

Squadron Leaders (at own request):

1st Apr. 1973

- C. R. PALMER, M.B.E., A.F.C. (202753).
 F. H. PENNYCOTT (56421).
 R. W. J. SCARLETT (174084). 7th Apr. 1973.
 Flight Lieutenant J. P. SPEIRS (5190019). 25th Mar. 1973.

Flight Lieutenants (at own request):

1st Apr. 1973

- B. A. STEVENS (500483).
 J. A. TULIP (4102006).
 T. GARBUZ (704880). 4th Apr. 1973.
 L. F. SMITH (1622406). 7th Apr. 1973.
 Flying Officer G. F. W. WALLEN (4084067) (at own request). 1st Apr. 1973.
 Pilot Officer B. WOOD (5200852) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 6th Apr. 1973.

Commission Terminated

- Acting Pilot Officer C. H. FIELDING (8025986). 6th Feb. 1973. (Substituted for notification in *London Gazette* dated 27th Feb. 1973.)

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

13th Jan. 1973

- C. R. PICKTHALL (2624838).
 G. STEWART (8023026).

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F.:

13th Jan. 1973

- E. J. DOREY (8031828).
 J. M. TURNER (8031818).

Retirement

- Flight Lieutenant M. J. O'NEILL (4048060). 27th Mar. 1973.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

- G. I. W. ELLOY, B.Sc. (5201025). 28th Mar. 1973.
 N. H. HAWLEY (2686707). 4th Apr. 1973.
 G. O. BURTON (687917). 7th Apr. 1973.
 P. LIDDELL, B.Sc. (508295). 9th Apr. 1973.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

J. S. ALTON (8025911). 6th Oct. 1972.

Retirement

Squadron Leaders:

- R. KIRBY (49495). 26th Mar. 1973.
 D. WALKER (520874). 30th Mar. 1973.

- Squadron Leader W. J. M. GATEHOUSE (53805) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service). 7th Apr. 1973.

Squadron Leaders (at own request):

- J. G. R. PRAG, B.E.M. (568308). 3rd Mar. 1973.
 S. D. LAWTON, C.Eng., M.I.E.R.E., A.M.B.I.M. (571707). 6th Apr. 1973.

Commission Terminated

- Flying Officer E. K. REIHER, M.Sc. (5202532). 10th Mar. 1973.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Promotion

- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant W.R.A.F.:*
 L. C. HAMMOND (2797073). 4th Apr. 1973.

Extension of Service

- The period of service on the Active List of Flying Officer R. BROOKE (8025048) is extended to 1st Aug. 1978.

Retirement

- Wing Commander W. TASKER (181244) (at own request). 8th Mar. 1973.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

R. G. T. HUNT (1947233). 7th Apr. 1973.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

J. S. HOGAN (5201679). 4th Apr. 1973.
 W. P. G. HUGHES (8022757). 8th Apr. 1973.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

A. R. MAXWELL (8023025). 4th Nov. 1972.
 29th Dec. 1972

S. F. FINNEY (8023042).
 G. E. J. STONE (8023015).

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer W.R.A.F.:

G. L. SOUTH (8031824). 1st Dec. 1972.

29th Dec. 1972

S. V. GILLETT (8031831).
 M. M. SMITH (8031329).
 M. A. WARWICK (8031790).

27th Jan. 1973

M. K. WEBSTER (8031791).
 A. WHITELOCK (8031838).
 V. A. PLUMMER (8031841). 24th Feb. 1973.

Transfer to the Reserve

Flying Officer M. Z. TVEDT (8031488) W.R.A.F. 21st Mar. 1973.

Notification cancelled

London Gazette dated 20th Mar. 1973, concerning Flying Officer L. GABLE (2797565) W.R.A.F. (Entry in *Gazette* dated 27th Feb. 1973 remains extant).

Retirement

Flight Lieutenant E. C. L. M. RATNARAJA (4230819) (at own request). 6th Mar. 1973.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:

M. A. STEPHENS (8022805). 8th Apr. 1973.

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:

T. SHEARER (8023021). 4th Nov. 1972.

Retirement

Group Captain D. G. ROBERTS, M.B.E., M.M., A.D.C. (at own request). 30th Mar. 1973.

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH

(Medical Section)

Promotion

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:

C. SMITH, F.R.S.H., M.A.P.H.I. (615189). 1st Jan. 1973.

DENTAL BRANCH

Retirement

Wing Commander W. B. WILLIAMS, L.D.S. (204544) (at own request). 8th Mar. 1973.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:

9th Apr. 1973

A. A. BRAITHWAITE, B.Sc., Ph.D. (5202071).
 S. R. HALL, B.A. (5202076).

Extension of Service

The period of service on the Active List of Flight Lieutenant J. Q. REGAN, M.A., LL.B. (8964), W.R.A.F., is extended to 22nd Sep. 1978.