

24th July 1947.

Edward Montgomery ROBINSON (128005) (seniority 8th July 1944) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

William Frederick HOFFMAN (150015) (seniority 1st Jan. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch as temp. Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

Douglas Stanley HODGE (143267) (seniority 1st May 1945) (and transferred to the Provost Branch on appointment).

Jack ABBOTT (164087) (seniority 25th Feb. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

George Cessford PURVES (181466) (seniority 12th Aug. 1946) (and transferred to the Provost Branch on appointment).

Walter John ASHWORTH (59459). 6th Aug. 1947 (seniority 20th Jan. 1947).

Richard Arthur ROBINSON, D.F.C. (59451). 7th Aug. 1947 (seniority 6th July 1946) (and granted war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 6th July 1947 on appointment).

Ernest Vernon MILLER, D.F.C. (59546). 31st Aug. 1947 (seniority 24th Jan. 1946) (and granted war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant seniority 24th Jan. 1946 on appointment).

John HARLOW (164907). 29th Sept. 1947 (seniority 18th Aug. 1945).

2nd Oct. 1947.

Ronald Kingsley BROWN (162482) (seniority 18th Mar. 1945).

Adam Thomas DUGDALE, D.F.C. (179296) (seniority 22nd June 1945).

Leonard Charles MAYNARD (172133) (seniority 21st Nov. 1945).

Cyril Arthur THOMAS (166479). 7th Oct. 1947 (seniority 25th Jan. 1946).

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

Edward BARTHORPE (194379). 1st May 1947 (seniority 6th July 1945).

John Edward MILNER (201936). 15th May 1947 (seniority 15th Oct. 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

17th July 1947.

Edward William BUNKHALL (200876) (seniority 9th Aug. 1945).

Desmond Joseph GORDON (199923) (seniority 25th Sept. 1945).

Melville Ramsay CHANNER (160285). 24th July 1947 (seniority 4th Aug. 1945) (and transferred to the Physical Fitness Branch on appointment).

#### Notification amended.

5th Aug. 1947 (p. 3667, col. 1) concerning William Thomas THORNTON (157543) for (seniority 9th Nov. 1944) read (seniority 24th Nov. 1944).

14th Oct. 1947 (p. 4795, col. 1) concerning Allan Ainslie STORAR (51293) for 12th Apr. 1946 read 8th May 1947.

#### Notification cancelled.

24th June 1947 (p. 2840, col. 2) concerning Cecil William HELLYER, A.F.C. (132472).

21st Oct. 1947 (p. 4958, col. 1) concerning David Gordon JACKSON (182190).

#### Promotion (substantive).

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) to Flight Lieutenant (subs.):—

1st July 1946.

S. M. MACKAY (125541) (seniority 20th Nov. 1945).

A. WARNECKE (125458) (seniority 3rd Jan. 1946).

C. B. WATSON (50925) (seniority 14th Apr. 1946).

S. L. TAYLOR (143582) (seniority 21st May 1946).

W. S. O. RANDLE, A.F.C. (144393). 30th Sept. 1946.

F. J. WHEELER, D.F.C. (145669). 5th Nov. 1946.

E. A. J. HASKETT (52867). 3rd Feb. 1947.

R. G. W. LAWN (51608). 12th Mar. 1947 (seniority 4th Dec. 1946).

P. R. COLLINS (133467). 4th Apr. 1947 (seniority 1st June 1946).

R. HAYNES (170618). 6th May 1947.

N. C. RAWSTHORNE (158622). 9th May 1947.

16th May 1947.

D. H. DOWNS (135520) (seniority 4th June 1946).

J. WINSTANLEY (52550) (seniority 29th Oct. 1946).

W. I. HARRIS (169413) (seniority 6th May 1947).

6th June 1947.

B. P. BAKER, D.F.M. (48841) (seniority 1st Nov. 1945).

R. E. TICKNER (159062) (seniority 9th Apr. 1947).

G. G. ROBINSON (169562) (seniority 21st Apr. 1947).

18th July 1947.

L. G. GRATTON (50608) (seniority 25th Aug. 1946).

W. M. HIGGINS (161259) (seniority 20th Mar. 1947).

I. M. J. JOHNSTON (175754). 20th July 1947.

H. W. GILL (51298). 25th July 1947 (seniority 9th May 1946).

A. BILBROUGH, D.F.C. (172766). 29th July 1947.

J. F. LANGER (150840). 6th Aug. 1947.

7th Aug. 1947.

J. P. FALCONER (59465) (seniority 5th Dec. 1946).

E. G. ILES (59468) (seniority 3rd Mar. 1947).

W. A. S. BOUTTELL (59462) (seniority 12th May 1947).

S. B. V. JOHNSON (172018). 10th Aug. 1947.

L. GREENBURGH, D.F.C. (49803). 11th Aug. 1947 (seniority 2nd June 1947).

T. KIDGER, D.F.C. (155899). 19th Aug. 1947.

F. SMITH (55795). 25th Aug. 1947.

R. J. HAWTIN (162345). 26th Aug. 1947.

H. G. GARWOOD (59544). 1st Sept. 1947 (seniority 26th Apr. 1947).

L. W. JACKSON-WYNCH, D.F.C. (175835). 9th Sept. 1947.

4th Oct. 1947.

R. A. MCKAY (59550).

J. ROBERTSON (190102).

7th Oct. 1947.

G. F. CLARK (164751).

M. DOWNES (55622).

R. D. A. SMITH (164845).

8th Oct. 1947.

J. P. O'BRIEN (174398).

E. TREES (181077).

*Flying Officer (war subs.) to Flying Officer (subs.):—*

E. A. WOODHOUSE (200989). 4th Oct. 1946 (seniority 11th Sept. 1946).

P. A. LEEDS (168420). 8th Nov. 1946 (seniority 27th Apr. 1946).

18th July 1947.

M. D. MARSHALL (193336) (seniority 21st Apr. 1946).

J. R. SKRINE (57445) (seniority 21st June 1946).

M. E. J. HICKMOTT (180676) (seniority 26th Aug. 1946).

J. B. PORTERFIELD (57462) (seniority 20th Sept. 1946).

P. C. WYCHE (59481). 10th Oct. 1947.

#### Retirement.

Air Marshal Sir Arthur CONINGHAM, K.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., D.F.C., A.F.C. (at own request). 7th Nov. 1947.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. F. APPLEBY (50458). 27th July 1947.

*Flying Officers:—*

R. ROWE (161342). 11th Oct. 1945.

S. H. SEED, D.F.C. (56737). 17th Jan. 1947.

#### Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank.

*Flight Lieutenants:—*

M. C. NEWMAN (48641). 9th Sept. 1947.

D. G. DUMPER (55261). 11th Sept. 1947.

F. DUNBAR (54080). 23rd Sept. 1947.

Flying Officer H. E. MORRISON (56248). 18th Sept. 1947.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

##### Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

Charles Frederick SMART (46139). 1st July 1946 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

\* Retaining their existing ranks under wartime rules.