

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.***Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

P. E. BALMFORTH (2460028). 30th Nov. 1952.

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

D. NICHOLS (3123544). 29th June 1952.  
E. L. STUBBS (2491817). 6th May 1953.  
D. M. BOSTON (2468522). 21st May 1953.  
P. A. BRYANT (2466334). 21st June 1953.  
I. H. FORSYTH (2500115). 26th Sept. 1953.  
R. G. BINKS (2503967). 9th Feb. 1954.

*Commission relinquished.*

Squadron Leader D. S. GREEN, O.B.E. (19136), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 27th Nov. 1953.

*Commission relinquished (national service list).**The undermentioned (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.):—*

Flying Officer A. E. GROSSET (2427365). 21st Nov. 1953.  
Pilot Officer T. J. HARPER (3133914). 10th Nov. 1953.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.***Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

B. A. VIVIAN (500163). 4th Nov. 1953.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

R. BAIRD (2492711). 31st Oct. 1953.  
G. CONNELL (2493815). 22nd Feb. 1954.

*Commission relinquished.*

Squadron Leader G. C. BRADBURY (500913) (on appointment to the Regular Army Reserve of Officers). 8th Feb. 1954.

*Commission relinquished (national service list).*

Pilot Officer L. S. FOSTER (3134395) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 11th Nov. 1953.

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.***Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

P. N. ATKINSON (50235). 7th July 1952.  
J. B. FIELDING (191021). 17th July 1952.  
G. V. CHANDLER (56797). 9th Aug. 1952.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.***Promotion.**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

1st Mar. 1951.  
N. HAMLIN, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23371) (seniority 16th Apr. 1950).  
R. D. SLOAN, M.B., Ch.B. (66480) (seniority 21st Oct. 1950).

**PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.***Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

C. J. WILDE (2494791). 5th Dec. 1953.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**

(Reconstituted.)

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.***Transfer to reserve.*

Flying Officer R. T. ROWSON (170821). 4th Dec. 1953.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Emergency commission section.)

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

Flying Officer N. T. BACK (147014) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 10th Dec. 1953.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Reconstituted section.)

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officers (three years):—*

Douglas Henry HEYWORTH (206091). 29th Oct. 1953.  
William Arthur LITTLE (206089). 7th Dec. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officers (three years):—*

Alfred Edington GROSSET (2427365). 21st Nov. 1953.  
Anthony John Leslie LLOYD (206086). 9th Dec. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officer (two years):—*

Michael BURTON (206087). 8th Dec. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (two years):—*

Edmund Bernard WOOTTEN (2608253). 2nd Aug. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (for the balance of five years):—*

Ian Albert Moore HALL (2600531). 27th Oct. 1953 (period of service to count from 13th Nov. 1950).

Ronald Ian WISEMAN (2605949). 16th Nov. 1953 (period of service to count from 16th July 1951).

*As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (for the balance of four years):—*

Ian Stuart YOUNG (2620007). 27th Oct. 1953 (period of service to count from 3rd Nov. 1951).

David Cargill PETERS (2600362). 5th Nov. 1953 (period of service to count from 26th Jan. 1952).

*As Pilot Officer (until 3rd Mar. 1957):—*

James Alexander Gilchrist SCOTT (3133908). 11th Nov. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officer (until 5th Apr. 1956):—*

Adrian Christopher SWIRE (206090). 9th Nov. 1953.

*As Acting Pilot Officer (until 1st Apr. 1957):—*

Laurence Sydney FOSTER (3134395). 11th Nov. 1953.

*Confirming and regrading.*

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in appointment and regraded as Pilot Officers with effect from 29th Aug. 1953:—

J. W. G. SLOAN (2600971).  
J. P. VALE (2600620).

*Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated:—

*Flight Lieutenants:—*

H. B. PEARCE (106036). 22nd June 1953.  
F. H. JEFFERY (127344). 18th Sept. 1953.  
D. C. C. PEACOCK (198745). 15th Nov. 1953.  
C. H. McLEOD (117152). 20th Nov. 1953.  
G. W. BIRD (137477). 26th Nov. 1953.  
J. A. HODGKINSON, D.F.M. (112735). 15th Dec. 1953.  
A. R. HUTCHINSON (201755). 13th Jan. 1954.

*Flying Officers:—*

R. A. ROUTH (180626). 7th Jan. 1953.  
E. A. IRELAND (106947). 10th May 1953.  
C. H. LANGLEY (179819). 30th Aug. 1953.  
S. G. PICKFORD (197587). 7th Sept. 1953.  
E. CHRISTIE (185193). 17th Nov. 1953.  
A. E. JORDAN (174118). 18th Nov. 1953.  
T. B. BICKERTON (199394). 19th Nov. 1953.  
Pilot Officer J. S. BALL (205041). 23rd Nov. 1953.

*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*

K. JARVIS (188432). 25th Dec. 1953.  
J. R. PARKER (190837). 23rd Feb. 1954.  
R. A. HANCOCK (202040). 6th Mar. 1954.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—*

W. E. PARKER (1485107). 1st Mar. 1951 (seniority 5th Sept. 1948).  
P. J. FENN (3122572). 15th May 1952.  
T. ROBINSON (3126186). 25th Oct. 1952.  
F. R. P. GARROD (2612451). 31st Dec. 1952.  
M. A. KNIGHT (2490782). 26th Jan. 1953 (seniority 5th Nov. 1952).

A. WARDROP (2492837). 29th Jan. 1953.  
R. DRYLIE (2492752). 31st Jan. 1953.  
G. R. SALISBURY (2488670). 15th Feb. 1953.  
D. P. J. GUIVER (2494710). 23rd Feb. 1953.  
J. M. LAMONT (2489396). 27th Feb. 1953.  
R. I. MARSHALL (3130221). 28th Feb. 1953 (seniority 22nd Feb. 1953).

M. J. S. LEBSON (2497578). 14th Mar. 1953.  
R. J. SHUREY (2503168). 15th Apr. 1953.

A. G. YIRRELL (3129458). 16th Apr. 1953.  
J. S. BELL (2500004). 30th Apr. 1953.  
D. C. WOODWARD (3131086). 1st May 1953.  
P. L. B. RODDAM (2502936). 4th May 1953.  
J. SMITH (3130790). 8th May 1953.  
R. G. AIRTON (2503384). 10th May 1953.