8900 Specialist Aircrew: Flight Lieutenant M. J. MERCER (4092701) is designated Specialist Aircrew. 18th Aug. 1971. Regrading Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer : Retirement 14th Aug. 1971 R. BATEMAN (8025331). A. R. BOWN (8025423). W. J. COSTIN (8025330). D. M. DOLAN (8025264). P. P. DULSON (8025415). M. R. G. DUTTON (8025422). D. A. EARP (8025369). Jun. 1971. K. D. FARNFIELD (8025325). D. A. Holland (8025396). J. W. A. O'BRIEN (4232903). M. R. PITT (8025398). Antedates of Seniority The undermentioned Flying Officers are awarded antedates of seniority as follows : J. C. STIRLING, D.Phys.Ed. (507979) 27th Apr. 1967 from 19th Dec. 1969. A. J. McLoughlin (4335422) 17th Dec. 1966 from 11th Mar. 1970. G. B. Ross, M.A. (2616550) 15th Oct. 1969 from 15th Jan. 1971. Pilot Officer G. B. Ross, M.A. (2616550) is awarded an antedate of seniority of 15th Apr. 1969 from 15th Jul. 1970. Transfer to Reserve Flight Lieutenant L. E. N. TANNER (4230633). 31st Jul. 1971. Promotion Retirement Air Commodore C. C. M. BAKER, O.B.E., M.B.I.M., M.I.P.M. 31st Jul. 1971. Squadron Leader I. K. SALTER, A.F.C. (152335). 4th Aug. 1971. Squadron Leader J. H. PALMER (607035) (at own request). 9th Jul. 1971. Flight Lieutenant H. L. CRAWLEY, D.F.C. (3511526). 2nd Aug. 1971. Commission Resigned Flight Lieutenant J. WIDDALL, B.Sc. (2617700). 4th Aug. 1971. 1971.) GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer W.R.A.F.: K. P. SHERDLEY, B.A. (8975). 11th Aug. 1971. 1971. Retirement Flight Lieutenant H. SLATER (187087) (at own request). 1st Jul. 1971. ENGINEER BRANCH 1968.) Appointment to Commission (Permanent) As Squadron Leader : Retirement James Richard WALLACE, B.Sc. (5201739). 13th Jun. 1971. As Flying Officer: 1971. Alan John WAKEFIELD (5073136). 1971 (Seniority 30th Nov. 1969). 30th May As Pilot Officer : Michael Andrew Rogers (5201699). 30th May 1971. Appointment to Commission (Short Service) As Flying Officer (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve): Stephen John Hill, B.Sc. (5201720) 30th May 1971 (Seniority 30th Jun. 1969). Promotion As Flying Officer (Five years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve) : David Harry Atton (5201726) 30th May 1971 (Seniority 30th May 1969). 1971.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

11th Aug. 1971 M. S. BARTLETT (4335407).

J. A. F. EDWARDS (4245225).

D. M. MAIN (686988). 15th Aug. 1971.

Regrading and Promotion

Acting Pilot Officer P. W. GILES, B.A. (5201039), is regraded Pilot Officer and promoted to Flying Officer. 3rd Feb. 1971 (Seniority 3rd May 1968). Substituted for Notification 6th Apr. 1971.

Wing Commander W. E. D. MAKIN, D.F.C. (124936). 9th Aug. 1971.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Squadron Leader: Keith Alexander Pascoe KIDD (5201723). 13th

As Flying Officer : George Stuart HARRISON, B.A. (5201701). 30th May 1971 (Seniority 30th Nov. 1968).

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Squadron Leaders (Six years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve).

13th Jun. 1971

John Caldwell CROOKSTON (5201731). George Gideon HOUSTON (175631).

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer A. D. DUDGEON (8933) W.R.A.F. is extended to seven years from 6th Mar. 1967.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: W. G. MARSHALL (4123749). 29th Jul. 1971. (Substituted for notification in London Gazette, 3rd Aug. 1971.)

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer K. E. UPRICHARD (2797370) W.R.A.F. is extended to seven years from 9th Feb. 1966.

Antedate of Seniority

Flying Officer J. N. SMITH (4232438) is awarded an antedate of semiority of 5th Aug. 1967 in rank of Flying Officer from 13th Dec. 1970. (Sub-stituted for Notification in London Gazette, 5th Jan.

Pilot Officer P. N. SCARGILL (8025228) is awarded an antedate of semiority of 27th Aug. 1970 in the rank of Pilot Officer from 13th May

Transfer between Branches

Pilot Officer S. J. ACKROYD (4335461) is trans-ferred to the General Duties Branch (Supple-mentary List). 24th Nov. 1967 (Seniority 26th Jan. 1967.) (Substituted for Notification in London Gazette Supplement of 18th Jun. and 30th Jul. 1969.)

- Air Vice-Marshal T. J. HENLON, C.B., C.B.E. 7th Aug. 1971. Flight Lieutenant J. YATES (195728). 25th Jul.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Short Service)

As Flight Lieutenant (Woman Medical Officer) (three years on the Active List and four years on the Reserve).

Maureen Mary Coggins, M.B., B.S. (9014). 13th Jun. 1971.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander: E. P. Collins, M.B., Ch.B. (2620367). Jun. 1971. 11th

D. R. AMIES, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.(Edin.), M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O. (507325). 14th Aug.

J. H. LEMON, M.B., B.S. (2608062). 17th Aug. 1971. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

A. J. MOULDS, M.B., Ch.B. (5201116). 5th Jul. 1971.

M. J. A. LAW, M.B., Ch.B. (5200876). 12th Jul. 1971.