

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.***Transfer from class (B) to class (C).*

Flight Lieutenant D. REGAN (103255). 1st Dec. 1950.  
Flying Officer J. E. CARR (162797). 1st Mar. 1951.

*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant B. H. LAWRENCE (31448) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 7th Mar. 1951.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Transfer from class (B) to class (C).*

Group Officer E. B. RICHDALE (190), W.R.A.F.R.O. 5th Sept. 1950.

*Commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer R. PEPPERDINE (3119351) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 2nd Mar. 1951.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**  
(Reconstituted).**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:*

J. C. T. RECKITT (180442). 1st Apr. 1950  
(seniority 8th Feb. 1950).

*Transfer to reserve.**Flight Lieutenants:*

D. E. GILLAM, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (91237). 24th Oct. 1950.  
R. D. GRAESSER (122407) and relinquishes command of No. 3509 Fighter Control Unit. 12th Jan. 1951.  
W. H. MELLING (151396). 3rd Feb. 1951.

*Flying Officers:*

W. A. BEADLE (173322). 25th Oct. 1949.  
M. E. H. GRANT (1398610). 16th Jan. 1951.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:*

R. G. SHILLINGFORD (204331). 1st Apr. 1950  
(seniority 6th Mar. 1950).

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant J. P. BANTON (126545) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 29th Mar. 1951.

**FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant A. F. HIGHTON (55421) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 2nd Apr. 1951.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**  
(Emergency commission section).**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—**Flight Lieutenants:*

E. CRAIGIE (169877). 2nd Mar. 1951.  
6th Mar. 1951.

P. EDWARDS (145433).

A. D. MERCER, D.F.C. (122224).

B. McCONVILLE (146751). 7th Mar. 1951.

W. J. McE. CONLEY, A.F.M. (175664). 8th Mar. 1951.

K. T. A. O'SULLIVAN, D.F.C. (127032). 12th Mar. 1951.

I. N. MACLAREN (173514). 15th Mar. 1951.

D. D. G. GREEN (160993). 16th Mar. 1951.

19th Mar. 1951.

D. E. BATTEN, D.F.M. (153857).

O. S. FRAME (127217).

E. O'DONOGHUE (151979). 20th Mar. 1951.

27th Mar. 1951.

L. C. GREGORY, D.F.C. (60336).

W. J. VIZARD (163813).

W. J. A. ARMSTRONG (130941). 29th Mar. 1951.

30th Mar. 1951.

F. G. AGNEW (164965).

C. F. BOND (145419).

N. L. G. KEMP, D.F.C. (84941). 2nd Apr. 1951.

3rd Apr. 1951.

R. R. BIRCHALL, D.F.C. (130696).

R. E. HAMLET (146440).

E. C. HYDE, D.F.C. (149095).

F. W. BARKER, D.F.C. (117441). 4th Apr. 1951.

D. H. HOFFORD (163149). 5th Apr. 1951.

*Flying Officers:* —

A. J. WHYMAN (180153). 29th Jan. 1951.

P. E. NELSON (195206). 27th Feb. 1951.

P. C. WRIGHT (190418). 28th Feb. 1951.

K. A. MOORE, D.F.C. (176550). 6th Mar. 1951.

E. L. VIGAR (177151). 8th Mar. 1951.

H. S. CLAWSON (185712). 12th Mar. 1951.

K. A. BURNS, D.F.C. (190104). 19th Mar. 1951.

R. BOBART (184702). 20th Mar. 1951.

21st Mar. 1951.

R. KETLEY (191533).

F. WARDLEY (187008).

G. C. LYNCH (182470). 27th Mar. 1951.

28th Mar. 1951.

I. L. C. BLACKWELL (185508).

N. W. GAMMON (166376).

3rd Apr. 1951.

K. W. A. AYRE (201856).

L. J. LAWLESS (191394).

E. J. KANE (197596). 4th Apr. 1951.

E. D. HOLMES (197457). 5th Apr. 1951.

Pilot Officer M. PARRY (200964). 19th Jan. 1951.

Flight Lieutenant D. K. LAING (163761) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 2nd Feb. 1951.

Flying Officer J. E. F. WRIGHT, D.F.C. (143599) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining his rank. 4th May 1951.

*Notification cancelled.*

26th Dec. 1950 (p. 6445, col. 2) concerning P. R. PITTS (195547).

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer A. BIKKER (119489) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 12th Apr. 1951.

**ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

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

Flight Lieutenant F. A. BENSTEAD (112043). 30th Mar. 1951.

Flying Officer D. BIGNELL (159338). 5th Apr. 1951.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer A. V. GRIFFIN (110992) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 5th Mar. 1951.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.**Notification amended.*

27th Sept. 1949 (p. 4616, col. 1) concerning A. R. SMALE (103977) for 18th Aug. 1949 read 1st Jan. 1949.

**CHAPLAINS BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Rev. D. A. YOUNGMAN (155177) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Feb. 1951.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Reconstituted section.)

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.**Notification cancelled.*

26th Dec. 1950 (p. 6446, col. 2) concerning Peter Ronald PITTS (195547).

*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer A. E. PICKLES (191113). 28th Feb. 1951.