Air Ministry,

12th April, 1927.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flight Cadets having successfully passed through the R.A.F. Cadet College, Cranwell, are granted permanent commissions, with effect from the dates indicated and with seniority of 11th Dec. 1926:—

Pilot Officer on probation.

James Richard MUTCH. 11th Mar. 1927.

Pilot Officer.

Harry George WHEELER. 15th Mar. 1927.

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions as Pilot Officers on probation with effect from and with seniority of 19th Mar. 1927:—

Percy Frederic George BRADLEY. Peter Dicken CRACROFT. Reginald DAVID. Richard Claude HANCOCK. Samuel HATTON. Gerald Nassau Stuart LANE. Arthur George MACE. Geoffrey William MONK. Anthony George Carl SOMERHOUGH. James Edward STUART-LYON.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer: ----

7th Feb. 1927. John William BUSTEED. 12th Mar. 1927. Eric Arthur Swiss. John Walden BAYES. Hugh Thornley ANDREWS. Edward George Lambert RUSSELL.

Arthur Meuric Nairne DAVID. Alexander Edward TAYLOR.

18th Mar. 1927.

Fredrick George Shaw Wilson. Geoffrey Hugh Conningsby INGLE. Adolphus William WHITTA.

21st Mar. 1927. Sydney Albert Thorn.

26th Mar. 1927.

Hugh Granville Locn.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred to the Reserve, Class A:---

James Terence O'BRIEN-SAINT. 8th Apr. 1927.

Arthur Charles LAMB. 13th Apr. 1927.

Flight Lt. Walter Fraser ANDERSON, D.S.O., D.F.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 6th Apr. 1927.

Pilot Officer Bernard Joseph BUSHE-CARYESFORD resigns his short service commission. 18th Apr. 1927.

mission. 13th Apr. 1927. Squadron Leader Frederick Henry Wickham GUARD, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 14th Apr. 1927.

The undermentioned relinquish their temporary commissions on return to Army duty:—

Flight Lt. Christopher Ridley RICHARDSON (Capt., E. Yorks. Regt.). 8th Apr. 1927. Flying Officer Guybon Ebden Fitzgerald Boyes (Lt., R.A.). 3rd Apr. 1927.

Wing Commander Percival Scott Rick-CORD (Cdr., R.N., retd.), relinquishes his temporary commission on ceasing to be employed. 1st Apr. 1927.

STORES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 10th Mar. 1927:—

George Harry Doveton. Richard Hemsley CLAY. Donald John DIVETT.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Edmond Joseph Theophilus McWEENEY, M.B., is granted a short service commission as a Flying Officer, for three years on the active list, with effect from and with seniority of 24th Mar. 1927.

Flight Lt. (hon. Squadron Leader) Frederick Ernest WILSON resigns his temporary commission. 1st Apr. 1927.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in rank :----

Walter Theodore William BALLANTYNE. 6th Apr. 1927.

John Percy JAMES. 12th Apr. 1927.

The undermentioned are transferred from Class A to Class C:---

Flight Lt.

Wallis HALFORD, D.F.C. 12th Apr. 1927.

Flying Officers. James Victor MEDO

James Victor MEDCALF. 2nd Jan. 1927. Walter Nugent SHERLOCK. 9th Apr. 1927. Wilfred Arthur CHASE. 12th Apr. 1927.

Flying Officer Robert McLAUGHLIN, D.F.C., is transferred to Class C from the Special Reserve. 6th Apr. 1927.

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on completion of service :---

Flying Officers.

William Hastings FARROW, D.F.C. 4th Sept. 1926.

Cecil James CLARK. 4th Mar. 1927.

Pilot Officers.

Charles Rashleigh Cottrull. 18th Mar. 1927.

Herbert KIRK. 8th Apr. 1927.

Flying Officer William Harry STATHAM relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is permitted to retain his rank. 18th Apr. 1927.

Flying Officer Harry ALEXANDER resigns his commission. 12th Apr. 1927.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH (PRESERVATIVES, &C. IN FOOD) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS, 1927.

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Minister of Health, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, to make regulations for the further amendment of the