

Squadron Leaders :

W. N. H. BRAWN, D.F.C., A.F.C. (175648) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 12th Feb. 1961.

R. H. GIDMAN (3046000) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 26th Feb. 1961.

D. B. PRITCHARD (132805). 14th Mar. 1961.

Flight Lieutenants :

J. A. PRESSLAND (52063) (at own request). 14th Feb. 1961.

A. E. CHAPLIN, D.F.M. (49571) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service), 18th Mar. 1961.

Short service commission relinquished

Flight Lieutenant P. G. W. CHRISTIE (584385), retaining his rank (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 17th Mar. 1961.

Commission terminated**Notification amended**

27th Dec. 1960 (p. 8865, col. 2), concerning D. C. BENOY (506185) should have appeared under the heading TECHNICAL BRANCH and not GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial

Flying Officer D. C. WHEELER (4167957). 14th Dec. 1960.

TECHNICAL BRANCH**Extension of service**

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer P. J. BOREHAM (506242) is extended to four years with effect from 3rd Apr. 1959.

Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :**

A. W. WHITTAKER (3147947). 17th Mar. 1961.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

5th Mar. 1961

G. E. PARRETT (575072).

P. G. PAYNE (571929).

L. A. RHODES (571881).

K. C. YOULDON (585544). 24th Mar. 1961.

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenant H. N. CASEBOURNE (48983). 22nd Mar. 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list) :

Flying Officer N. T. COSTER (5067014). 12th Mar. 1961.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant R. S. PEARCE, D.F.C. (46840), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 10th Mar. 1961.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH**Transfer to Supplementary List conditions of service**

Flight Lieutenant Harold Gordon BIRCHNELL (189264), who was appointed to a permanent commission, is transferred to the Supplementary List under the terms of A.M.O. A.215/55, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 6th Dec. 1960.

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant J. A. KEAREY (58740). 18th Feb. 1961.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flying Officers (General List) :**

1st Oct. 1960

Gordon LUFFMAN (4143073).

Peter Robert PAPWORTH (5011171).

As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) :

Donald THOMAS, B.A. (505407). 16th Dec. 1960.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer J. P. TICKNOR (2834300), W.R.A.F., is regraded as Pilot Officer. 10th Feb. 1961.

Promotion**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :**

B. L. WEST (2591316). 17th Mar. 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Pilot Officer R. E. SOTNICK, LL.B. (506148). 15th Feb. 1961.

Retirement

Wing Commander J. R. PULLAN, O.B.E., F.C.A. (21380). 6th Mar. 1961.

Flight Lieutenant G. FORSYTH (56723) (at own request). 21st Feb. 1961.

Flight Officer M. THOMAS (4882), W.R.A.F. (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 21st Mar. 1961.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant (General List) :**

Alan Ernest JONES, M.B.E. (3138606). 1st Oct. 1960.

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) :

Graham George FLACK (5010809). 20th Feb. 1961 (seniority 23rd May 1959).

MEDICAL BRANCH**Promotion****Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :**

R. E. WOOLLEY, G.M., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H. (203483). 6th Mar. 1961.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

J. B. DAVIS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.Obat.R.C.O.G. (506872). 19th Mar. 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)**Flight Lieutenants :**

11th Mar. 1961

P. M. JACKSON, M.B., B.Ch. (506217).

R. E. MACLAURIN, M.B., B.S., D.A. (506166).

W. SUSSKIND, M.B., Ch.B. (506179).

DENTAL BRANCH**Transfer to reserve**

Flight Lieutenant W. G. ECCLES, B.D.S., L.D.S. (505728). 3rd Mar. 1961.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Flight Lieutenant A. R. WHITELOW, B.D.S. (506152). 4th Feb. 1961.

EDUCATION BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flight Lieutenant (Supplementary List) :**

Alexander George DUGUID, M.A. (3021954). 18th Nov. 1960.

As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) :

Brian Joseph TOMLINSON, B.Sc. (506261). 18th Nov. 1960.

Donald Henry TREW (2403238). 3rd Jan. 1961 (substituted for notification of 21st Feb. 1961 (p. 1354, col. 2)).

Transfer to a medium service commission**As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) (ten years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :**

Terence John Robert CLARKE, B.Sc. (505654). 4th Nov. 1960 (period of service to count from 22nd Nov. 1957).

D. BYSOUTH, B.Sc.(Econ.) (5052824). 5th Jan. 1961 (period of service to count from 30th Jan. 1958).

Promotion**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :**

G. F. PATTERSON (501021). 4th Mar. 1961.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

20th Mar. 1961

D. W. GRANGER, B.Sc. (505562).

N. SHORRICK, B.Sc. (505585).

CATERING BRANCH**Retirement**

Flight Lieutenant H. J. SMITH, M.B.E., D.F.C. (49952). 15th Feb. 1961.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH**Appointment to commission (permanent)****As Flight Lieutenants (General List) :**

1st Oct. 1960

Norman Louis HAGGETT, D.Phys.Ed. (504892).

Peter George HEARN, B.A., D.Phys.Ed. (504414).

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE**Appointment to commission (short service)****As Flying Officers (Supplementary List) (four years on the active list) :**

6th Feb. 1961

Rene FOSTER (407862) (seniority 23rd Sept. 1959).

Mary WELLINGTON (407863) (seniority 24th Dec. 1959).