- Hampshire & Isle of Wight 2nd Lt. (on probation) J. W. WICKETT (496162) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 2nd Mar. 1973. To be Lt. 2nd Mar. 1975, with seniority 2nd Mar. 1973.
- 2nd Lt. (on probation) A. WILSON (496163) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 2nd Mar. 1973. To be Lt., 2nd Mar. 1975, with seniority 2nd Mar. 1973.

Hereford Lt. W. R. AINSLIE (356012) resigns his commn., 20th Dec. 1974 and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. Humberside

2nd Lt. (on probation) S. H. ELMES (495930) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 15th Mar. 1973. To be Lt., 15th Mar. 1975, with seniority 15th Mar. 1973.

Lancashire

Daniel LYON (499664) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 23rd Jan. 1975.

Merseyside

Lt. P. Hartley (473288) resigns his commn., 5th Dec. 1974 and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Tyne & Wear

2nd Lt. L. MARSHALL (495967) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 23rd Mar. 1973. To be Lt., 23rd Mar. 1975, with seniority 7th Dec. 1974.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

Whitehall. London, SW1A 2HB. 25th March 1975.

NOTE. An award to a member of the Royal Air Force is today published in the Ministry of Defence, Honours and Awards, Supplement to the London Gazette.

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

25th March 1975.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Vice-Marshal P. D. G. TERRY, C.B., A.F.C., is appointed Assistant Chief of Staff (Plans and Policy Divi-sion) Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe in suc-cession to Air Vice-Marshal M. J. BEETHAM, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. 22nd Mar. 1975. Air Vice-Marshal D. B. CRAIG, O.B.E., M.A., is appoin-ted Assistant Chief of Air Staff (Operations) in succession to Air Vice-Marshal W. E. COLAHAN, C.B.E., D.F.C. 22nd Mar. 1975.

22nd Mar. 1975.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer :

Flight Sergeants

27th Feb. 1975

John David BEAN (686525) (Seniority 12th Aug. 1969). Robin Antony BICKERS (4267502) (Seniority 20th Jun. 1969).

Harold James CLARK (3529040) (Seniority 29th Nov. 1968).

Allen PINNINGTON (687433) (Seniority 29th Oct. 1969).

27th Feb. 1975

Sergeant Brian George McLAREN (688989) (Seniority 1st

Apr. 1971). Corporal David Geoffrey ELLIOTT (1961042) (Seniority 16th Sep. 1972). Junior Technician Kevin George SEAR (8089482)

(Seniority 28th Dec. 1974).

As Pilot Officer :

2nd Feb. 1975 (Seniority 2nd Nov. 1973)

William John BIRD, B.A. (5203070). Michael Anthony CHAPMAN, B.Sc. (5203071).

As Acting Pilot Officer :

27th Feb. 1975 Robert Bryant FINCH (8026640). Robert Bryant FINCH (8026040). Michael John Fox (8026642). Frederick Hector GRUNDY (8026608). Geoffrey Glen HAMMETT (8026609). Robin Christopher HEANEY (8026643). Laurence Douglas Wentworth Jones (8026643). Peter John KENNEDY (8026621). Raymond Thomas KNOWLES (8026645). Deter Bryald Large (802661). Peter Donald LEES (8026610). Steven James Millard (8026650). Ian Alexander Milne (2621057). John Frederick STREETER (8026648). Bruce VAUTIER (8026647). Simor Francis WARREN (8026641). Nicholas Martin WARRICK (8026611).

Aircraftmen

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : J. M. CLIFFORD, B.Sc. (5201371) 26th Jan. 1975. H. L. KARL (5201141) 20th Mar. 1975.

Pilot Officer to Flight Lieutenant: T. J. ELLIS, M.A. (5202720) 15th Oct. 1974 (Notification in London Gazette dated 28th Jan. 1975, Air Force Department entry for 21st Jan. 1975 promoting to Flying Officer is hereby cancelled.)

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

15th Jan. 1975 (Seniority 15th Oct. 1973)

R. E. V. CLARK, B.Sc. (2623056). C. S. COUTTS (2621094). M. J. J. GRAY, B.Sc. (8021300). A. J. M. HAYWARD, B.Sc. (8021301). A. A. YOUNG, M.A. (2621090). N. P. STORAH, B.A. (2621760) 22nd Mar. 1975 (Seniority 2nd Lun 1973) 22nd Jun. 1973).

Specialist Aircrew

Flight Lieutenant P. A. T. SHAW (586591) is designated Specialist Aircrew 17th Mar. 1975.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer : I. A. M. BRAYN-SMITH (8026415) 24th Jan. 1975.

21st Mar. 1975

A. J. ASTBURY (8026473). S. B. J. BARBER (8026456). R. J. BURGESS (8023179).

Transfer to the Reserve

Flight Lieutenant A. H. WILLIAMS (4233268) 10th Mar. 1975.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant T. J. MARTIN (588415) 17th Mar. 1975.

Commission Resigned

Acting Pilot Officer C. D. REES PHILLIPS (5202729) 1st Feb. 1975.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer : 27th Feb. 1975

Flight Sergeant Keith Yealand BOXALL (1945459) (Seniority 23rd May 1971).

Sergeants

John Alma JARDINE (687970) (Seniority 8th Dec. 1970). Joseph Donald BENOIST (689212) (Seniority 15th Jun. 1972).

As Acting Pilot Officer :

Aircraftmen

27th Feb. 1975

Colin Thomas BUXTON (8023278)

Richard Anthony Youngs (8023282).