

Short service commission relinquished.
Flying Officer R. B. CRAGGS (204460). 8th June 1953.

Commission resigned.
Pilot Officer A. A. I. GRAHAM (2817273). W.R.A.F. 19th May 1953.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).
As Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F.:—
Margaret Bunty ROBSON (2815795). 1st Oct. 1952.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flight Lieutenants:—
Albert Francis STURDY (186377). 20th Nov. 1952.

Clifford Leslie SAUNDERS (183436). 31st Mar. 1953.

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Pilot Officers (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Norman Edward McHUGH (3134462). 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 16th Oct. 1952).

Maurice Charles David FELTON (2513968). 22nd Apr. 1953 (seniority 17th Aug. 1952).

As Flight Lieutenant (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Hugh David DAVIES (186581). 13th May 1953 (seniority 19th June 1952).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant A. W. KING (114359) is extended to seven years with effect from 13th July 1948.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
E. SAVVA (1811163). 2nd July 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
L. R. POPE (2498082). 28th June 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.:—
2nd July 1953.

R. (M. LEARNER (2813512).
G. MORTIMER (2810758).
J. W. ORAM (2815382).
B. E. WILLIAMS (2147667).

Transfer to reserve.
Flying Officer F. A. COOPER (née BRAINE) (8596), W.R.A.F. 2nd June 1953.

Reversion to reserve.
Flight Lieutenants:—
R. G. LEWIS (175607). 26th June 1953.
G. B. GOULDSMITH (100128). 5th July 1953.

Wing Commander W. R. COLLINS, O.B.E. (75173), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 9th July 1953.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Pilot Officers:—
D. E. JONES (2516133). 10th June 1953.
A. H. URQUHART (2517196). 21st June 1953.

Notification amended.
26th May 1953 (p. 2904, col. 2) concerning R. W. HOWELL (2515272) for 25th May 1953 read 24th May 1953.

Retirement.
Wing Commanders:—
A. T. ATKINS (43319). 31st May 1953.
A. E. FAIRS, M.C. (21156). 21st June 1953.

Squadron Leaders:—
N. SCOTT (45173). 27th June 1953.
A. PURDIE, M.B.E. (43510). 30th June 1953.

Short service commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant H. D. DAVIES (186581) (on appointment to a new short service commission). 13th May 1953.

National service commission relinquished.
Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service commissions):—
N. E. McHUGH (3134462). 8th Apr. 1953.
M. C. D. FELTON (2513968). 22nd Apr. 1953.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—
R. FAIRHURST (2515311). 24th May 1953.
I. F. SYME (3132424). 9th June 1953.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.
Appointment to commission (short service).
As Pilot Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
David Joseph MAITLAND (2539682). 24th Feb. 1953 (seniority 25th Sept. 1952).

Promotion.
Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
C. CLEGG (500717). 16th Apr. 1953.
J. C. SIMPSON (500785). 21st June 1953.
N. STEVENSON (1793109). 2nd July 1953.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Pilot Officers:—
S. DEAN (2517221). 21st June 1953.
D. OLDHAM (2518525). 29th June 1953.
W. HOOD (2519147). 5th July 1953.

Retirement.
Group Captain C. J. KEEGAN, D.S.O. (at own request). 24th May 1953.

National service commission relinquished.
Pilot Officer D. J. MAITLAND (2539682) (on appointment to a short service commission). 24th Feb. 1953.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.
Appointment to commission (permanent).
As Flight Lieutenant:—
Kenneth TEMPERO (191498). 1st Apr. 1953.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.
As Flying Officer:—
George Frederick HAYLEY (159464). 31st Mar. 1953.

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Stefan Wladyslaw JANUS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (503159). 3rd June 1953.

As Pilot Officer (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Leslie CASEY, M.B.E. (175447). 1st June 1953 (seniority 23rd July 1951).

Promotion.
Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
J. S. GARNER (134039). 4th June 1953.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.
Appointment to commission (permanent).
As Flying Officer:—
Ronald Arthur AUSTIN (3122897). 1st Apr. 1953.

Short service commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant K. E. NAISH, D.F.C. (45447) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 7th July 1953.

National service commission relinquished.
Pilot Officer R. T. SMITH (3131845) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 30th Mar. 1953.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—
J. G. T. KELSEY (2512847). 29th Apr. 1953.
D. D. TENNANT (2513144). 4th May 1953.
G. W. CLARK (2514585). 17th May 1953.
P. H. VINCE (2515077). 20th May 1953.
J. R. CASE (2515368). 25th May 1953.
D. G. BALL (2515559). 26th May 1953.
R. R. W. PEACOCK (3132438). 9th June 1953.

MEDICAL BRANCH.
Appointment to commission (permanent).
As Flight Lieutenants:—
Maurice Anthony de CHENU, L.R.C.P. & S. (501316). 18th Feb. 1953.
Iain Alexander McINTOSH, M.B., Ch.B. (500674). 3rd Mar. 1953 (seniority 3rd Nov. 1949).

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Flight Lieutenant (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Patrick John GRANT, M.B., B.S. (501745). 1st May 1953 (seniority 1st Mar. 1952).