

*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended to eight years with effect from the date stated:—

*Squadron Leaders:—*

23rd Jan. 1946.

C. J. CALLINGHAM, A.F.C. (40206).

E. F. CAWDERY, D.F.C. (40671).

A. L. WALKER (114645). 24th Apr. 1947.

*Flight Lieutenants:—*

S. J. ANDRZEJEWSKI (500160). 14th Sept. 1948.

S. W. ARCHER, D.F.M. (158003). 29th Aug. 1946.

C. A. ARNOLD (187344). 5th Dec. 1946.

N. W. ATKIN (187830). 1st May 1947.

A. C. BAKER, D.F.C. (158259). 8th May 1947.

W. BEAUMONT, D.F.C. (157453). 22nd Aug. 1946.

J. BELL, D.F.C. (177188). 16th May 1946.

C. E. BERRY, D.F.C. (155584). 23rd May 1946.

8th Aug. 1946.

D. E. COLEMAN (169201).

A. A. L. COLSTON (197784).

G. DALE, D.F.C. (175295). 28th Nov. 1946.

L. J. DANIELS (170443). 3rd Oct. 1946.

D. D. DAVIES (177538). 22nd Aug. 1946.

O. V. C. DEAN (146722). 1st May 1947.

S. R. DIXON (113331). 6th Jan. 1947.

J. S. DOUGHTY (162863). 31st July 1946.

J. D. DOUGLAS-YOUNG (41231). 25th Mar. 1946.

E. W. DRAPER (150259). 5th Nov. 1948.

D. A. ELDRIDGE (195132). 6th June 1946.

R. C. ETHERIDGE, D.F.C. (138470). 5th Dec.

1946.

J. FERGUSON (145702). 26th Sept. 1946.

L. FISH, D.F.C., D.F.M. (130934). 3rd Mar.

1947.

J. H. FREEMANTLE (176172). 1st May 1947.

S. D. GUNNELL, D.F.M. (145150). 28th July 1947.

A. W. HALLAM, D.F.C. (169053). 22nd Aug.

1946.

A. HUGHES (160758). 1st May 1947.

K. W. JARVIS (197594). 19th Jan. 1949.

R. F. KBATLEY (171739). 12th Nov. 1947.

R. A. W. KETTEL (160513). 12th Feb. 1946.

W. C. MCEWEN (170920). 3rd Apr. 1947.

D. H. MACKENZIE (54233). 9th May 1946.

R. MAY (158045). 5th Dec. 1946.

H. MILLS (148381). 18th Dec. 1945.

W. S. MOCKFORD (181610). 5th Sept. 1946.

E. G. NEWTON-MOLD (127156). 8th Aug. 1946.

K. A. O. NORMAN (181414). 3rd Oct. 1946.

A. M. PATERSON (190920). 22nd Aug. 1946.

R. A. PATTERSON (59474). 6th Aug. 1947.

A. F. PETERS (182687). 28th Nov. 1946.

D. B. POLDEN, D.F.M. (158676). 24th Apr. 1947.

J. A. RICHARDS, D.F.M. (185953). 1st May 1947.

J. I. ROCK, D.F.C. (159235). 23rd May 1946.

K. N. ROWLEY (141270). 24th June 1946.

F. W. W. SEAMAN (186089). 8th May 1947.

J. J. E. SCULLION (188651). 3rd Oct. 1946.

M. J. SMITH (172723). 5th Sept. 1946.

E. A. STEAD (197973). 28th Nov. 1946.

J. W. STOKER (176038). 8th May 1947.

N. S. TAYLOR (191992). 24th Apr. 1947.

J. E. THOMPSON (169131). 5th Dec. 1946.

F. V. TIMM (184975). 26th Sept. 1946.

J. A. TUCK (176243). 8th May 1947.

H. T. TURNER, D.F.C. (160741). 30th May 1946.

J. WHELAN (183869). 29th Aug. 1946.

17th Apr. 1947.

A. WRIGHT (157046).

J. WEBB (191106).

*Flying Officers:—*

D. A. AUSTIN (197214). 6th June 1946.

G. L. BONNY (55185). 24th Nov. 1948.

E. G. N. CAPPUCIOTTI (201858). 29th May 1947.

J. A. CARPENTER (200051). 13th Nov. 1947.

J. COOMBS (194415). 8th May 1947.

F. J. DEAN (200765). 5th Sept. 1946.

J. E. FITZSIMONS (59372). 2nd July 1947.

J. HARVIE (196838). 24th Apr. 1947.

J. M. HOCKING (57898). 29th May 1947.

I. JONES (58602). 4th Sept. 1946.

A. J. MAYO (168028). 17th Apr. 1947.

G. R. MILLS (198413). 15th May 1947.

B. W. L. NAYLOR, D.F.M. (195136). 15th Jan.

1947.

H. SLATER (187087). 24th June 1947.

H. A. SPREGG (197741). 1st Jan. 1947.

J. YOUNG (199050). 9th Jan. 1947.

*Transfer between branches.*

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to the Equipment Branch retaining their rank:—

9th Mar. 1949.

S. W. WILDING (53949) (seniority 29th Feb. 1948).

J. MCGUIRE, D.F.C. (155394) (seniority 9th Mar. 1949).

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

Flight Lieutenant H. B. BARNES (158145) to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer. 31st Mar. 1949 (seniority 14th June 1945).

Flight Lieutenant G. W. BROOKS (178855) to the Aircraft Control Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer. 28th Mar. 1949 (seniority 11th June 1946).

*Retirement.*

Group Captain J. A. EASTON, C.B.E. (at own request) retaining the rank of Air Commodore. 12th Feb. 1949.

Squadron Leader G. F. GRANT, D.S.O., D.F.C. (42216) (at own request), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 20th Apr. 1949.

*Transfer to reserve (class A).*

Flight Lieutenant S. A. ANDERSON, D.F.C. (195410). 5th Apr. 1949.

*Commission relinquished.*

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

Flight Lieutenant K. J. BOLTON, D.F.C. (45525) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th Jan. 1949.

*Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—*

7th Jan. 1949.

L. S. DEARLING, D.F.C. (49729).

H. G. FELLOWS (54174).

J. McK. ERSKINE (53084). 17th Jan. 1949.

J. T. GRAY (54931). 29th Jan. 1949.

K. F. EAST, D.F.M. (47896). 1st Feb. 1949.

K. J. ALBURY, D.F.M. (52910). 3rd Feb. 1949.

*Flying Officers retaining their rank:—*

W. J. BENTON (56483). 23rd Nov. 1948.

H. ARMITAGE (56276). 22nd Jan. 1949.

Flight Lieutenant R. S. W. KEMP, D.F.C. (49610) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.), retaining his rank. 11th Dec. 1948.

*TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**As Wing Commander (permanent):—*

Douglas George VINEY, B.E.M. (44420). 7th Aug. 1948.

*As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—*

Ernest Arthur HARROP, O.B.E. (45959). 16th Aug. 1948.

Arnold Stanley KING (47679). 15th Dec. 1948.

Robert Frederick SPARROW (46962). 12th Jan. 1949.

Ronald Basil GRIFFITHS (46049). 19th Jan. 1949.

*As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—*

David John HUGHES (52341). 22nd July 1948.

John Alexander MUNRO MACBEAN, M.B.E. (53049). 30th July 1948.

Harry MAKIN (52393). 16th Aug. 1948.

William James LEIGH (53873). 27th Aug. 1948.

Norman Edwin MARTIN (46229). 7th Oct. 1948.

Henry George ATTERWILL (48404). 12th Oct.

1948.

Allan Robertson MITCHELL (51782). 18th Oct.

1948.

Anthony BURDESS (51787). 22nd Oct. 1948.

James George REDMAN (50989). 29th Oct. 1948.

John THOMSON (50761). 8th Nov. 1948.

George Stott GOUGH (121226). 23rd Nov. 1948.

3rd Dec. 1948.

Albert Henry Desmond JOHNSON (49965).

William MARTIN (49505).

William Andrew TAIT (48510).

James Charles WOOLARD (160816).

8th Dec. 1948.

Sydney Thomas James HAMPSON (52390).

Laurence Thomas KELLY (52298).