1959.

**Retirement****Flight Lieutenants :**

J. M. FAITHFULL (54623) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 23rd Feb. 1959.

V. E. M. WATKINS, M.B.E., D.F.M. (48257). 24th Mar. 1959.

G. WEST (49929) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 30th Mar. 1959.

**Commission terminated**

Pilot Officer G. E. STANLEY (506050). 3rd Mar. 1959.

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

Alan Adrian ASTON (3521466). 1st Oct. 1958.

**As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) :**

William Gordon GERRARD (133423). 13th Feb. 1959 (seniority 13th Jan. 1955).

**Appointment to commission (short service)**

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

Barry Reid JONES (4230206). 4th Nov. 1958.

**Promotion****Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :**

R. E. BRITTON (505390). 27th Mar. 1959.

**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant E. L. ORCHARD (48263), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader, (at own request). 23rd Feb. 1959.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH****Appointment to commission (permanent)****Notification amended**

3rd Mar. 1959 (p. 1485, col. i) concerning Michael Alexander LAURENCE (3142387) for LAURENCE read LAURANCE.

**Transfer to reserve**

Flight Lieutenant R. E. S. SELIGMAN (130756). 17th Mar. 1959.

**Transfer to reserve (national service list)**

Pilot Officer J. L. GIBSON, C.A. (5043471). 27th Feb. 1959.

**Retirement**

Wing Commander A. E. ANDERSON (21318). 30th Mar. 1959.

**Notification cancelled**

3rd Mar. 1959 (p. 1485, col. 2) concerning E. G. SCOTT (2828824), W.R.A.F.

**Short service commission relinquished**

Pilot Officer E. G. SCOTT (2828824), W.R.A.F. 25th Feb. 1959.

**Emergency List commission relinquished**

Flying Officer H. W. H. NIMMO (2557287) (on appointment to the Territorial Army). 11th Dec. 1958.

**Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial**

Flight Lieutenant A. K. HAY (145130). 5th Jan. 1959.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT****Grant of acting rank****Notification amended**

3rd Mar. 1959 (p. 1485, col. 2) concerning J. HARRIS, C.B., C.B.E. for J. HARRIS read J. H. HARRIS.

**Transfer to reserve****Flying Officers :**

T. B. E. STANDLEY (4116869). 25th Mar. 1959.

H. JACKSON (3147417). 29th Mar. 1959.

**MARINE BRANCH****Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant G. H. BAILEY (501073) (at own request). 1st Mar. 1959.

**AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH****Commission terminated**

Flying Officer A. J. SIBLEY (506050). 3rd Mar. 1959.

**MEDICAL BRANCH****Appointment to commission (short service)**

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

Ian Wilson MANSON, M.B., Ch.B. (506081). 9th Nov. 1958.

**Extension of service**

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. A. BEAL, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (504910) is extended until 18th Jan. 1960.

**Promotion****Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :**

J. L. COWAN, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501298). 31st Mar. 1959.

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :**

A. J. B. LUKE, M.B., B.S. (505744). 2nd Mar. 1959.

D. G. MUIRHEAD, M.B., Ch.B. (505770). 27th Mar. 1959.

R. W. GRIFFITH, B.M., B.Ch. (505753). 29th Mar. 1959.

**Transfer to reserve****Flight Lieutenants :**

R. D. CHOUDHURY, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (504911). 28th Feb. 1959.

R. AKROYD, B.M., B.Ch. (504689). 27th Mar. 1959.

**DENTAL BRANCH****Promotion****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :**

A. I. MUNDAY, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505980). 17th Mar. 1959.

**CHAPLAINS BRANCH****Appointment to commission (permanent)**

**As Chaplain (General List) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader :**

Rev. Edward Alexander Capparis CANNAN, B.D., A.K.C. (51619). 8th Jan. 1959.

**EDUCATION BRANCH****Appointment to commission (short service)**

**As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :**

Ivor DAVIES, M.A., M.Sc. (504429). 23rd Feb. 1959.

**Extension of service**

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. C. ELTRINGHAM, B.A. (503303) is extended to seven years with effect from 23rd Sept. 1953.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer W. F. HORNBY, B.A. (504846) is extended until 7th Sept. 1959.

**Promotion****Notification cancelled**

10th Feb. 1959 (p. 961, col. 2) concerning R. A. MORRISON, M.A. (5052810).