Lennox Bn.

2nd Lt. (on probation) A. B. BROOKS (499202) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 27th Nov. 1974. To be Lt., 27th Nov. 1976, with seniority 22nd Apr. 1976.

Lincolnshire

2nd Lt. (on probation) L. PETHERICK (499994) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 24th Dec. 1974. To be Lt., 24th Oct. 1976, with seniority 24th Dec. 1974.

London, Tyrone & Fermanagh

Andrew McFetridge (470531) (Formerly Lt., A.C.F.) to be Lt., 1st Jul. 1976, with seniority 27th Oct. 1969.

Lothian Bn.

Lt. W. G. F 30th Sep. 1976. ROBERTSON (490605) resigns his commn.,

2nd Lt. (on probation) J. CARSE (500137) resigns his commn., 30th Sep. 1976.

Nottingham

2nd Lt. (on probation) G. V. JONES (499067) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 12th Oct. 1974. To be Lt., 24th Oct. 1976, with seniority 12th Oct. 1974.

Strathtay

Joseph Young Paris KENNEDY (497988) (Formerly 2nd Lt., A.C.F.) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 13th Oct. 1976, with seniority 20th Jan. 1975.

Lt. R. L. ABRAHAM (374470) resigns his commn., 7th Sep. 1976.

Tyne & Wear 2nd Lt. (on probation) J. A. CHEYNE (498851) resigns

his comm., 1st Nov. 1976. Rudolph Lionel WATSON (503030) to be 2nd Lt. (on probation), 26th Oct. 1976.

Warwickshire

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lts. (on probation), 28th Jul. 1976:

Michael BURNELL (503047). Edward Frank Convery (503048). Ronald Anthony Cook (503049).

Yorkshire

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. M. JARVIS (499146) is con-firmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Nov. 1974. To be Lt., 8th Nov. 1976.

2nd Lt. (on probation) C. Key (499148) is confirmed as 2nd Lt., 8th Nov. 1974. To be Lt., 8th Nov. 1976.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

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7th December 1976.

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AIR FORCE DEPARTMENT

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ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Commodore G. W. CLOUTMAN, F.D.S.R.C.S., is appointed Director of Dental Services (R.A.F.) with the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal D. F. G. MACLEOD, Q.H.D.S., F.D.S.R.C.S., 3rd Dec. 1976.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Transfer between Branches

Flight Lieutenant A. J. P. BEAVAN (686882) to the Administrative Branch, 5th Dec. 1976, in existing rank with seniority of 16th Oct. 1970.

Flying Officer I. A. M. BRAYN SMITH (8026415) to the Administrative Branch, 5th Dec. 1976, in existing rank with seniority adjusted to 24th Jul. 1976.

Retirement

Air Commodore D. A. TROTMAN, A.F.C., M.B.I.M., 28th Nov. 1976.

Wing Commander R. T. JOHNSON (114889) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service), 2nd Dec. 1976.

Squadron Leaders : J. N. BIRD (3132587), 29th Oct. 1976. F. H. B. STARK (3515190), 12th Nov. 1976.

26th Nov. 1976

E. BARTON, D.F.C. (175004). I. CARDWELL, A.F.C. (1795449).

F. J. DEAN (200765), 1st Dec. 1976. A. G. CORFE (167616), 3rd Dec. 1976. P. H. BAKER (141144), 4th Dec. 1976.

Flight Lieutenants :

J. R. FRY (4184368), 5th Nov. 1976. D. N. WETTON (608005), 12th Nov. 1976. T. H. S. NASH (2617270), 28th Nov. 1976.

29th Nov. 1976

C. R. BROWSE (4231020) P. FITZPATRICK, M.B.E. (2732138).

30th Nov. 1976

J. T. CLARKE (151932). S. C. WILLIAMS (1319015).

J. F. LANE (4233022), 6th Dec. 1976.

Flight Lieutenants (at own request): C. C. I. BOLTON (4232261), 16th Oct. 1976. E. R. J. ROBERTSON (2591622), 12th Nov. 1976.

Commission Terminated

Flying Officer J. E. THOMAS, B.Sc. (5202136), 23rd Nov. 1976.

Acting Pilot Officer R. G. ROBERTS (5202374), 22nd Oct. 1976.

GENERAL DUTIES (GROUND) BRANCH

Retirement

Wing Commander L. C. AKEHURST, O.B.E., A.M.B.I.M. (199049), 15th Nov. 1976. Flight Lieutenant S. C. D. BROTHERTON (687569), 23rd Nov. 1976.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Retirement

Air Commodore A. J. B. CLEMENTS, C.Eng., M.I.E.R.E., Dip.El., M.B.I.M., 2nd Dec. 1976. Group Captain P. A. LAW, C.Eng., M.I.E.R.E. (at own request), 25th Nov. 1976.

Wing Commanders.

M. G. SEYMOUR (49168), 28th Nov. 1976.
M. NELSON (574852), 29th Nov. 1976.
G. M. MCLEAN (52276), 2nd Dec. 1976.

D. H. J. HOPE (609290) (on account of medical unfit-ness for Air Force service), 2nd Dec. 1976. J. D. MCINTYRE (571023) (at own request), 16th Nov. 1976.

Flight Lieutenant J. E. KEEVES (570941), 6th Dec. 1976.

SUPPLY BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : P. D. GRIFFITHS (595733), 14th Oct. 1976.