

3022473 Henry Maltman JAMES (3022473) (period of service to count from 31st Jan. 1946).
1816962 Godfrey Lionel POOL (1816962) (period of service to count from 28th May 1947).
1569903 John Ross (1569903) (period of service to count from 5th May 1947).

3000791 Keith Ernest WILLS (3000791) (period of service to count from 15th Jan. 1946).

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

Gerald Arthur CLARKE, A.F.C. (43165). 4th Apr. 1950 (seniority 1st Oct. 1944) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

James Frederick SMITH (45643). 11th Apr. 1950 (seniority 18th Feb. 1949).

Extension of service.

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

16th May 1946

R. J. McILVENNY, D.F.C. (158981).

F. STOTT, D.F.M. (142143).

30th May 1946.

C. COLE (143777).

J. E. McCREA, D.F.C. (142538).

C. W. EATON, D.F.C. (175196). 29th Aug. 1946.

H. D. PIPE (190977). 5th Sept. 1946.

J. CHALONER, D.F.M. (171198). 15th May 1947.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

19th May 1950.

P. W. DOWNING (1571515)

T. A. SHAW (577645).

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned to the Aircraft Control Branch retaining their rank:—

Flight Lieutenant C. C. NOBLE, D.F.M. (147227). 13th May 1950 (seniority 26th May 1949).

Flying Officer A. A. BAILLIE (177030). 12th May 1950 (seniority 26th Apr. 1947).

Flight Lieutenant G. L. SKINNER (50469) to the Fighter Control Branch retaining his rank. 9th May 1950 (seniority 13th Apr. 1947).

Retirement.

The undermentioned (at own request):—

Flight Lieutenant J. J. W. SALMOND (58148). 2nd May 1950.

Flight Lieutenant L. G. BETTINSON, D.F.C. (84727) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st May 1950.

Transfer to reserve.

Class (A):—

Flight Lieutenants:—

S. G. BOYNES (181020). 23rd May 1950.

R. B. FARREN, D.F.C. (176753). 30th May 1950.

6th June 1950.

L. E. LEAH (148824).

F. J. WHEELER, D.F.C. (145669).

Squadron Leader M. C. WELLS (37535) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 21st May 1950.

Class (C):—

Flight Lieutenants:—

P. G. WEST, D.S.O. (150199). 1st Mar. 1950.

J. A. AMATO (151477). 23rd May 1950.

B. N. FINCH (110793). 2nd June 1950.

Notification amended.

20th Dec. 1949 (p. 6024, col. 2) concerning P. R. COPE (124389) for class (A) read class (C).

Commission relinquished.

Extended service:—

Flying Officer R. O. SCOTT (201614) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 3rd June 1950.

Temporary:—

Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—

2nd June 1950

C. F. DRYSDALE (167119).

T. P. THOMAS (111233).

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

Flight Lieutenants:—

G. F. WALDEN, D.F.C. (202862). 3rd Apr. 1950.

G. A. CLARKE, A.F.C. (43165). 4th Apr. 1950.

Flying Officer J. F. WALKER (169862). 12th Feb. 1946.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant A. R. DIGBY-OVENS (153508). 5th May 1950.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (national service):—

3124580 Aircraftman 2nd class Anthony Edgar SALE (3124580). 4th May 1950.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

2nd June 1950.

H. A. SCARROTT (511855).

D. A. THOMAS (567860).

Retirement.

Air Vice-Marshal E. J. CUCKNEY, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.C. 6th May 1950.

Squadron Leader J. A. C. ROBINSON (35196) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 1st June 1950.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

James McCHEYNE (1345899). 1st May 1950 (seniority 6th Oct. 1949).

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

Nancy Helen Dorothea COOPER (7966). 5th May 1950 (seniority 1st Nov. 1946).

Transfer between branches.

Squadron Leader P. A. L. COOPER (74289) to the Secretarial Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 29th Apr. 1950.

Transfer to reserve.

Class (B):—

Flight Lieutenant L. J. F. COX (124971) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 10th May 1950.

Flying Officer N. R. PARRY-DAVIES (7380), W.R.A.F., retaining the rank of Flight Officer. 29th Apr. 1950.

Class (C):—

Wing Commander E. H. BROAD (21008). 30th May 1950.

Temporary Commission relinquished:—

Flying Officer K. C. PLAW (570967) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 21st Apr. 1950.

Flying Officer N. H. D. COOPER (7966), W.R.A.F. (on appointment to a short service commission in the W.R.A.F.). 5th May 1950.

Flying Officer A. W. H. MORSE (203775) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st June 1950.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Leslie Banks CROSTON (500987). 21st Nov. 1949 (seniority 24th Feb. 1948).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer P. V. LAMERTON (141235) is extended to six years with effect from 12th Sept. 1946.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

E. P. BENNETT (1906354). 22nd Jan. 1950.

D. McK. WILLS (500419). 18th Mar. 1950.

Transfer to reserve (class B).

Squadron Leader S. S. MOORE, M.B.E. (89690). 9th May 1950.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

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

Stafford James THACKRAY (111982). 1st May 1950 (seniority 7th Apr. 1948).

Commission relinquished (short service):—

Flying Officer R. T. HUNT (191028) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining his rank. 31st May 1950.