

Andrew Shane KIRKPATRICK (2624258). 12th May 1976.

Andrew Frank WALKER (2623597), 13th May 1976.

Promotion

Air Marshal to Air Chief Marshal :
Sir John AIKEN, K.C.B., 8th Jul. 1976.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :
7th Jul. 1976

D. I. LINGARD (8025560).
T. M. NEVILLE (8025563).
D. J. NORRIS (8025458).
P. C. SMITH (8025555).
S. G. SMYTH (8025529).
S. P. E. SOLOMON (8025500).

Pilot Officer to Flight Lieutenant :
D. A. ROBERTSON, B.Sc. (2622452), 11th Jul. 1976
(Seniority 11th Apr. 1976).

Notification amended

London Gazette dated 18th Feb. 1975 concerning P. A. SNEDDON, B.Sc. (2622399) amend seniority date to read 15th Oct. 1974.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :
11th Jul. 1976
A. D. PARKER, B.Sc. (5203337) (Seniority 11th Oct. 1974).
W. A. C. DART (8026535).
W. R. HARTREE (8026536).
F. B. PRESCOTT (8026537).
P. W. D. RUDDOCK (8026540).
S. A. WEATHERSTON (8026542).
P. C. WEST (8026543).

Transfer between Branches

Flight Lieutenant K. J. HORLOCK, M.A. (5201395) to the Administrative Branch, 7th Jul. 1976 in the rank of Flying Officer with seniority of 15th Oct. 1972.

Flight Lieutenant A. NETTELFIELD (3134039) to the General Duties (Ground) Branch, 12th Jul. 1976 in existing rank and seniority.

Flight Lieutenant I. M. MARTIN, LL.B. (8021214) to the Supply Branch, 14th Jun. 1976 in the rank of Flying Officer with seniority of 15th Oct. 1973. (Substituted for notification in *London Gazette* dated 15th Jun. 1976.)

Retirement

Air Chief Marshal Sir Anthony HEWARD, K.C.B., O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C., 30th Jun. 1976.

Air Vice-Marshal C. M. GIBBS, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., 1st Jul. 1976.

Air Commodore E. B. SISMORE, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C., A.E., M.B.I.M., 23rd Jun. 1976.

Wing Commander A. C. RICHARDS (137223), 23rd Jun. 1976.

Squadron Leaders:

P. C. GRAYLAND, A.F.C. (3032296), 21st Jun. 1976.
G. T. DANDY (579111), 30th Jun. 1976.

1st Jul. 1976

P. J. BARCLAY (194408).
W. D. LINCOLN (502416).

D. PINE (166711), 2nd Jul. 1976.

D. W. COOMBS (3050979), 9th Jul. 1976.

J. K. WILLIAMS (591750) (at own request), 30th Jun. 1976.

Flight Lieutenants:

R. WELLS (2532310), retaining rank of Squadron Leader, 1st Jul. 1976.

D. BETTON (2218650), 8th Mar. 1976.

N. A. TEBBS (4179759), 22nd Jun. 1976.

1st Jul. 1976

T. W. CLARKSON, D.F.C. (52689).

J. A. DILLON (688666).

D. A. WILDSMITH (4231873).

R. H. WILLIAMS (4073353).

P. J. BUCKE (4231606) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), 13th Jul. 1976.

S. A. SUMNER (2528430) (at own request), 3rd Jun. 1976.

Commission Terminated

Flight Lieutenant S. J. HASTINGS, B.Sc. (5203083), 8th Jun. 1976.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Lieutenant A. J. CAPPER (8025037) is extended to 15th Nov. 1978.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :
M. V. COOK (8023306), 8th Jul. 1976.

Retirement

Squadron Leader J. G. EGGLESTON (4082613) (at own request), 6th Jul. 1976.

Commission Relinquished

Flight Lieutenant L. M. COOK (2797503) W.R.A.F., 30th Jun. 1976.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer :
Ralph James HARDWICK (209275), 30th May 1976.

As Acting Pilot Officer :
David Richmond SHARPE (5203123), 13th May 1976.

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Pilot Officer (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :
Steven William St. John OLIVER, B.Sc. (5203364), 30th May 1976 (Seniority 28th Feb. 1975).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :
11th Jul. 1976

D. C. J. DIMES (682773).
D. J. FOYLE (1942111).
G. GATHERER (685119).
K. P. HICKMAN (4268637).
G. R. TURNER (1949763).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :
S. R. SIMS, B.Sc. (5203336), 11th Jul. 1976 (Seniority 11th Oct. 1973).

Retirement

Squadron Leaders :

1st Jul. 1976
C. E. BELL (3525104).
W. LADMORE (2711261).

J. D. GRIFFITHS, M.B.E. (572169) (at own request), 30th Jun. 1976.

Flight Lieutenants :

B. A. RANDALL (1925231), 5th Jul. 1976.
T. F. WHITEHOUSE (4335377) (at own request), 10th Jun. 1976.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Transfer to the Reserve

Flying Officer C. J. SINGLETON (8022872), 24th Jun. 1976.

ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Pilot Officer :
David Hugh ANDERSON (5203366), 30th May 1976
(Seniority 30th Feb. 1975).

As Acting Pilot Officer :
Andrew Norman GREEN (5203124), 11th May 1976.

Appointment to Commission (Medium Service)

Notification amended

London Gazette dated 30th Dec. 1971 (Air Force Department entry for 28th Dec. 1971) concerning James Keith Ingram TAYLOR (5201927) add (Seniority 4th Sep. 1971).