

22nd June 1949.

Harry Clark McFARLANE (55549) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch 22nd Aug. 1949 (seniority 1st Jan. 1949)).

James Frederick HERBERT SCOTT (56823) (for subsequent transfer to the Equipment Branch).

Ronald Wallace KEMSLEY (51884). 20th July 1949 (for subsequent transfer to the Technical Branch).

As Flying Officers (permanent):—

Peter Gillespie MALLETT (168049). 18th May 1949.

Thomas Frederick FAWCUS (198573). 9th June 1949 (for subsequent transfer to the Equipment Branch).

Michael Henry BEECHING (2600818). 27th July 1949.

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

Rodney John Arthur WOODS (181184). 16th Sept. 1948 (seniority 7th May 1948).

Frederick William MORRIS (191118). 1st Nov. 1948 (seniority 15th July 1948).

Allan Lee MATTHEW, D.F.C. (157492). 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 28th Feb. 1949).

Ernest Roland JAMES (177189). 15th June 1949 (seniority 12th Nov. 1947) (substituted for notification of 5th July 1949 (p. 3286, col. 1)).

Thomas Robert Craig RICHARDSON (181504). 24th Aug. 1949 (seniority 28th Feb. 1948).

William Robert HUTCHINSON (56642). 26th Aug. 1949 (seniority 13th Aug. 1948).

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

Raymond Allan TOPP (58120) 1st Mar. 1949 (seniority 25th Mar. 1947).

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

David JAMIESON (153161). 22nd Aug. 1949 (seniority 20th Aug. 1949) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

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

William Sydney THOMPSON (199370). 24th Aug. 1949 (seniority 17th June 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

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

George Alexander MURRAY (56802). 19th July 1949 (seniority 13th Oct. 1948).

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

Arthur Raymond JOHNSON (56250). 1st Apr. (seniority 29th Apr. 1948).

1st Sept. 1949.

Joseph Douglas WOODCOCK (52107) (seniority 24th Sept. 1946).

Charles BEVERIDGE, A.F.M. (54030) (seniority 22nd Feb. 1947).

Alan Leslie LAUNDER, D.F.C. (55977) (seniority 28th Jan. 1948).

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

Alfred Henry HAYES, D.F.C. (174030). 1st June 1949 (seniority 3rd Oct. 1947).

1st Sept. 1949.

Charles STANSFIELD, D.F.M. (49987) (seniority 1st Mar. 1946).

Norman Trevor Hamilton WILSON, D.F.M. (56257) (seniority 29th Feb. 1948).

Notification amended.

10th May 1949 (p. 2284, col. 2) concerning Ricci Derrick Sidney ORCHARD (175488) for "(for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch)" read "(and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 26th Mar. 1949 (seniority 26th Mar. 1949))" and (p. 2285, col. 1) concerning George ALEXANDER (57619) for 15th Sept. 1948 read 15th May 1948.

24th May 1949 (p. 2543, col. 1) concerning Ralph Bundock WELLER (184735) for (seniority 1st Apr. 1949) read (seniority 15th June 1946).

31st May 1949 (p. 2667, col. 1) concerning Richard Melville COAD, A.F.C. (34231) for "(and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as Squadron Leader (seniority 1st July 1945))" read "(and transferred to the Secretarial Branch as Squadron Leader 21st Apr. 1949 (seniority 1st July 1945))" and concerning Brian GOODALE, D.F.C. (101042) for "(and transferred to the Technical Branch 24th

Mar. 1949 as Flight Lieutenant (seniority 1st Sept. 1945)" read "(and transferred to the Technical Branch 30th July 1949 as Flight Lieutenant (seniority 1st Sept. 1945))".

1st July 1949 (p. 3222, col. 1) concerning William James Henry SETTERFIELD (184649) should have appeared under the heading "As Flying Officers short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve)" and not "As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve)".

5th July 1949 (p. 3285, col. 1) concerning David Richmond HOBDEN (55153) for HOBDEN read HOBDEY and John Cherry INKSON (135705) for "(for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch)" read "(and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 27th May 1949 (seniority 13th Dec. 1947))".

16th Aug. 1949 (p. 3959, col. 1) concerning Charles CRUICKSHANK (54511) insert (substituted for notification of 26th Apr. 1949 (p. 2037, col. 1), Frank William John KEMP (46248) insert (substituted for notification of 26th July 1949 (p. 3634, col. 2)) and (p. 3960, col. 1) concerning Roy PARSONS (169701) for (seniority 29th Nov. 1945) read (seniority 13th May 1946).

Notification cancelled.

15th Feb. 1949 (p. 801, col. 1) concerning Dennis Christopher Lawrence KEARNS (151961).

29th Mar. 1949 (p. 1587, col. 1) concerning Robert George Ian ELLIOTT (181103) (Extended service commission remains effective).

31st May 1949 (p. 2668, col. 1) concerning William John WARN, D.F.C. (135406).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended by one year with effect from the date stated:—

Flight Lieutenant R. M. DAVIES (166364). 1st Sept. 1949.

Flying Officer W. W. KERNER (197839). 1st Sept. 1949.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

G. MYERS (168491). 30th June 1949.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

29th July 1949.

K. J. L. BAKER (1868415).

I. R. DICK (3031426).

D. A. TOON (3011847).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant H. W. PRICE, A.F.M. (51702) to the Technical Branch retaining his rank, 8th Sept. 1949 (seniority 5th Oct. 1946).

Notification cancelled.

5th July 1949 (p. 3286, col. 2) concerning G. M. DONALDSON (49277).

Retirement.

Air Commodore A. MACGREGOR, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., retaining the rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 9th Sept. 1949.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant D. J. LAWRENCE (183273) retaining his rank. 8th Sept. 1949.

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

Flight Lieutenants:—

A. R. JOHNSON (56250). 1st Apr. 1949.

1st Sept. 1949.

C. BEVERIDGE, A.F.M. (54030).

A. L. LAUNDER, D.F.C. (55977).

C. STANSFIELD, D.F.M. (49987).

N. T. H. WILSON, D.F.M. (56257).

J. D. WOODCOCK (52107).

Removal.

Flying Officer W. ARMSTRONG, D.F.C. (56281). 16th Sept. 1948.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Wing Commander (permanent):—

Edwin James PRAILL, M.B.E. (45284). 1st Feb. 1949.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):—

Douglas MERCER (115652). 4th June 1948 (substituted for notification of 21st Dec. 1948 (p. 6607, col. 1)).

Peter BUCHANAN (46281). 28th Apr. 1949.