

*As Flight Lieutenants:*

- Henry Richard KAVANAGH, M.B.E. (192149). 2nd Feb. 1948.  
Arthur Graham SHALLCROSS (192771). 27th Apr. 1948.

*As Flying Officer:*

- Leslie Eric Graham HAWKINS (192761). 27th Apr. 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.  
*TRAINING BRANCH.**Promotion.*

The undermentioned are promoted to the substantive rank of Flying Officer with effect from the dates stated:—

1st Apr. 1947.

- R. A. BURTENSHAW (162881).  
A. R. DALE (203986).  
H. R. GIBBS (101396).  
E. D. HARRIS (125207).  
S. A. HINDE (68465).  
I. G. IMRAY (163167).  
C. JOHNSON (137883).  
L. R. MOREY (73905).  
E. A. OXFORD (202972).  
A. N. S. RANSON (61803).  
W. J. SAWNEY (129044).  
C. J. TUCKER (76559).  
H. P. WEBB (154488).  
D. G. SIMPSON (105358). 17th Apr. 1947.  
J. GRAY (187681). 7th May 1947.  
S. W. JONES (186168). 11th May 1947.

21st May 1947.

- A. A. ASHLEY (143531).  
W. W. HEWITT (139258).  
R. L. G. MOORE, D.F.M. (189199). 2nd June 1947.  
W. E. HERMON (187502). 15th Aug. 1947.  
G. J. PARKINSON (176025). 17th Sept. 1947.  
M. MACLEOD (197720). 15th Jan. 1948.  
D. W. MACARTHUR (197914). 18th Jan. 1948.  
G. S. FERRIER (197154). 26th Jan. 1948.  
J. E. De Casmaker (195792). 17th Feb. 1948.  
F. R. MACDUFF (197918). 17th Mar. 1948.  
O. FERGUSON (199486). 6th Apr. 1948.

18th Apr. 1948.

- W. G. BOLTON (198779).  
H. J. L. BUNNING (198533).  
J. R. BARBOUR (197916). 26th Apr. 1948.  
W. N. ROUGHLEY (200778). 1st May 1948.  
A. G. COLLINGS (198759). 7th May 1948.  
J. B. SHARPLES (200796). 17th May 1948.  
W. G. HANCOCK (201054). 18th May 1948.  
W. E. MORRIS (201293). 30th May 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.  
(Emergency Commission Section.)*GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Promotion.*

- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:*—  
H. TASWELL (186742). 24th Apr. 1948.  
J. HOBSON, D.F.C. (187315). 26th Apr. 1948.  
27th Apr. 1948.  
C. F. DRYSDALE (167119).  
J. M. HOWARD (167120).  
H. LORIMER (183601).  
A. R. MUNDAY (167176).  
N. W. W. PRYDE (187756).  
29th Apr. 1948.  
R. B. PHILLIPS, D.F.C. (177656).  
L. A. F. WILLOUGHBY (181562).  
I. P. MORRIS (188738). 30th Apr. 1948.

*Grant of substantive rank.*

The undermentioned is granted the substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant, 1st Nov. 1947, with the seniority stated:—

- L. T. A. MERSH, D.F.C. (152468) (seniority 24th Mar. 1947).

*Notification cancelled.*

- 27th Jan. 1948 (p. 651, col. 1) concerning G. G. G. WALKINGTON (148021) and (p. 652, col. 2) concerning G. H. A. STANTON (184110).

*Commission relinquished.*

- Flight Lieutenant J. H. RUNCIMAN (147624). 24th Nov. 1947.

*Commission resigned.*

- Flight Lieutenant J. D. R. BETHELL (151038). 24th Nov. 1947.

*Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:*—

- S. S. HICKIE (198670). 23rd Apr. 1948.  
J. W. MORRISON (202976). 29th May 1948.

*Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:*—

- J. K. HAVILAND, D.F.C. (82690). 22nd Mar. 1948.

B. E. PRIOR (143277). 25th Mar. 1948.

A. G. HUGGINS (165639). 5th Apr. 1948.

G. J. V. WOOD (137112). 11th Apr. 1948.

G. FRYER (151045). 12th Apr. 1948.

A. F. WOODCOCK (174378). 14th Apr. 1948.

C. E. KNOTT (161728). 18th Apr. 1948.

J. B. DOBSON (165141). 21st Apr. 1948.

J. D. LUCAS (150488). 12th May 1948.

*Flying Officers retaining their rank:*—

H. A. WINCER (166100). 7th Feb. 1948.

A. J. DAVIS (187808). 3rd Apr. 1948.

I. P. GRANT (185835). 9th Apr. 1948.

J. A. DODDS (179420). 10th Apr. 1948.

15th Apr. 1948.

J. L. FIRTH (165787).  
J. D. WALBRIDGE (203046).

E. A. MAGGS (193044). 16th Apr. 1948.

E. A. W. SMITH (191525). 21st Apr. 1948.

W. D. OWEN (187917). 10th May 1948.

## TECHNICAL BRANCH.

*Commission resigned.*

- Flying Officer J. C. DICKSON (101148). 10th Aug. 1947.

*The undermentioned retaining their rank:*—

- Flight Lieutenant J. A. MURPHY (132548). 21st Apr. 1948.

- Flying Officer G. ROBERTSON (178104). 21st Apr. 1948.

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

*Grant of substantive rank.**Notification cancelled.*

- 20th Jan. 1948 (p. 499, col. 2) concerning C. B. PEEL (124586).

*Commission relinquished.*

- Wing Commander (honorary) A. W. GOULD (71694) (on cessation of duty). 15th Apr. 1948.

*Commission resigned:*

- Squadron Leader B. D. S. TUKE, O.B.E. (192143), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 12th Apr. 1948.

- Flying Officer E. HUGHES (85957) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 21st Apr. 1948.

- Flying Officer H. A. COLES (127497) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 31st Mar. 1948.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

*Grant of substantive rank.**Notification cancelled.*

- 13th Jan. 1948 (p. 269, col. 1) concerning H. KITCHEN (167397).

## ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

*Grant of substantive rank.**Notification cancelled.*

- 20th Jan. 1948 (p. 501, col. 2) concerning R. T. RUDGE (201966).

*Commission resigned.*

- Flying Officer J. D. COLLIVER (201595). 19th Oct. 1947.

## METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

*Commission resigned.*

- Flight Lieutenant J. L. JARVIS (140707) retaining his rank. 15th Apr. 1948.

## WOMEN'S FORCES.

## PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

*Retirement.*

- Matron L. E. TAYLOR, R.R.C. (5010), retaining the rank of Principal Matron. 31st May 1948.

## WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

## "G" BRANCH.

*Commission resigned.*

- Section Officer D. M. T. CRAWLEY (5041) retaining the rank of Flight Officer. 22nd Apr. 1948.