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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Wing Commander (permanent):—

Leonard Mountstephen WHETHAM, D.S.O.,
 D.F.C., A.F.C. (70729). 15th July 1948.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—

22nd June 1948.

George Craig BANNING-LOVER, A.F.C. (40283).
 Henry John RAYNER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (45809).

William Herbert THALLON (41754). 7th Aug.
 1948.

Arthur George SALTER, D.F.C. (39902). 16th
 Aug. 1948.

Frederick Elgar BURTON, O.B.E., D.F.C. (37623).
 10th Sept. 1948.

19th Oct. 1948.

Vernon William HINKLEY (77463).

Claude Lyttleton Collingwood ROBERTS (37363).

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent): —

22nd June 1948.

Basil Robert William FORSTER, D.F.C. (124611).
 Terence Lambert HIGGINS (122955).

Norman Frederick SMITH, D.F.C. (42682).

John Harold Whishaw YEATS, D.F.C. (106191).
 15th July 1948.

Herbert Dennis JOHNSON, D.F.C. (119186). 22nd
 July 1948.

Michael MAYS (152451). 7th Aug. 1948.

16th Aug. 1948.

Dermot Lawrence Armstrong FINLAY (183573).

Robert Bolton WARR (195338).

David John Gibson NORTON (134037). 7th Sept.
 1948.

10th Sept. 1948.

Lionel Goldsmith BERRY, D.F.C. (161033).

John Wordingham CHARMAN (166418).

John Edward COCKFIELD (54976).

John David GRUBB, D.F.C. (59509).

15th Sept. 1948.

George ALLAN, M.C. (59703).

Silvanus Arthur HARRIS, D.F.C. (187557).

Roy Arthur SCHOFIELD (152394).

Peter Howard Langston SCOTT (180447).

20th Sept. 1948.

John Ivor Spencer DIGMAN, D.F.C. (152522).

James Holmes JOHNSON (66033).

2nd Oct. 1948.

Gerard John DALY, D.F.C. (149886).

David William GRIFFITHS, D.F.C. (130801).

Noel Richard STEVENS (120501).

4th Oct. 1948.

Walter Leslie BAXTER (55509).

Richard Gwynn WILLIAMS (166553).

Victor Ronald WITHEY (186056).

19th Oct. 1948.

Robert Steen AYTON, D.F.M. (45204).

Alfred William BEDFORD, A.F.C. (169901).

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

William Ian HART (57652). 16th Aug. 1948.

Malcolm Fullerton LAING (59290). 15th Sept.
 1948.

20th Sept. 1948.

Donald William Fraser MUIR (57742).

Ian Maurice PEDDER (57637).

George Peter YOUNG (180410).

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

Wladyslaw Josef ZAJAC (500466). 3rd Jan. 1949
 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

4th Jan. 1949.

Ronald George COLLINS (161398) (seniority 26th
 Apr. 1947).

Kenneth Alfred HUTCHINGS (180378) (seniority
 21st July 1948).

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

25th Nov. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant John Alexander McQUEEN
 (158908) (seniority 4th Oct. 1945) (and transferred
 to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the sub-
 stantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Flight Lieutenant Jack SPRATT (150863) (seniority
 6th Feb. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial
 Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying
 Officer on appointment).

Basil Charles PLAYER (168147). 7th Jan. 1949
 (seniority 29th Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the
 Provost Branch on appointment).

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

Edward Sidney SIDELL (46715). 18th Nov. 1948
 (seniority 1st Mar. 1946) (and transferred to the
 Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Douglas Richard JENNINGS (57065). 4th Jan.
 1949 (seniority 16th Sept. 1948).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the active list):—

1st July 1948.

John COWELL (172840) (seniority 22nd July 1947).

Denis Thomas KNIGHT (165318) (seniority 19th Nov. 1947).

Reginald Maynard SHEPPARD (178014) (seniority 27th Nov. 1947).

Donald TOWNSEND (167454) (seniority 1st June 1948).

Harry James ORCHARD (189252) (seniority 20th June 1948).

Edgar Stephen WILLIAMS (196601) (seniority 7th Aug. 1948).

1st Aug. 1948.

James Gardner Aitken McPHERSON (146625) (seniority 6th Nov. 1946).

Charles Kenneth TURNER (178994) (seniority 8th Oct. 1947).

Eric William Arthur SUTTON (178354) (seniority 24th Nov. 1947).

Henry John SHIRES, D.F.C. (182833) (seniority 1st Feb. 1948).

Walter Burley ROW (187674) (seniority 1st Mar. 1948).

Stanley George GERMAINE (186324) (seniority 12th Mar. 1948).

1st Sept. 1948.

Graham Donald BANFIELD (150269) (seniority 27th Aug. 1946).

James Frederick Guy STONHAM, D.F.C. (159398) (seniority 20th May 1947).

Percy Leon LUDGATE (183853) (seniority 3rd Feb. 1948).

Maurice Philip DANAHAR (184298) (seniority 28th Feb. 1948).

Terry Patterson GOLDSBROUGH (167001) (seniority 20th Apr. 1948).

Joseph HAYES, D.F.M. (191855) (seniority 25th Aug. 1948).

Albert William Edward Peter CARTWRIGHT, D.F.M. (143909). 7th Sept. 1948 (seniority 15th Oct. 1946).

1st Oct. 1948.

Joseph Henry COLEY, D.F.C. (142908) (seniority 6th June 1946).

William Arthur Edward HERBERT (160985) (seniority 25th Apr. 1947).

Benjamin Harry TYE (171469) (seniority 20th July 1947).

Stanley George William LADBROOKE (178263) (seniority 21st Sept. 1947).

Patrick Alfred MURPHY (189277) (seniority 11th June 1948).

1st Nov. 1948.

Andrew Mitchell LAWSON, D.F.C. (115752) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Maurice William DINHAM (183642) (seniority 21st Feb. 1948).

George Stanley SHEFFIELD (55714). 30th Nov. 1948 (seniority 13th Dec. 1947).

1st Dec. 1948.

Noel Constantine CREEGGAN (46450) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Hamilton Irving TINGLEY (46847) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Leslie Victor DAVIES, D.F.M. (46306) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Harold Ernest KNEALE (52291) (seniority 15th Oct. 1946).

Leslie William ARCHER (54609) (seniority 6th June 1947).

Stanley KITCHEN, D.F.M. (173826) (seniority 19th Sept. 1947).

George Russell HAMILTON (55650) (seniority 5th Nov. 1947).

George BROTHERSTON (183297) (seniority 14th Jan. 1948).

Bernard Charles JOSEY (184748) (seniority 7th Mar. 1948).

Stephen THIRTLE (166713) (seniority 6th Apr. 1948).

Hugh LORIMER (183601) (seniority 27th Apr. 1948).

John Taylor DOWNING (167058) (seniority 3rd May 1948).

Francis Hunter ROBERTSON (189633) (seniority 29th June 1948).

Donald BRINKHURST (56509) (seniority 6th July 1948).

John Hector BRANSGROVE (130607). 21st Dec. 1948 (seniority 26th Sept. 1946).

As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the active list):—

1st July 1948.

Jack Leonard STANHOPE (196961) (seniority 25th Mar. 1946).

Bertie Grosvenor WILLIAMS (166164) (seniority 25th Aug. 1946) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

1st Aug. 1948.

Arthur DAVIDSON (197186) (seniority 21st Apr. 1946).

David William Scott ROBERTSON (194502) (seniority 17th Aug. 1946).

1st Sept. 1948.

Edward Arthur ROBINSON (197079) (seniority 9th Apr. 1946).

John CALLUM (202114) (seniority 21st Dec. 1946).

William Sydney THOMPSON (199370). 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 17th June 1946).

1st Nov. 1948.

John Lionel WARWICKER (185457) (seniority 9th Sept. 1945).

John Mount KING (200742) (seniority 6th June 1946).

Norman CARSON (202266) (seniority 28th Aug. 1946).

Wilfred MORRELL (191469). 16th Nov. 1948 (seniority 18th Dec. 1946).

1st Dec. 1948.

John William DRIVER (168021) (seniority 16th Mar. 1946).

James Lancelot BUTCHER (56740) (seniority 7th Apr. 1946).

Reginald John FULLER (197671) (seniority 25th Apr. 1946).

Douglas MacGregor STEWART (58052) (seniority 18th Oct. 1946).

Frederick Kenneth HAMPTON (197858). 8th Dec. 1948 (seniority 20th June 1946).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

William John Walter ABBOTT (177951). 1st Aug. 1948 (seniority 8th Jan. 1948).

1st Sept. 1948.

Leonard DAVIES (148809) (seniority 26th Dec. 1946).

Vallance Duncan CLOUT (163892) (seniority 11th Aug. 1947).

Roy McQueen DAVIES (166364) (seniority 14th Jan. 1948).

Bernard REIDER (188119) (seniority 3rd May 1948).

1st Oct. 1948.

Geoffrey Walker Leigh COX (137528) (seniority 19th July 1946).

Victor Charles EVES (191938) (seniority 6th Aug. 1948).

1st Nov. 1948.

Stanley Edwin KNIGHT (161018) (seniority 17th July 1946).

Donald Owen Graham GOLDFINCH, D.F.C. (144437) (seniority 16th Sept. 1946).

1st Dec. 1948.

John Jacob CURTIS (45205) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Lionel WOOD (45300) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

George Armstrong DONALDSON, A.F.M. (51832) (seniority 2nd Sept. 1945).

Thomas ROYDS (127861) (seniority 15th Feb. 1946).

Phillip McCABE (55080) (seniority 16th Oct. 1946).

Douglas Strachan SCOTT (54376) (seniority 1st Aug. 1947).

John Howarth MOORE (54744) (seniority 3rd Oct. 1947).

Victor William CORNWELL, D.F.C. (182618) (seniority 27th Jan. 1948).

Kenneth Patterson FRANCIS LUCY (56071) (seniority 29th Jan. 1948).

George Crowthers MORALEE (193053) (seniority 6th July 1948).

As Flying Officers, temporary (one year on the active list):—

1st July 1948.

Albert BYNE (196827) (*seniority 18th Mar. 1946*).
Desmond James Thomas COOKE (180689) (*seniority 26th Aug. 1946*).

Alfred David HARRINGTON (194341). 1st Aug. 1948 (*seniority 22nd June 1946*).

1st Oct. 1948.

John Rhys HUGHES, D.F.M. (197412) (*seniority 13th Apr. 1946*).

Ned Trevor Rudolph GOODE (168483) (*seniority 25th May 1946*).

Arthur Ernest WALLACE (198337) (*seniority 29th May 1946*).

John Howard TOWNSEND (193399) (*seniority 9th June 1946*).

Edward James CUTTER (199750). 1st Nov. 1948 (*seniority 14th June 1946*).

1st Dec. 1948.

Roy George Patrick GREEN (197529) (*seniority 6th Apr. 1946*).

Eric CRESSWELL (56788) (*seniority 3rd May 1946*).

Notification amended.

21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6608, col. 1) concerning Charles William HARRAS (148457) for 18th Dec. 1947 read 18th Dec. 1948.

Notification cancelled.

14th Dec. 1948 (p. 6471, col. 2) concerning William Edwin EVANS (155472) and John Henry HEDGER (135738), and (p. 6472, col. 2) concerning Edward Leonard CONNOR (55130).

31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6725, col. 1) concerning Eric Edward BELL (164086).

Promotion.

Notification amended.

22nd July 1947 (p. 3419, col. 2) concerning J. YOUNG (199050) for (*seniority 12th June 1947*) read (*seniority 12th June 1946*). (This cancels notification of 18th Jan. 1949 (p. 298, col. 1).)

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant C. G. L. GOLDING (153156). 4th Jan. 1949.

Notification amended.

14th Dec. 1948 (p. 6473, col. 2) concerning Group Captain F. WRIGHT insert "C.B.E."

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. H. DEAR (56932) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 25th Jan. 1949.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenants:—

G. S. SHEFFIELD (55714). 30th Nov. 1948.

1st Dec. 1948.

L. W. ARCHER (54609).

D. BRINKHURST (56509).

N. C. CREEGGAN (46450).

J. J. CURTIS (45205).

L. V. DAVIES, D.F.M. (46306).

G. A. DONALDSON, A.F.M. (51832).

G. R. HAMILTON (55650).

H. E. KNEALE (52291).

K. P. F. LUCY (56071).

P. McCABE (55080).

J. H. MOORE (54744).

D. S. SCOTT (54376).

H. I. TINGLEY (46847).

L. WOOD (45300).

Flying Officers:—

1st Dec. 1948.

J. L. BUTCHER (56740).

E. CRESSWELL (56788).

D. MacG. STEWART (58052).

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Pilot Officer J. G. C. MUNRO (2600300). 9th Oct. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant J. D. F. PENROSE (48782) retaining his rank. 27th Oct. 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

Lawrence NEWBOULD (46383). 16th Aug. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

David William Edgar DAVIES (53064). 22nd July 1948.

Herbert Henry WATKINSON (54578). 30th July 1948.

Frederick William CHURCH (51142). 16th Aug. 1948.

George John AYLETT (52771). 23rd Aug. 1948.

William George Henry Hicks GUISELEY (46854). 16th Sept. 1948.

Raymond Harrison STEPHENSON (50899). 12th Oct. 1948.

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

Reginald Nelson PAYNE, M.B.E. (45780). 20th Sept. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*) (substituted for notification of 12th Oct. 1948 (p. 5382, col. 2)).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Frederick Victor GOODSSELL (52171). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 11th Jan. 1947*).

Notification amended.

21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6608, col. 2) concerning Joseph Lister SHERRARD, B.E.M. (57880) for Flight Lieutenant read Flying Officer.

Notification cancelled.

31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6726, col. 1) concerning James Robert HORSHAM (47613).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant F. C. LEWIS (35181) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 22nd Jan. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant F. V. GOODSSELL (52171) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the active list):—

1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Ernest Hartley CATER (85186) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

John William COCHRANE (62052) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

George CRITTENDEN (114186) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Harry GRIFFIN (106821) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Frederick Thomas Kenneth TAGG (56269). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 30th Nov. 1948*) (*and transferred to the Medical Branch (Qr.-Mr.) on appointment*) (substituted for notification of 21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6609, col. 1)).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

James Don MARTIN (144353). 1st Oct. 1948 (*seniority 12th Mar. 1945*) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):—

1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

George Lane FOX (45573) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Henry Povah GRIFFITS (87158) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Frank Charles PIPER (46524) (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment*).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

A. W. CHRIPPES (53956). 13th Jan. 1948.

J. BRODIE (56056). 5th Oct. 1948.

N. J. STEWART (53241). 23rd Oct. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

1st Dec. 1948.

G. L. FOX (45573).

F. C. PIPER (46524).

F. T. K. TAGG (56269). 1st Dec. 1948 (substituted for notification of 21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6609, col. 1)).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—*

William Edward ALLEN (48685). 8th Sept. 1948.

7th Oct. 1948.

Arnold CHILDS (51266).

George Ronald HENRIE (121035).

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Ronald Thomas SMART (59222). 7th Aug. 1948.

George Valentine CARNE, B.E.M. (561493). 16th Sept. 1948 (*seniority 12th June 1948*) (substituted for notification of 14th Dec. 1948 (p. 6474, col. 2)).

George Alfred JEFFERY (58537). 23rd Sept. 1948.

Henry Arthur BARKER (58474). 7th Oct. 1948.

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

John Raymond CANNON (572333). 15th Nov. 1948 (*seniority 6th Sept. 1948*).

Richard Ronald HALL (58355). 18th Nov. 1948 (*seniority 29th Aug. 1947*).

George William HOLGATE (59090). 4th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 27th Mar. 1948*).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Daniel Havard WILLIAMS (50271). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 16th Dec. 1946*).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Arthur Dennis Haxwell HOLLIS (142824). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 30th May 1945*).

Notification amended.

16th Nov. 1948 (p. 6007, col. 2) concerning John Alexander GEMMILL (108385) for (*seniority 1st Sept. 1948*) read (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6727, col. 2) concerning John Trevor PRENTICE (51709) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

*Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

P. G. WISHART (58750). 26th Dec. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant D. H. WILLIAMS (50271) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer R. HUNTBAUGH, B.E.M. (57889) retaining his rank 7th Dec. 1948.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—*

Reginald BEAL (76105). 23rd Aug. 1948.

8th Sept. 1948.

Arthur Henry BOUGHTON (89746).

William Charles PENNEY (45934).

William Frederick HOWE (44694). 7th Oct. 1948.

Desmond Ian Court EYRES (37090). 18th Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Harry John SADD (137201). 7th Aug. 1948.

Sidney Arthur WHITE (50514). 16th Sept. 1948.

7th Oct. 1948.

Herbert Kitchener CARROL (45138).

Charles Theodore LYNAS (53151).

Merlyn WILLIAMS (49695). 18th Oct. 1948.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Edward John STAINER (152330). 30th July 1948.

James Robert HOWORTH (56350). 23rd Aug. 1948.

Kenneth Edward MUSTON (58053). 10th Sept. 1948.

Harold Coatsworth ROBINSON (55526). 16th Sept. 1948.

18th Oct. 1948.

John Gerard Mary Joseph MOORAT (146185).

James William Charles WEST (55972).

Sidney Joseph PALMER, D.F.C. (153277). 23rd Nov. 1948.

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

William James STONEMAN, D.F.M. (186627). 4th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 24th Nov. 1946*).

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

Norman Henry JEPHCOTT (560971). 4th Jan. 1949 (*seniority 6th Sept. 1948*).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):—

George WHATLING (43916). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Notification amended.

31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6728, col. 2) concerning Albert James Murray FARQUHARSON (591839) for Pilot Officer read Flying Officer.

*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

E. F. V. SHERWELL (54891). 29th Dec. 1948.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer J. W. DUFF (167841) to the Aircraft Control Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 31st Dec. 1948.

Transfer to reserve (class B).

Wing Commander E. L. LEADER (19026). 17th Jan. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. WHATLING (43916) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leader (permanent):—*

Samuel Charles Edgar NORRIS (118357). 23rd Sept. 1948.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Arthur John ARCHIBALD (202303). 22nd July 1948 (*seniority 13th Mar. 1948*) (substituted for notification of 31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6728, col. 2)).

Vincent Joseph FALLON (203585). 21st Oct. 1948.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leader (permanent):—*

Frederick James Oakley LASBREY (34240). 16th Aug. 1948 (*and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 20th Dec. 1948*).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Henry Stuart MILES (32202). 22nd Jan. 1949 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant H. S. MILES (32202) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 22nd Jan. 1949.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Squadron Leader (permanent):—*

John William READE, M.B., Ch.B. (23420). 8th Sept. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Charles John Williamson SOUTAR, M.B., B.S., L.M.S.S.A. (202612). 8th Sept. 1948.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Chaplain (permanent) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—*

Rev. Edgar Nevill PHAIR (137465). 18th Oct. 1948.

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

R. BRUCE, B.Sc. (201798). 13th Jan. 1949.

PROVOST BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer (permanent):—*

George Leslie SMITH (156347). 16th Aug. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (one year on the active list):—

John Alfred ARMSTRONG, M.C. (45196). 1st Dec. 1948 (*seniority 1st Sept. 1945*).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant J. A. ARMSTRONG, M.C. (45196) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
 Frederick Clifford Steele JONES (46997). 15th Sept. 1948.

As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
 Alfred Stanley HOLBURN (906520). 4th Jan. 1949 (seniority 12th June 1947).

As Flying Officer, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—
 Hugh Brough GILLAN (545820). 4th Jan. 1949 (seniority 9th Aug. 1948).

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission resigned.
Notification cancelled.

18th Feb. 1947 (p. 801, col. 2) concerning L. E. ABEL (37458).

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. TRAINING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:—
 20th Oct. 1948.
 Charles FRIEND (204942).
 Arthur Vernon TRUDGIAN (3036759).
 William John BLAIR (57106). 11th Nov. 1948.
 William Horace FORKS (45292). 16th Nov. 1948.

As Pilot Officers:—
 Frederick James BROWNHILL (204891). 9th June 1948.
 Maxwell Ian Hector MacKENZIE-INGLIS (100441). 30th Aug. 1948.
 John Plant GORDON (204972). 26th Oct. 1948.

8th Nov. 1948.
 George Michael BARTON (204970).
 Arthur LAMB (204923).
 Maurice MAYS (204968).
 Peter William WALKER (1232561).

16th Nov. 1948.
 David Robin CARR (3000978).
 John Thomas Mathewson ELLIOTT (204971).
 Dennis William WARNE (3002725).

Appointment to commission cancelled.

The appointment to a commission of Hugh FORTESCUE (128732) notified in the omnibus notice in the London Gazette Supplement of 29th Sept. 1942 (p. 4220, col. 2) is cancelled.

Notification cancelled.

22nd June 1948 (p. 3641, col. 1) concerning Frederick TUTTON, D.F.C. (182744).

Promotion cancelled.

The promotion of H. FORTESCUE (128732) notified in the omnibus notice in the London Gazette Supplement of 2nd July 1943 (p. 2986, col. 2) is cancelled.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Emergency commission section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion.

Notification amended.

4th Jan. 1949 (p. 48, col. 1) concerning A. A. V. MAXWELL (198678) should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.).

Flight Lieutenants:—
 1st July 1948.
 J. COWELL (172840).
 D. T. KNIGHT (165318).
 H. J. ORCHARD (189252).
 R. M. SHEPPARD (178014).
 D. TOWNSEND (167454).
 E. S. WILLIAMS (196601).

1st Aug. 1948.
 W. J. W. ABBOTT (177951).
 S. G. GERMAINE (186324).
 J. G. A. McPHERSON (146625).
 W. B. ROW (187674).
 H. J. SHIRES, D.F.C. (182833).
 E. W. A. SUTTON (178354).
 C. K. TURNER (178994).

1st Sept. 1948.

G. D. BANFIELD (150269).
 V. D. CLOUT (163892).
 M. P. DANAHAR (184298).
 L. DAVIES (148809).
 R. McQ. DAVIES (166364).
 T. P. GOLDSBROUGH (167001).
 J. HAYES, D.F.M. (191855).
 P. L. LUDGATE (183853).
 B. REIDER (188119).
 J. F. G. STONHAM, D.F.C. (159398).
 A. W. E. P. CARTWRIGHT, D.F.M. (143909). 7th Sept. 1948.

1st Oct. 1948.

J. H. COLEY, D.F.C. (142908).
 G. W. L. COX (137528).
 V. C. EVES (191938).
 W. A. E. HERBERT (160985).
 S. G. W. LADBROOKE (178263).
 P. A. MURPHY (189277).
 B. H. TYE (171469).

1st Nov. 1948.

M. W. DINHAM (183642).
 D. O. G. GOLDFINCH, D.F.C. (144437).
 S. E. KNIGHT (161018).
 A. M. LAWSON, D.F.C. (115752)

1st Dec. 1948.

G. BROTHERSTON (183297).
 V. W. CORNWELL, D.F.C. (182618).
 J. T. DOWNING (167058).
 B. C. JOSEY (184748).
 S. KITCHEN, D.F.M. (173826).
 H. LORIMER (183601).
 G. C. MORALEE (193053).
 F. H. ROBERTSON (189633).
 T. ROYDS (127861).
 S. THIRTLE (166713).
 J. H. BRANS GROVE (130607). 21st Dec. 1948.

Flying Officers:—

1st July 1948.

A. BYNE (196827).
 D. J. T. COOKE (180689).
 J. L. STANHOPE (196961).
 B. G. WILLIAMS (166164).

1st Aug. 1948.

A. DAVIDSON (197186).
 A. D. HARRINGTON (194341).
 D. W. S. ROBERTSON (194502).

1st Sept. 1948.

J. CALLUM (202114).
 E. A. ROBINSON (197079).

1st Oct. 1948.

N. T. R. GOODE (168483).
 J. R. HUGHES, D.F.M. (197412).
 W. S. THOMPSON (199370).
 J. H. TOWNSEND (193399).
 A. E. WALLACE (198337).

1st Nov. 1948.

N. CARSON (202266).
 E. J. CUTTER (199750).
 J. M. KING (200742).
 J. L. WARWICKER (185457).
 W. MORRELL (191469). 16th Nov. 1948.

1st Dec. 1948.

J. W. DRIVER (168021).
 R. J. FULLER (197671).
 R. G. P. GREEN (197529).
 F. K. HAMPTON (197858). 8th Dec. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Squadron Leader T. M. SCOTT, A.F.C. (89309), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 30th Sept. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

F. C. NEWLAND (143431). 6th Oct. 1948.
 C. R. B. SCHOFIELD (63786). 3rd Nov. 1948.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

W. H. TILSLEY (181992). 16th Oct. 1948.
 R. WHETSTONE (188196). 25th Oct. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

23rd Sept. 1948.
 E. F. W. PINNEY, D.F.C. (137451).
 A. SMITH (155408).
 S. B. SPRING, D.F.C. (151009).
 J. B. SHEPHERD (136719). 29th Sept. 1948.

30th Sept. 1948.
 A. L. PERCIVAL (126069).
 A. P. WALKER (178372).
 G. A. WATSON (127933).
 6th Oct. 1948.
 P. G. TABARD (178626).
 J. VERNEY, M.B.E., D.F.C. (131568).
 7th Oct. 1948.
 C. C. REEDER, D.F.C. (139814).
 E. H. SMITH, D.F.C., D.F.M. (146441).
 16th Oct. 1948.
 G. R. PIPER (151209).
 J. QUINN (173861).
 P. S. NEWHOUSE, D.F.C. (112423). 18th Oct. 1948.

19th Oct. 1948.
 G. C. ROGERS (135119).
 E. A. M. SOPER (169707).
 E. W. W. PACEY (116478). 21st Oct. 1948.
 E. C. SNOOK (154100). 25th Oct. 1948.
 R. W. SQUIRE (165344). 1st Nov. 1948.
 A. SPROXTON (115524). 2nd Nov. 1948.
 12th Nov. 1948.
 J. F. NOTMAN (158738).
 L. SEPHTON (141138).
 R. VINE (148550).
 15th Nov. 1948.
 L. A. WEBBER (163818).
 D. W. SHAW (61293).

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

A. H. STUCHBERY (186711). 23rd Sept. 1948.

27th Sept. 1948.
 C. R. MCCONNELL (198742).
 G. MILES (180441).
 C. J. PALMER (190981). 30th Sept. 1948.
 W. M. ROSS (181797). 6th Oct. 1948.
 K. J. YOUNGER (190938). 7th Oct. 1948.
 S. T. F. WEBB (166107). 12th Oct. 1948.
 D. R. McCULLOCH (186953). 14th Oct. 1948.
 H. A. POMEROY (182574). 16th Oct. 1948.
 A. G. TOLMIE (196779). 19th Oct. 1948.
 C. W. TYLER (184049). 22nd Oct. 1948.

25th Oct. 1948.
 D. L. RANDALL (193268).
 R. S. WINGATE (199233).
 L. G. WRIGHT (201022).
 C. S. WARNER (203514). 29th Oct. 1948.

3rd Nov. 1948.
 G. S. PITTAWAY (194489).
 J. P. S. TAYLOR (154882).
 M. S. WATTON (198684).
 A. WARBURTON (201764). 12th Nov. 1948.

15th Nov. 1948.
 D. C. C. PEACOCK (198745).
 G. D. ROBB (195492).
 W. J. TALBOYS (150877).
 J. H. WHITTICK (187293).

*Commission resigned.**The undermentioned retaining their rank:—*

Flight Lieutenant R. R. SHERWIN (151678). 10th Oct. 1948.
 Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. M. HUGHES-CHAMBERLAIN (88459). 12th Dec. 1948.
 Flying Officer R. BAHADUR-SINGH (203416). 19th Jan. 1949.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—**Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—*

19th Oct. 1948.
 L. RIDGWAY (63128).
 D. M. J. TYRE (79060).
 W. H. TRICKETT (80596). 25th Oct. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

G. A. E. NORRIS (76424). 30th Sept. 1948.
 J. N. B. PRANCE (79064). 19th Oct. 1948.

BALLOON BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer S. W. PEGLER (122786) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 6th Oct. 1948.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer M. E. BASHFORD (198547) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 19th Jan. 1949.

*The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—**Flight Lieutenants:—*

1st Dec. 1948.

E. H. CATER (85186).
 J. W. COCHRANE (62052).
 G. CRITTENDEN (114186).
 H. GRIFFIN (106821).
 H. P. GRIFFITHS (87158).

Flying Officer J. D. MARTIN (144353). 1st Oct. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Squadron Leader E. STURMAN, O.B.E. (72950), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 22nd Oct. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

23rd Sept. 1948.

E. A. M. SACK (77126).
 T. V. J. TILNEY (63981).
 G. C. MORRIS (86833). 21st Oct. 1948.

Flying Officer R. SHARMAN (103982) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Nov. 1948.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

S. W. S. O'NEILL (190131). 30th Sept. 1948.
 S. J. ROBERTS (114488). 19th Oct. 1948.
 D. E. WAKELIN (110000). 22nd Oct. 1948.
 J. RITCHIE (177240). 25th Oct. 1948.
 C. F. RHODES (104903). 12th Nov. 1948.

15th Nov. 1948.

D. W. J. ROBINSON (141790).
 E. G. TWINING (157787).

Flight Lieutenant J. M. STABLES (79766) retaining his rank. 22nd Oct. 1948.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

E. J. WATERS (187606). 19th Oct. 1948.
 H. V. SPEED (162709). 22nd Oct. 1948.

25th Oct. 1948.

E. ROWLEY (176268).
 F. R. H. WAUGH (168563).

Commission resigned.

Pilot Officer A. STIRLING (63965) (on ceasing to be employed). 1st Jan. 1949.

The undermentioned retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

Flight Lieutenant J. K. WATSON (74960). 10th Dec. 1948.
 Flying Officer F. A. WHEATLEY, M.B.E. (119970). 23rd Nov. 1948.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

A. F. FRAMPTON (203929). 26th Dec. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer A. D. H. HOLLIS (142824) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Dec. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Wing Commander A. D. ROSE, O.B.E. (72193), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 6th Oct. 1948.

Squadron Leader G. S. A. OLLIS (72205) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 18th Oct. 1948.

Flight Lieutenants retaining the rank of Squadron Leader:—

B. MILLER (89562). 25th Sept. 1948.
 D. C. PALMAR (85498). 16th Oct. 1948.

Flying Officer L. MACKINNON (142282) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 19th Oct. 1948.

Squadron Leaders retaining their rank:—

H. E. RICHARDSON (75966). 30th Sept. 1948.
 J. B. STEWART (72393). 25th Oct. 1948.

Flying Officer W. H. RUTHERFORD (202151) retaining his rank. 25th Oct. 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant G. A. MANDOW, B.Ch. (84259)
(on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.),
retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th Nov.
1948.

CATERING BRANCH.*Promotion.*

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
T. H. STANLEY (190935). 11th Feb. 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant:*—

Thomas Muir SCOTT, A.F.C. (89309). 30th Sept.
1948.

As Flying Officers:—

Thomas Adrian TALLON (204926). 14th Aug.
1948.

Wallace McMillan REID (204938). 28th Aug.
1948.

10th Sept. 1948.

Richard James SWAN (1804650).
James Brown McReady WHITE (167047).

Eric Willoughby McDouall (204934). 11th
Sept. 1948.

Geoffrey Eaton WRIGHT (204937). 17th Sept.
1948.

23rd Sept. 1948.

Edward Frank William PINNEY, D.F.C. (137451).
Alan SMITH (155408).

Stobart Bainbridge SPRING, D.F.C. (151009).
Arthur Herbert STUCHBERY (186711).

27th Sept. 1948.

Charles Robert McCONNELL (198742).
Geoffrey MILES (180441).

John Bernard SHEPHERD (136719). 29th Sept.
1948.

30th Sept. 1948.

Cyril James PALMER (190981).
Arthur Leonard PERCIVAL (126069).

Arthur Patterson WALKER (178372).
George Angus WATSON (127933).

6th Oct. 1948.

Frederick Charles NEWLAND (143431).
William Marshall ROSS (181797).

Paul Gustave TABARD (178626).
John VERNEY, M.B.E., D.F.C. (131568).

7th Oct. 1948.

Cyril Charles REEDER, D.F.C. (139814).
Eric Harold SMITH, D.F.C., D.F.M. (146441).

Kenneth John YOUNGER (190938).

Stanley Thomas Frederick WEBB (166107). 12th
Oct. 1948.

Wilson PARK (204958). 13th Oct. 1948.

David Ritchie McCulloch (186953). 14th Oct.
1948.

16th Oct. 1948.

Geoffrey Roy PIPER (151209).
Harold Arthur POMEROY (182574).

Joseph QUINN (173861).
William Henry TILSLEY (181992).

Peter Saxton NEWHOUSE, D.F.C. (112423). 18th
Oct. 1948.

19th Oct. 1948.

Geoffrey Charles ROGERS (135119).
Eric Alfred Morley SOPER (169707).

Andrew Graham TOLMIE (196779).
Edwin William Walker PACEY (116478).

21st
Oct. 1948.

Cyril William TYLER (184049). 22nd Oct. 1948.

25th Oct. 1948.

David Leslie RANDALL (193268).
Eric Charles SNOOK (154100).

Ronald Stanley WINGATE (199233).
Leslie Gordon WRIGHT (201022).

John Denis FitzGerald PENROSE (48782). 27th
Oct. 1948.

Colin Spendley WARNER (203514). 29th Oct.
1948.

Robert William SQUIRE (165344). 1st Nov. 1948.
Alan SPROXTON (115524). 2nd Nov. 1948.

3rd Nov. 1948.

Gordon Singleton PITTAWAY (194489).
Charles Richard Bell SCHOFIELD (63786).

John Peter Scott TAYLOR (154882).
Maurice Sydney WATTON (198684).

12th Nov. 1948.

John Fairless NOTMAN (158738).
Leonard SEPHTON (141138).

Roy VINE (148550).
Arthur WARBURTON (201764).

15th Nov. 1948.

Derrick Cecil Carson PEACOCK (198745).
George Davie ROBB (195492).

William Jack TALBOYS (150877).
Laurence Alan WEBBER (163818).

John Henry WHITTICK (187293).

As Pilot Officer:—

John George Clarke MUNRO (2600300). 9th Oct.
1948.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer D. S. RANWELL (190854). 23rd
Dec. 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officers:*—

George Alexander Ernest NORRIS (76424). 30th
Sept. 1948.

19th Oct. 1948.

John Neil Brodrick PRANCE (79064).
Laurence RIDGWAY (63128).

David Maxwell John TYRE (79060).
William Henry TRICKETT (80596).

25th Oct.
1948.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenants:*—

Harry Esmond RICHARDSON (75966). 30th Sept.
1948.

Archibald Douglas ROSE, O.B.E. (72193). 6th
Oct. 1948.

George Stephen Atwick OLLIS (72205). 18th
Oct. 1948.

John Bloomfield STEWART (72393). 25th Oct.
1948.

As Flying Officers:—

Basil MILLER (89562). 25th Sept. 1948.
Derek Charles PALMAR (85498). 16th Oct. 1948.

Lachlan MACKINNON (142282). 19th Oct. 1948.
25th Oct. 1948.

William Hood RUTHERFORD (202151).
Ronald WHEATSTONE (188196).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flight Lieutenant:*—

Edgar STURMAN, O.B.E. (72950). 22nd Oct.
1948.

As Flying Officers:—

23rd Sept. 1948.

Ewen Alfred Muggerridge SACK (77126).
Thomas Victor John TILNEY (63981).

Stucley Wedikind Shane O'NEILL (190131). 30th
Sept. 1948.

Sidney William PEGLER (122786). 6th Oct. 1948.
Samuel John ROBERTS (14488). 19th Oct. 1948.

Geoffrey Cecil MORRIS (86833). 21st Oct. 1948.
22nd Oct. 1948.

Herbert Victor SPEED (162709).
John Murray STABLES (79766).

Donald Elmer WAKELIN (110000).
25th Oct. 1948.

John RITCHIE (177240).
Ernest ROWLEY (176268).

Frederick Robert Henry WAUGH (168563).
15th Nov. 1948.

Douglas William James ROBINSON (141790).
Edward Gordon TWINING (157787).

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officers:*—

Edwin James WATERS (187606). 19th Oct. 1948.
Richard SHARMAN (103982). 1st Nov. 1948.

Cecil Francis RHODES (104903). 12th Nov.
1948.

David Waddy SHAW (61293). 15th Nov. 1948.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officer:—*

George Anderson MANDOW, B.Ch. (84259). 29th Nov. 1948.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Transfer to reserve (class C):—*

Flight Lieutenant E. J. CORKEN (84300). 7th Jan. 1949.

WOMEN'S FORCES.**EMPLOYED WITH THE MEDICAL BRANCH OF THE ROYAL AIR FORCE.***Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer V. I. WILSON, M.B., Ch.B. (8537) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), retaining her rank. 19th Jan. 1949.

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Sister L. I. St. J. MERCER (6714). 20th Dec. 1948.

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