

Flying Officers:—

W. H. S. MELLORS (183295). 28th Mar. 1951.
 D. W. CARR (184639). 2nd Apr. 1951.
 D. C. EVERS (198515). 9th Apr. 1951.
 N. M. SHORTER (196954). 23rd Apr. 1951.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—**Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:—**

L. THOMSON (111969). 30th Sept. 1950.
 L. H. SANDOW (111977). 19th Oct. 1950.
 J. G. R. KNOWLES (181061). 18th Jan. 1951.
 B. P. GRIFFITHS (182156). 27th Jan. 1951.
 H. A. GOODWIN, D.F.C. (79573). 12th Feb. 1951.
 J. W. GRANT, D.F.M. (173449). 15th Feb. 1951.
 A. J. JONES (174419). 24th Feb. 1951.
 E. LAINCHBURY, D.F.C. (145467). 8th Mar. 1951.

Flying Officers retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

O. B. WATTS (168189). 19th Dec. 1950.
 C. R. BUTLER (183860). 10th Feb. 1951.

Flying Officers retaining their rank:—

F. E. HOWKINS (183881). 14th Sept. 1950.
 F. G. WADE-PALMER (202353). 19th Dec. 1950.
 I. R. S. ROBSON (168321). 14th Jan. 1951.
 F. MARSHALL, D.F.C. (186595). 18th Jan. 1951.
 H. P. TRIMNELL (187797). 30th Jan. 1951.
 J. S. CLAYTON (181451). 5th Feb. 1951.
 H. L. BEALE (166269). 6th Feb. 1951.
 I. G. MACFARLAN (163249). 8th Feb. 1951.
 E. PALFREYMAN (183191). 19th Feb. 1951.

24th Feb. 1951.

U. B. BOWEN-MORRIS (177580).
 R. W. EVANS (201304).
 C. E. TAYLOR (166383). 9th Mar. 1951.
 D. L. BOYLE (185687). 12th Mar. 1951.

The undermentioned (on enlistment in the R.A.F.):—**Flight Lieutenants:—**

G. J. BASHFORD (162280). 26th Feb. 1951.
 W. MELVILLE (145416). 6th Mar. 1951.
 R. ELLAWAY, D.F.M. (178559). 10th Apr. 1951.
 M. A. ROONEY, D.F.C. (173152). 17th Apr. 1951.

Flying Officers:—

V. J. KYRKE-SMITH, D.F.M. (185462). 24th Feb. 1951.

J. R. C. BROUWER (199620). 5th Mar. 1951.

7th Apr. 1951.

G. D. HOWARTH (195594).
 K. H. G. WILLIAMSON (201076).
 A. D. BAKER (184144). 13th Apr. 1951.

17th Apr. 1951.

R. BLYTHE (172904).
 A. C. TATE (166549).

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant A. B. L. WINSTANLEY, D.F.C. (170661). 10th Jan. 1951.

Retention of rank.

The permission granted to Flight Lieutenant E. A. H. LAWRENCE (138151) to retain rank, notified on 19th Apr. 1949 (p. 1939, col. 2), is withdrawn with effect from 10th Apr. 1951 on his enlistment in the R.A.F.

The permission granted to Flying Officer M. J. POWELL (187920) to retain rank, notified on 5th Apr. 1949 (p. 1708, col. 2), is withdrawn with effect from 6th Apr. 1951 on his enlistment in the R.A.F.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.****The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—**

Flying Officer F. E. REEDER (161143) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 6th Feb. 1951.
 Flying Officer C. D. SPRACKLEN (147404) retaining his rank. 22nd Feb. 1951.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.****Flying Officers (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—**

H. B. DAVIES (112675). 28th Mar. 1951.
 M. G. PYE (177497). 3rd Apr. 1951.
 J. E. YATES-EARL (139169). 23rd Apr. 1951.

Flying Officer H. R. SAUNDERS (175614) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 9th Apr. 1951.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Flying Officer E. E. COONEY (171530) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 25th Jan. 1951.
 Flying Officer K. B. STAINES (199304) retaining his rank. 24th Feb. 1951.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer M. E. BEECH (144427) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 18th Jan. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer A. O. H. MILLS (121602) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 5th Apr. 1951.

MEDICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flight Lieutenant J. S. T. SEARLE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (202879) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 27th Feb. 1951.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.****The undermentioned Chaplains (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—**

2nd Apr. 1951.

Rev. N. J. DAVIS-JONES (79351).
 Rev. J. S. MUST (118472).

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer E. G. E. KING (190126) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.), retaining his rank. 9th Nov. 1950.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.
(Reconstituted section).****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.****As Flying Officers (five years):—**

Francis Ernest HOWKINS (183881). 14th Sept. 1950.

Lindsay THOMSON (111969). 30th Sept. 1950.

Louis Henry SANDOW (111977). 19th Oct. 1950.

19th Dec. 1950.

Fairfax Guy WADE-PALMER (202353).

Owen Bertram WATTS (168189).

Ivan Robert Strachan ROBSON (168321). 14th Jan. 1951.

18th Jan. 1951.

John George Robby KNOWLES (181061).

Frank MARSHALL, D.F.C. (186595).

Bernard Parry GRIFFITHS (182156). 27th Jan. 1951.

30th Jan. 1951.

James Herbert MOORE, A.F.C. (205634).

Hubert Percival TRIMNELL (187797).

Henry Lawrence BEALE (166269). 6th Feb. 1951.

Ian Gilbert MACFARLAN (163249). 8th Feb. 1951.

James William GRANT, D.F.M. (173449). 15th Feb. 1951.

Ernest PALFREYMAN (183191). 19th Feb. 1951.

24th Feb. 1951.

Uryan Bernard BOWEN-MORRIS (177580).

Ralph Wynne EVANS (201304).

Alfred John JONES (174419).

Eric LAINCHBURY, D.F.C. (145467). 8th Mar. 1951.

Charles Edwin TAYLOR (166383). 9th Mar. 1951.

Dennis Leo BOYLE (185687). 12th Mar. 1951.

As Flying Officer (one year):—

Cecil Robert BUTLER (183860). 10th Feb. 1951.

As Pilot Officers (five years):—

Carl Christopher ASHER (2603784). 1st Feb. 1951.

Roy Anthony SANDEFORD (2603804). 11th Mar. 1951.

As Pilot Officers (two years):—

Miles Alvery Gladwyn JEBB (205632). 31st Jan. 1951.

John Herbert JAMES (1803685). 13th Feb. 1951.