As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on

the active list):— Cecil Seymour WALKER (54295). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 6th July 1947) (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6352, col. 1)).

1st June 1949. Bernard Aptroot (177829) (seniority 12th May 1947).

Edward Charles GRIMWOOD, D.F.C. (177563) (seniority 10th Dec. 1947). Peter William Burridge MANN, D.F.C. (185447) (seniority 3rd Apr. 1948).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the

(seniority 20th Jan. 1948).

Notification amended. 8th Mar. 1949 (p. 1178, col. 2) concerning Robert Walker STEEL (130986) for (seniority 26th Mar. 1945) read (seniority 26th Mar. 1946). 12th Oct. 1948 (p. 5382, col. 1) concerning Leonard Alfred SHEIL, D.F.M. (139655) for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list." 9th Nov 1948 (p. 5873, col. 2) concerning George

9th Nov. 1948 (p. 5873, col. 2) concerning George Wills MESSUM (177748), Ronald Leslie OLIVER (197506) and Victor Arthur ROBINS, D.F.C. (144705) for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list."

<sup>50</sup> 8th Feb. 1949 (p. 680, col. 1) concerning Eric Oswald MacKAY (162586) and Thomas Alfred SHEEN, D.F.C. (1777/44), for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list."

. 1st Mar. 1949 (pp 1050, col. 1) concerning Hugh MILLER (158323) *delete* "and relinquishes war sub-stantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment."

ist Mar. 1949 (p. 1051, col. 1) concerning Thomas William SKELTON (157979) for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list."

29th Mar. 1949 (p. 1588, col. 1) concerning John Parker Hicks (184342) for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list."

10th May 1949 (p. 2286, col. 1) concerning Alfred Walter Hicks, D.F.M. (172154), for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list.

17th May 1949 (p. 2395, col. 1) concerning James BRAID (175890) and William Frame Mackie SNEDDON (183267) for "One year on the active list" read "Two years on the active list."

12th July 1949 (p. 3390, col. 1) concerning Oswald Arthur DUPEE, D.F.C., D.F.M. (123298), for "and transferred to the Technical branch on appointment" read "and transferred to the Technical branch with effect from 24th Mar. 1949."

Notification cancelted.

5th Apr. 1949 (p. 1705, col. 1) concerning Ernest Richard Edward PAYNE (191798).

Promotion.

T.H. J. BENTLEY (195596). 12th Aug. 1948. J. G. G. BEDDOES (202278). 7th July 1949.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant T. C. IVESON, D.F.C. (128539) (at own request). 12th July 1949.

Commission relinquished. (Flying Officer D. WIGGANS (179161) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retain-ing his rank. 15th Aug. 1949. Flight Lieutenant C. S. WALKER (54295) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Mar. 1949 (substituted for notifi-cation of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6352, col. 1)).

Commission resigned. Flight Lieutenant J. B. H. NICHOLAS (39798). 23rd July 1949. . •

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial. Flight Lieutenant T. B. A. SHERRINGTON (42082). 20th July 1949.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Wing Commander (permanent) :---Harold Harris Bertram Lewis (44001). May 1949. 18th

As Squadron Leader (permanent):--Gilbert William Francis PENWARDEN (47161). 28th Apr. 1949.

1948.

Peter MORRELL (82346). 21st Feb. 1949 (seniority

17th May 1946). Ernest Arthur TILT (45026). 16th Mar. 1949. Alexander Thomas GRIFFITHS (51093). 23rd

Mar. 1949.

Mar. 1949. William Henry Noel GIBBY (49399). 30th May 1949 (seniority 23rd Mar. 1949). Ernest George PITT (131849). 8th June 1949. (seniority 7th Aug. 1948).

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

Robert James McNairn Spalding (49922). 25th July 1949 (seniority 8th May 1946). John William George Reader July 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). (48555). 30th

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

Thomas Walter KENT (44019). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6353, col. 1)).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-30th June 1949. T. C. BARBER (55748). R. BRICKWOOD (57611). H. M. BRYANT (57566). H. CHANT (57403). F. T. DENT (54552). K. W. DRABBLE (57613). R. R. GILL (57468). S. G. HALL, B.E.M. (57453). J. HARTLEY (57565). R. P. KAY (52188). E. W. W. KEMP (57571). H. L. LAMBERT (162727). A. G. LEWIS (56564). D. M. LYALL (57337). G. C. W. MONK (57454). D. A. R. NAYLOR, B.E.M. (57615). O. P. OSBORNE (57472). M. B. C. PRESTON (199650). H. A. RIDDIFORD (57623). H. A. RUDIFORD (57623). J. SYME (57435). W. G. WARDE (58008). W. S. WATSON (58225). E. A. N. WEBB (57517). H. WHITEHEAD (198841). 30th June 1949.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant C. O. POPE (48677) (at own request), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 15th Aug. 1949.

Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant T. W. KENT (44019) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Mar. 1949 (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6353, col. 2)).

Commission resigned. Flying Officer (war subs.) L. PHILLIPS (45507) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 13th July 1949.

Flying Officer (war subs.) C. T. NICHOLLS, B.E.M. (51098) retaining his rank. 4th July 1949.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Walter ALLEN, M.B.E. (44338). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Aug. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 31st Dec. 1948 (p. 6726, col. 2)).

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