20th Apr. 1949.

Philip William HANCOCK (53484) Stanley Douglas SINGLETON (136596).

Benjamin Harry GOODSELL (51452). 5th May

1949. Henry William CHAMPNESS (52679).

Charles Hen 12th May 1949. Lawrence Edward Moss (52454). 18th May

1949. 1st

Frank Richard WOOLVEN, B.E.M. (53865). June 1949 (seniority 1st Apr. 1949). Leslie Lawrence Robert BURCH (57853). 5th

July 1949.

As Flying Officers (permanent): — Thomas George Roycroft (57302). 3rd Dec. 1948.

Ernest Albert Norman WEBB (57517). 9th Feb. 1949.

Derek Harry George MUNSON (201523). July 1949 (seniority 12th May 1948). 18th

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

Frederick Victor SHEPPARD (52408). 11th July 1949 (seniority 17th Mar. 1948).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-

D. C. A. SQUIRRELL (53983). 3rd July 1949. I. SCOTT, B.E.M. (57677). 24th July 1949.

Commission relinquished. Flying Officer H. S. MACKENZIE, B.E.M. (52816). 26th July 1949.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent);

David Gillespie ADATR (4758). 4th July 1949 (seniority 6th May 1949) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

As Flying Officer (permanent):

Reginald Herbert REEVE (131174). 18th July 1949 (seniority 6th Jan. 1948) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

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

Douglas Edward EMMERSON (149738). 25th July 1949 (seniority 8th Mar. 1949) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

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

Lionel Harry HUTT (57915). 8th June 1949 (seniority 19th May 1949) (and transferred to the Catering Branch on appointment),

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

John Albert BROOKER (46242). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 25th July 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6354, col. 1)).

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

Charles John HICKTON (46290). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6354, col. 2)).

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

Cyril Leonard Evans (58588). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 7th Nov. 1947) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 8th Feb. 1949 (p. 681, col. 1)).

Retirement.

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Flight Lieutenant S. A. JORDEN, M.B.E. (43237) (at own request) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 26th Aug. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

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

Flight Lieutenants :

Ist Mar. 1949. J. A. BROOKER (46242) (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6354, col. 2)). C. J. HICKTON (46290) (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6354, col. 2)).

Flying Officer C. L. EVANS (58588). 1st Mar. 1949 (substituted for notification of 8th Feb. 1949 (p. 681, col. 1)).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (permanent): — Stanley John CARR, B.E.M. (57786). 1st Feb. 1949.

Ronald Prior AYLWARD (57781): 1st June 1949. Christopher Herbert Norris (79956). 4th Ju 1949 (seniority 7th Jan. 1946). 4th July

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

Rodolph Anthony Maule Lang (148504). 25th July 1949 (seniority 25th Apr. 1948).

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

Walter Richard PEARCE (565134). 11th July 1949 (seniority 8th Apr. 1949). As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the

active list):

active list):--Ist Mar. 1949. Henry Andrew Robert MIDDLETON (58271) (seniority 1st Aug. 1946) (substituted for notifica-tion of 10th May 1949 (p. 2287, col. 2)). Sidney George ABLETT (59257) (seniority 15th May 1947) (substituted for notification of 15th Mar. 1949) (p. 1312, col. 2)). As Flight Officer, W.R.A.F., temporary (for the unexpired portion of W.A.A.F. commission):--Suzanna STEVENS (5683). 6th Aug. 1949 (seniority 9th Sept. 1947).

(seniority 9th Sept. 1947). Extension of service. The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer E. A. MASLIN (134295) is extended by one year with effect from 1st Sept. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flying Officers (on appoint-ment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Ist Mar. 1949. S. G. ABLETT (59257) (substituted for notification of 15th Mar. 1949 (p. 1313, col. 1)). H. A. R. MIDDLETON (58271) (substituted for notification of 10th May 1949 (p. 2287, col. 2)).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent): — Roger GEBBELS (174362). 9th June 1949.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the

(seniority 25th Jan. 1947).

As Flying Officers, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Mabel Doris WESTCOTT (7908). 7th July 1949 (seniority 4th Oct. 1946).

2nd Aug. 1949. Eileen Isobel REED (8516) (seniority 30th May 1948).

Mary Margaret BROWNE (2273) (seniority 26th July 1949).

As Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :--Dillys Elaine JENKINS (436887). 9th Aug. 1949 (seniority 22nd Sept. 1948).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the

active list):-Frank William PLUCK (50257). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 3rd Feb. 1945) (substituted for notifica-tion of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6355, col. 2)).

Notification amended. 21st Oct. 1947 (p. 4958, col. 2) concerning Eric Edmond WATSON (163102) for (seniority 4th Jan. 1947) read (seniority 29th Sept. 1946). 4th Jan. 1949 (p. 46, col. 2) concerning Maurice Keith Burbridge JAMES (500457) for (seniority 1st July 1946) read (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). 19th July 1949 (p. 3524, col. 2) concerning John Warren Scoble (166639) for (seniority 22nd Mar. 1947) read (seniority 22nd Mar. 1948).

Promotion

Commission relinquished. Flying Officer F. W. PLUCK (50257) (on appoint-ment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Mar. 1949 (substituted for notification of 7th Dec. 1948 (p. 6356, col. 1)).

Commission resigned. Flying Officer D. P. HART (7740) retaining the rank of Flight Officer. 30th July 1949.