Flying Officer Arthur Vere HARVEY is transferred to the Reserve, Class A. 7th May 1930. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 13th May 1930.)

The short service commission of Pilot Officer on probation Norman Strangways LESMERE is terminated on cessation of duty. 6th June 1930.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted permanent commissions as Pilot Officers on probation with effect from and with seniority of 2nd June 1930:—

David LUMGAIR (Lt., Cheshire Regt., T.A.). Charles Geoffrey SHARP. Charles Arnold PROFFITT. Percival GRIFFITHS. Richard PEEL. John Gilbert WIGLEY. William John Reginald CANN. Robert Francis FLEMING.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Hyman Ruben CLEIN, M.B., B.Ch., is granted a short service commission as a Flying Officer for three years on the active list, with effect from and with seniority of 31st Mar. 1930.

Flight Lt. Robert BOOG-WATSON, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., is promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader. 7th June 1930.

Flight Lt. (Quartermaster) Harry STEELE is promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader (Quartermaster). 5th June 1930.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

The Revd. John Henry Pellatt STIL, M.A., is promoted to the relative rank of Wing Commander. 24th May 1930.

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GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Leslie Allin LEWIS is transferred from Class C to Class A. 19th May 1930.

Flight Lt. Douglas George ALLISON is transferred from the Special Reserve to the Reserve, Class C. 30th May 1930.

Civil Service Commission, June 10, 1930.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :--

REGULATIONS FOR THE COMPETITIVE SELECTION OF ASSISTANTS IN THE NATIONAL GALLERY, MILL-BANK (TATE GALLERY).

N.B.—These regulations are liable to alteration from time to time. Competitions under these regulations do not take place at fixed intervals, but are held only on the occurrence of vacancies.

1. Candidates must have attained the age of 20 and must not exceed the age of 35 on a date to be fixed in respect of the competition in which they are to take part.

In reckoning age for competition the following allowances will be made, viz. :--

(a) Candidates who have served or are serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force may deduct from their actual age any time during which they have so served.

(b) Candidates who have served in any established civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding two years which they may have spent in such service.

2. Every candidate must be a natural-born British subject, the child of a person who is or was at the time of death a British subject; provided that exception may be made:—

(a) In the case of candidates serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners.

(b) In the case of natural-born British subjects who served in His Majesty's Armed Forces in the Great War between 4th August, 1914, and 11th November, 1918.

(c) In the case of natural-born British subjects who have satisfactorily completed a period of not less than five years' service on full pay in His Majesty's Regular Forces.

Provided also that if the Civil Service Commissioners are satisfied in the case of any candidate who is a British subject but does not fulfil all the requirements of the rule as to nationality and descent, that the candidate is so closely connected by ancestry and upbringing with His Majesty's dominions that an exception may properly be made to that rule, they may accept such candidate as eligible provided that this discretion shall not be exercisable unless (a) the father or the paternal grandfather of the candidate was a naturalborn British subject, and (b) neither the father nor the paternal grandfather had acquired any other nationality by naturalization or by any other voluntary and formal act.

3. Until further order preference will be given to candidates who have served in His Majesty's Naval, Military, or Air Forces between the 4th August, 1914, and the 11th November, 1918.

4. No person actually serving in the Army. Navy or Air Force will be eligible for admission to the examination unless he produces to the Civil Service Commissioners, when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to attend the examination, dated before the commencement of the competition, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the examination before the commencement of the competition.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate education authority has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

5. The Trustees of the National Gallery, Millbank, will take such steps as they think most appropriate to make known the existence of any vacancy or vacancies which they desire