2nd Lt. (on probation) H. H. COOPER (490946) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Dec. 1970. To be Lt., 23rd Dec. 1972.

Avr

Lt. L. C. S. MAXWELL (477896) resigns his commn., 1st Dec. 1972.

Martin Ivor Cannings (494989) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 29th Nov. 1972.

Trevor Thomas Edwards (494990) to be 2nd Lt. (on

probation), 29th Nov. 1972.

Cambridge, Isle of Ely and Huntingdon
2nd Lt. (on probation) B. P. Hurst (490751) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Nov. 1970. To be Lt., 19th Nov.
1972, with seniority 19th Nov. 1970.
2nd Lt. (on probation) G. W. Beales (490848) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Nov. 1970. To be Lt., 23rd

Nov. 1972, with seniority 23rd Nov. 1970.

Lt. J. Jones (485998) resigns his commn., 30th Nov. 1972.

Carmarthen
Lt. N. G. BASKERVILLE (484155) resigns his commn.,
1st Nov. 1972.

John Doherty (494885) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 2nd Nov. 1972.

2nd Lt. (on probation) F. R. GRIFFITHS (490896) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Dec. 1970. To be Lt., 18th Dec. 1972, with seniority 26th May 1971. Dumfries and Galloway

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. J. Kelly (491579) resigns his commn., 14th Jul. 1972.

Lt. N. H. PARRY, T.D. (368707) (Res. of Offrs., Class III) resigns his commn., 9th Nov. 1972 and is restored to the rank of Maj.

Gloucester

2nd Lt. (on probation) F. E. Brace (490873) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 18th Dec. 1970. To be Lt., 18th Dec. 1972, with seniority 26th Nov. 1971.

Greater London (N.W. Sector)

Gordon Kenneth Cooper (494956) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 24th Nov. 1972.

Greater London (S.E. Sector)

Lt. I. M. Wybrow (486006) resigns his commn., 25th Nov. 1972.

Hertford

Lt. J. Slade (480848) relinquishes his commn. upon completion of his tenure of appointment, 4th Nov. 1972.

Frank James Cousins (494933) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 14th Nov. 1972.

Lancashire (West)
Lt. S. L. STEVENSON (483320) resigns his commn., 27th Aug. 1972.

Merioneth and Montgomery
Lt. J. D. WILLIAMS, M.B.E. (470439) resigns his commn., 24th Oct. 1972 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

2nd Lt. (on probation) L. R. ROWLANDS (490844) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 25th Nov. 1970. To be Lt., 25th Nov. 1972, with seniority 25th Nov. 1970.

Gerald Dennis ELMY (494887) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 4th Nov. 1972.

Lt. J. V. Marriott (361144) resigns his commn., 29th Sep. 1972 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt. Suffolk

At. M. Mason (381319) resigns his commn., 23rd Oct. 1972 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

York (East Riding)

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. CAVENAY (488919) resigns his commn., 30th Sep. 1972.

York (West Riding)

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 10th Nov. 1972:
Norman Bruce Baillie (494948).
Michael Joseph Heathcote (494950).
Clive Robert Smith (494952).

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

9th January 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Marshal D. CROWLEY-MILLING, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. is appointed Air Officer Commanding, No. 46 Group, in succession to Air Marshal Sir Harry Burton, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O. 3rd Jan. 1973.

Air Vice-Marshal I. G. Broom, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C., is appointed Deputy Controller, National Air Traffic Services, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal E. D. Crew, C.B., D.S.O., D.F.C., M.A. 6th Jan. 1973.

Air Commodore D. A. Pocock, O.B.E., is appointed Commandant General of the Royal Air Force Regiment and Inspector of Ground Defence, with the acting rank

and Inspector of Ground Defence, with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal B. P. Young, C.B., C.B.E. 6th Jan. 1973.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:
A. E. D. JACOTINE (1921791). 2nd Jan, 1973.
C. C. WYVER (690115). 4th Jan. 1973.
7th Jan. 1973

A. G. R. Brown (4233436). A. Burgess (4233435).

D. E. CARTER (687081).D. G. CAVANNAGH (4233345).

G. Dalton (4233353)

W. J. Denman (683667).D. A. Drake (4233438).

D. A. Drake (4233438).
L. M. Dutton (4233439).
A. Gibson (4233440).
M. J. Grierson (4233399).
P. W. Jonathan (5200237).
R. Patterson (4233442).
R. J. Payne (4233410).
A. J. Skene (4233443).
P. F. Taylor (4233450).
J. S. Todd (4233451).
N. M. Watson (4233317).

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Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:
K. R. McCarthy, B.Sc. (8020974). 15th Sep. 1972
(Seniority 15th Jun. 1971).

7th Jan. 1973

D. I. LINGARD (8025560).

T. M. NEVILLE (8025563). D. J. NORRIS (8025458). A. J. ORMEROD (8025530). E. A. ROGGE (8025473). P. SALKELD (8025502).

I. V. Sheffield (8025495).
 P. C. Smith (8025555).
 S. G. Smyth (8025529).

S. P. E. SOLOMON (8025500).

G. L. Tompson (8025547).

Specialist Aircrew

Flight Lieutenant designated Specialist Aircrew: D. N. Evans (4094235). 28th Aug. 1972.

Re-grading
Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

Notification Cancelled

London Gazette dated 14th Nov. 1972 concerning P. S. Walters (5201146).

Transfer between Branches

Acting Pilot Officer R. M. TAYLOR (8025895) has transferred to the General Duties (Ground) Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer 1st Jan. 1973, with seniority of 10th Aug. 1972.

Transfer to the Reserve
Flight Lieutenant J. M. ROGERS (4232595). 8th Dec. 1972.

Retirement

Air Commodore J. A. G. JACKSON, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C., M.B.I.M. 25th Dec. 1972. Squadron Leader J. A. HICKMOTT (3515760). 1st Jan. 1973

Flight Lieutenants:

I. M. Waller (3514277). 27th Dec. 1972. C. W. J. Foot (3514361). 28th Dec. 1972.