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**ROYAL AIR FORCE.**

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

*Appointment to commission.*

*As Flight Lieutenants, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

15th Sept. 1948.

Ronald Charles HILL (144314) (seniority 18th Sept. 1947).

Kenneth BURGE (181249) (seniority 3rd Dec. 1947).

Donald John HARPER. (188610) (seniority 8th May 1948).

*As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

Edwin Leonard NIEASS (180621). 14th Sept. 1948 (seniority 17th June 1946).

15th Sept. 1948.

Ralph George McNaughton BURTON (194457) (seniority 10th Aug. 1946).

Guy Timothy Geoffrey CONANT (203829) (seniority 8th July 1947).

*As Flying Officers, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

14th Sept. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant William Rudolph BARROW (173318) (seniority 4th Jan. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Flight Lieutenant Henry Bernard CRANEY (190469) (seniority 6th Jan. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Norman Walter AUDLEY (197838) (seniority 25th Feb. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Charles Richard KEELEY (197205) (seniority 22nd Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

*As Flight Lieutenant, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—*

James Stuart CRAWFORD (55019). 15th Sept. 1948 (seniority 20th Aug. 1946).

*As Flying Officer, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—*

James Ernest BREAKWELL (55493). 15th Sept. 1948 (seniority 9th Mar. 1947).

*Notification cancelled.*

10th Aug. 1948 (p. 4425, col. 2) concerning Henry Clark DARNTON, D.F.C. (155572).

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

W. H. HOLDEN, D.F.C. (53224). 19th Feb. 1948.  
 R. F. MANNING, D.F.M. (174246). 5th June 1948.

N. ROBINSON (184710). 10th July 1948.  
 F. MACGUIRE (154157). 16th July 1948.  
 K. A. BOOTH, D.F.C. (178951). 30th July 1948.  
 W. N. GILMER (182613). 1st Aug. 1948.  
 H. E. HOOPER (189580). 18th Aug. 1948.  
 K. M. SHAW-BROWN, D.F.C. (178990). 26th Aug. 1948.

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

D. C. PALING (201305). 23rd Apr. 1947 (seniority 10th Sept. 1946) (substituted for notification of 8th July 1947 (p. 3120, col. 2)).  
 O. W. J. PEARCE (55597). 24th June 1947 (seniority 23rd June 1947) (substituted for notification of 30th Sept. 1947 (p. 4587, col. 2)).

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

H. G. BAINBRIDGE (168010). 13th Sept. 1946 (seniority 16th Mar. 1946)

*Grant of substantive rank.*

*Notification amended.*

9th Mar. 1948 (p. 1749, col. 1) concerning D. W. R. MILES, A.F.C. (45351) for D. W. R. MILES read D. W. K. MILES.

*Notification cancelled.*

6th Jan. 1948 (p. 144, col. 1) concerning H. G. BAINBRIDGE (168010).

*Relinquishment of war substantive rank.*

The undermentioned Flying Officers relinquish the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Jan. 1948:—

W. D. BARBER (59691).  
 C. WILLIAMSON (178018).

*Transfer between branches.*

Flying Officer A. PENHALIGON (57775) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 4th Sept. 1948.

*Transfer to another branch and reversion to a lower rank.*

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer:—

J. HAMILTON (149477). 4th Sept. 1948 (seniority 22nd May 1945).  
 J. S. JAMESON (55675). 11th Sept. 1948 (seniority 28th July 1945).