

**Retirement**

Wing Commander D. DUNCAN, M.Sc., C.Eng., M.R.Ae.S. (52785), 27th Oct. 1977.  
Squadron Leader J. W. SAPSFORD, C.Eng., M.I.MechE., A.M.B.I.M. (507123), 3rd Oct. 1977.  
Flight Lieutenant J. S. WHITE (578129), 22nd Oct. 1977.

**Commission Resigned**

Pilot Officer A. B. R. SIMMONS (5203487), 23rd Sep. 1977.

**SUPPLY BRANCH****Promotion**

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :*  
J. CRICHTON, B.Sc. (9105) W.R.A.F., 26th Oct. 1977.

**Retirement**

Wing Commander E. J. BAKER, O.B.E., A.M.B.I.M., M.Inst.P.S. (156359) (at own request), 30th Sep. 1977.

**ADMINISTRATIVE BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)**

*As Acting Pilot Officer :*  
Aircraftman James DALE (8023427), 6th Oct. 1977.

**Promotion**

*Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :*  
D. JACKLIN (685425), 29th Oct. 1977.

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*  
D. F. WILLETTS (588243), 28th Oct. 1977.  
C. L. DAWSON (8025681), 29th Oct. 1977.

**Extension of Service**

*The period of service on the Active List of the under-mentioned officers is extended to the dates stated :*  
Squadron Leader V. G. NORTHCOTT, B.Sc. (8962) W.R.A.F., 22nd Sep. 1980.  
Flight Lieutenant D. E. DONALDSON (2797557) W.R.A.F., 20th Dec. 1979.

**Regrading**

*Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer :*  
*Notification amended :*  
London Gazette dated 13th Sep. 1977 concerning J. H. MOYCE (8032025) W.R.A.F. amend effective date to read 2nd Jul. 1977.

**Retirement**

*Wing Commanders (at own request) :*  
B. R. CLARKE (168350), 25th Oct. 1977.  
G. P. FRY, M.B.E., B.Sc., A.M.B.I.M. (502401), 1st Oct. 1977.

**Commission Resigned**

Squadron Leader R. B. MOSS, B.A. (2582045) (Retd.), 19th Sep. 1977.

**Commission Terminated**

Flying Officer S. E. ANNING (9148) W.R.A.F., 23rd Sep. 1977.

**SECURITY BRANCH****Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant H. B. GRAY (59906) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), 26th Oct. 1977.

**MEDICAL BRANCH****Promotion**

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :*  
1st Aug. 1977  
G. S. PAYNE, M.B., Ch.B. (5202627).  
J. S. H. REID, M.B., Ch.B. (5202628).  
S. D. H. HOLT, B.Chir. (5202935), 14th Sep. 1977.

*Notification amended :*  
London Gazette dated 27th Sep. 1977 concerning D. W. FERRIDAY, M.B., B.Sh. (5202676), amend effective date to read 4th Aug. 1977.

**Extension of Service**

The period of service on the Active List of Squadron Leader I. DEWHURST, M.B., Ch.B. (5200919) is extended to 31st Jan. 1979.

**Change of Type of Commission (Short Service to Permanent)**

Squadron Leader J. JONES, M.B., B.Ch., D.Obst. R.C.O.G. (5201119), 9th Sep. 1977.  
Flight Lieutenant S. D. MILNES, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (2616742), 25th Aug. 1977.

**MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH****(MEDICAL SECTION)****Appointment to Commission (Permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant :**

*Sergeants :*  
6th Oct. 1977  
David SOUTHERN-ROBERTS, S.R.N. (4290213) (Seniority 6th Oct. 1975).  
Bernard John FORWARD, S.R.N. (1949491) (Seniority 13th Sep. 1976).

**Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**

*As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*  
Sergeant James Joseph O'KEEFE, S.R.N. (4275091), 6th Oct. 1977 (Seniority 6th Apr. 1977).

**DENTAL BRANCH****Retirement**

Wing Commander M. A. FORD, M.B.E., B.D.S., F.D.S.R.C.S. (506931), 30th Sep. 1977.

**MEDICAL SECRETARIAL BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Permanent) on Branch Officer Terms**

*As Flying Officer :*  
Sergeant Ivan John PARRY (4273484), 6th Oct. 1977.

**CHAPLAINS BRANCH****Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**

*As Chaplain (four years on the Active List) with the relative rank of Flight Lieutenant :*  
18th Sep. 1977  
Anthony SMITH (5203537).  
Brian SMITH (5203516).  
Ivan John WESTON (5203496).

**Retirement**

The Reverend S. W. DAVIES, A.K.C. (507138), 24th Oct. 1977.

**PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE****Appointment to Commission (Short Service)**

*As Flight Officer (four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*  
Jean Patricia DURRANT, S.R.N., S.C.M. (408991), 18th Sep. 1977 (Seniority 27th Oct. 1975).  
*As Flying Officer (four years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) :*

18th Sep. 1977  
Patricia McCONNACHIE, S.R.N. (408988) (Seniority 7th Feb. 1975).  
Teresa Ann McCONVILLE, S.R.N. (8033229) (Seniority 3rd Dec. 1975).  
Jennifer DOWNES, S.R.N. (408983) (Seniority 27th Dec. 1975).  
Jane Elizabeth PENNYFATHER, S.R.N. (408984) (Seniority 19th Jan. 1976).  
Julia Margaret PODMORE, S.R.N., R.S.C.N. (408990) (Seniority 28th Aug. 1976).