

15th Feb. 1949:

Flight Lieutenant William Cresswell RIDOUT (167852) (seniority 23rd Feb. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).
James YATES (195728) (seniority 21st Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

3045652 Navigator IV Henry Alfred AXON (3045652). 3rd Feb. 1949 (period of service to count from 25th Aug. 1948).

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

Peter Frederick THOMPSON (54382). 9th Feb. 1949 (seniority 6th Sept. 1947). Ernest Reginald MOUNSEY, D.F.C. (54688). 15th Feb. 1949 (seniority 1st Oct. 1948) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

George Richard John GEAL (57984). 9th Feb. 1949 (seniority 4th Feb. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

1st Dec. 1948.

Kenneth Lawrence Harold ALLINGTON (124210) (seniority 1st Nov. 1945).

William MORGAN, D.F.M. (52541) (seniority 11th Oct. 1946).

Ronald John DAFFEY, D.F.C., D.F.M. (159488) (seniority 27th Mar. 1947).

Victor Percival TOMLIN, D.F.C. (172465) (seniority 27th Aug. 1947).

Ronald WISE (55531) (seniority 18th Sept. 1947).

David John MILES (180050) (seniority 26th Oct. 1947).

Jonas Cecil MEEGHAN (56222) (seniority 2nd Feb. 1948).

John William GARFITT (190221) (seniority 28th Mar. 1948).

John Thomas COLE (57019) (seniority 24th Apr. 1948).

Arthur Garnet CLARK (56416) (seniority 6th June 1948).

Peter John MONEY PENNY (164925). 14th Dec. 1948 (seniority 8th Apr. 1948).

1st Jan. 1949.

Robert Aubrey YATES-EARL, D.F.C. (40163) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Michael Charles LOWE, D.F.C. (158585) (seniority 30th Oct. 1947).

John Thomas Edward LEGGE, D.F.C. (177716) (seniority 11th Dec. 1947).

Roy Ernest PARSONS (167322) (seniority 17th May 1948).

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

1st Dec. 1948.

David Vincent Thomas MORRIS (56720) (seniority 31st Mar. 1946).

John Henry Alastair MACPHERSON (196703) (seniority 6th Apr. 1946).

John William THATCHER (198255) (seniority 29th May 1946).

Kenneth Standing MERSH (195122) (seniority 6th Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

Walter John DODKINS (185384). 22nd Dec. 1948 (seniority 23rd Nov. 1946).

Fraser PHILLIPS (202193). 1st Jan. 1949 (seniority 26th Nov. 1946).

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

1st Nov. 1948.

Kenneth Philip Hubert CLEFFE, A.F.C. (111970) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).

Robert Duncan Mackenzie KENNETH (48553) (seniority 9th Oct. 1945).

John William KNIGHTS (182293). 1st Jan. 1949 (seniority 31st Jan. 1948).

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

1st Dec. 1948.

Herbert Arthur POLLARD (201470) (seniority 9th Oct. 1946).

Raymond Allan TOPP (58120) (seniority 25th Mar. 1947).

As Pilot Officers (national service):—

Aircraftmen 2nd class:

3rd Feb. 1949.

3118426 William Sturmy CAVE (3118426).

2600128 Richard Geoffrey Warren ROGERS (2600128).

2416947 Murray WARSON (2416947).

Notification amended.

8th Feb. 1949 (p. 679, col. 2) concerning Reginald Mark PARRACK (18405) for (18405) read (184058), and for (seniority 18th Dec. 1944) read (seniority 10th Feb. 1948).

Promotion.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:

G. V. W. KETTLEWELL (33192). 18th Feb. 1949 (seniority 1st Jan. 1949).

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

C. T. DALZIEL (185792). 1st Feb. 1949.

H. V. THORNLEY (200762). 9th Feb. 1949.

H. H. ROFFEY (181812). 10th Feb. 1949.

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flying Officer J. LYNCH (56799) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 26th Oct. 1948) as if his appointment as Flying Officer bore date 7th Apr. 1947.

Commission relinquished.

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

Flight Lieutenants:

R. D. M. KENNETH (48553). 1st Nov. 1948.

1st Dec. 1948.

A. G. CLARK (56416).

J. T. COLE (57019).

J. C. MEEGHAN (56222).

W. MORGAN, D.F.M. (52541).

R. WISE (55531).

R. A. YATES-EARL, D.F.C. (40163). 1st Jan. 1949.

Flying Officers:

1st Dec. 1948.

D. V. T. MORRIS (56720).

R. A. TOPP (58120).

Notification amended.

8th Feb. 1949 (p. 680, col. 2) concerning R. M. PARRACK (18405) for (18405) read (184058) and the notification should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—

Lennard Sidney PEGG (43865). 22nd Sept. 1948 (seniority 6th Nov. 1945).

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—

Geordie Keith LARNEY, D.F.C. (33582). 20th Dec. 1948 (seniority 21st May 1948).

As Pilot Officers (permanent):—

Flight Sergeants.

10th Feb. 1949.

568578 Harold Frederic PALING (568578).

568419 Leslie Norman WEST (568419).

Sergeants.

10th Feb. 1949.

568507 Peter Greenwood SMITH (568507).

570193 Roy Wilfred Patrick THOMPSON (570193).

571324 John Frederick Hosford WHITNEY (571324).

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

Hugh Edward TROUGHTON (48109). 9th Feb. 1949 (seniority 3rd May 1944).

Albert Charles STREVENS (48507). 15th Feb. 1949 (seniority 15th Aug. 1945).

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

Albert Harry BURCHETT (47153). 1st Dec. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

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

Edmund Frank OCKENDON, O.B.E. (45772). 1st Dec. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).