As Flight Lieutenants, extended service (four years on the active list)*:—

John Markwick Horner 23rd May (31329). 1946 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945). Eric Parkes Parkes-Davis (89998). 27th June 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). Edward Lionel Cowan (19181). 31st Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st-July 1941). 28th Nov. 1946. - Michael Lewance BLOCK (75927) (seniority 1st Mar. 1945). Percy John Ash (108491) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). William Edgar McWILLIAMS (61171) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). Kenneth Stewart Cooper (108373). 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). 3rd Apr. ist May 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). William Ackers (101785). Eric Stuart Whitaker (27034). As Flying Officers, extended service (four years on the active list)*:—
Charles William Shilling (138171). 3rd Oct. 1946 (seniority 25th Mar. 1945).
Cyril Martindale (147551). 31st Oct. 1946 (seniority 29th Aug. 1945). 28th Nov. 1946. Graeme Winram (131544) (seniority ist Feb. 1945). Charles Edward Peek Hampton (141034) (seniority 6th May 1945). As Pilot Officer, extended service (four years on the active list)*:—
Thomas Craig Stevenson (201885). 24th Oct. 1946 (seniority 14th Jan. 1946). As Flying Officer (emergency):—
363078 Warrant Officer Leonard Mark FUNNELL
(363078). 12th June 1947. As Pilot Officers (emergency):—

12th June 1947.

Flight Sergeants. Flight Sergeants.
571710 John ATTRILL (571710).
616885 Dick BOTWRIGHT (616885).
561493 George Valentine CARNE, B.E.M. (561493).
366250 William Leslie CLARKE (366250).
550015 Anthony George CREASEY (550015).
533877 Jack LAWRENCE (533877).
527196 John Scott (527196).
645916 Roland WATSON (645916). Sergeants. 776702 Francis Fenech (776702). 577622 Henry Crosby Halahan (577622). 568453 Edward William Sidney Lloyd (568453). Promotion. Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal:—

1st July 1947.
F. N. TRINDER, C.B.E. (acting Air Vice-Marshal). Group Captain to Air Commodore:

1st July 1947.

G. Scarrott. B. E. Essex.

Flying Officer L. G. Avres (161770) is granted the rank of Flight Lieutenant (war subs.). 26th Oct. 1946.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.) (temp. Squadron Leaders) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—
D. MASTERS (45942). 15th July 1946.
J. E. WATSON, M.B.E. (31101) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 6th July 1947.

Flying Officer (temp. Flight Lieutenant) E. W. Buck, M.M. (46510), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Mar. 1946.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)*:—

John Joseph Bradsworth (56758). 12th Dec. 1946 (seniority 17th May 1945).

As Flight Lieutenant, extended service (four years

on the active list1*:—
Frederick Worthy JOHNSON (64219). 10th Oct. 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.

Promotion.

Notification cancelled.
22nd Oct. 1946 (p. 5201, col. 2) concerning
F. E. EVANS (44627).

4th Mar. 1947 (p. 1040, col. 1) concerning T.

JOHN. (47134). 18th Mar. 1947 (p. 1256, col. 2) concerning T. JOHN (47134).

IST Apr. 1947 (p. 1492, col. 1) concerning T. JOHN (47134).

IST Apr. 1947 (p. 1492, col. 1) concerning W. E. BOTTOMER (46390).

Retirement

Flying Officers (temp. Flight Lieutenants) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—
H. R. Lloyd (46115). 23rd Apr. 1946.
W. E. Palmer (48329). 9th Sept. 1946.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
As Flight Lieutenant (permanent)*:—
Edward John Carruthers Smither (78113).
Jan. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flying Officer, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)*:—
John Brode (50553). 1st May 1947 (seniority

11th Feb. 1945).

As Pilot Officers, extended service A.775/45 Scheme B)*:— Edmund Willsdon Roberts (58083). 1947 (seniority 29th May 1946). ist May

Sth May 1947.

Vernon James Bullock (58173) (seniority 17th June 1946).

Thomas Howard Hodgson (58199) (seniority 28th June 1946).

As Flying Officer (emergency):—
515380 Warrant Officer Richard Falcon
Brackenbury Unwin (515380). 12th June 1947.

As Pilot Officers (emergency):-

12th June 1947.
528732 Warrant Officer Gordon Edward LEAR (528732).

Flight Sergeants. 591553 Osmond Roy Griffiths (591553). 568174 Harold Joseph Swain (568174).

Sergeants.

591129 Walter Joseph Brabazon (591129). 591775 Richard Elliott (591775). 591839 Albert James Murray Farquharson (591839).

591077 Peter Raymond HAWKINS (591077). 591967 Thomas Steven Poole (591967).

Promotion Group Captain to Air Commodore:—

1st July 1947.

I. L. WINCER, C.B.E.

J. S. GRIFFITHS, C.B.E.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— F. G. HENDERSON (52258). 22nd Mar. 1947.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (permanent)*:—

1st July 1946.

Arthur Rex Frank George (48832) (seniority 22nd May 1944).

Angus Ian MITCHELL, M.C. (127650) (seniority 28th Aug. 1944).

As Flight Lieutenant, extended service (A.M.O. A.775/45 Scheme B)*:—

Jim Stanley Deag (44855). 1st May 1947 (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

As Flying Officers, extended service (four years on the active list)*:—

Albert Ernest Freeman (134843). 19th Dec. 1946 (seniority 10th Dec. 1944).

John Spier Drummond Hyslop (118236). 24th Apr. 1947 (seniority 30th Mar. 1944).

12th Dec. EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent): -As Squadron Leaders:

1st Oct. 1946.
Frederick James Balcombe (73072).
Thomas Edward John Hewitt (73228).

^{*} Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.