13th Lond. R.—Capt. C. C. Strong, from Active List, to be Capt. 22nd June 1927.

Memorandum.

Capt. Robert John Ferguson, formerly of the S. Midland Divl. R.E., is deprived of the rank of Capt. which he was permitted to retain on relinquishing his commn., in consequence of his having been convicted by the Civil Power. 5th Apr. 1927.

Air Ministry,

21st June, 1927.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

Jack BLACKMORE. 12th Apr. 1927.

Harold Frederic George Southey. 16th June 1927.

John Vaughan Yonge. 16th June 1927.

Pilot Officer on probation Acton Maclean BUTT is confirmed in rank, 24th May 1927.

Wing Commander John Charles QUINNELL, D.F.C., is restored to full pay from half pay. 10th June 1927.

Flying Officer Harold William Russell BANTING is transferred to the Reserve, Class A. 22nd June 1927.

Flying Officer John Beverley TOWNEND relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 22nd June 1927.

Flying Officer John Recanati BOWRING, M.C. (Lieut. Royal Artillery), relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Army duty. 18th May 1927. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 17th May 1927).

Flying Officer Randolph Arthur KING (Lieut. Royal Artillery) relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Army duty. 19th June 1927.

The short service commissions of the undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are terminated on cessation of duty :---

Philip Anthony HAWRESWORTH. 15th June 1927.

· Lawrence Ley-Kempthorne HONEYBALL. 9th June 1927.

STORES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Mark Frank TOMKINS is granted a permanent commission in this rank with effect from the 1st Oct. 1926, on completion of probationary service.

• Pilot Officer Cyrus Percival MARSHALL is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 10th Mar. 1927.

Squadron Leader Harry Thomas FoxEn relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 17th June 1927.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant William ROLLINSON is transferred to the Reserve, Class C. 15th June 1927. RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions in Class A.A. as Pilot Officers on probation :---

8th June 1927.

Erik Francis RHODES. Douglas Frank Charles BRECKNELL.

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

Henry Wilfred KNOTT. 10th May 1927.

Herbert Alfred DENNY. 24th May 1927. Albert Frank WAGHORN. 30th May 1927.

Reginald Arthur KENDRICK. 7th June 1927.

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

Harold BRADLEY. 7th June 1927.

Henry Nicholas MILLER. 21st June 1927.

Flying Officer Harold PRESTON is transferred from Class A to Class B. 21st June 1927.

The commission of Pilot Officer on probation Sidney John BARLOW is terminated on cessation of duty. 20th May 1927.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officer to be Flight Lieutenant:---

Charles Gambier JENYNS. 30th May 1927.

WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT, 1925.

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the National Health Insurance Joint Committee, the Minister of Health, and the Scottish Board of Health, acting jointly in conjunction with the Treasury, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the proviso to Section 25 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act, 1925, to make regulations to be known as the Contributory Pensions Workmen's Compensation (Valuation) Regulations.

Copies of the draft regulations can be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1927.

National Health Insurance Joint Committee, Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1.