- W. B. HUMPSTON, B.A. (2366108). D. MAXWELL, B.A. (3107832). R. M. MOFFITT, B.A. (2366105). G. E. ROGERSON, B.A. (3107827). R. W. TULLIE, B.A. (3044526).

PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Notification amended. 12th Oct. 1948 (p. 5384, col. 2) concerning Anthony Thomas TANNER (59986) for Anthony Thomas TANNER read Antony Thomas TANNER.

CATERING BRANCH

Appointment to commission.

- As Flying A.899/47):— (A.M.O. Officer, short service 11th Nov.
- Clifford Charles PIESING (59011). 1948 (seniority 13th Mar. 1948).

Promotion.

6232

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:-T. W. HOOD (203720). 7th Nov. 1948.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Retirement.

Flying Officer H. WALES (513355) (at own re-quest) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 29th Nov. 1948.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class " A ").

- As Flight Lieutenants:— Robert Ramsey CRITCHLEY (52877). 30th July 1948.
- 2nd Sept. 1948. Herbert Stanley BLAKEMAN, D.F.C., D.F.M. (44931). Frank Stevenson LAWLEY, D.F.M.
- Joseph (48470).

Phillip Mills VANN (53576). 24th Sept. 1948.

- As Flying Officers:----Laurence Stanley JOHNSON (57103). 22nd Sept. 1948.
- Desmond Stanley Gerald TARRANT (56815). 24th Sept. 1948.
- Grant of substantive rank.

Notification cancelled. 3rd Feb. 1948 (p. 799, col. 2) concerning T. B. A. SHERRINGTON (42082).

Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant R. DAVID (24069) (on appoint-ment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 28th Sept. 1948 (substituted for notification of 9th Nov. 1948 (p. 5877, col. 2)).

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission (class "B"). As Flying Officers: Alfred John WALDER (51414). 2nd Sept. 1948. Cecil Robert EKE (54333). 4th Sept. 1948. John Henry BREEZE (53456). 29th Sept. 1948.
- ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.
- Forfeiture of seniority. Flight Lieutenant A. N. E. HALL (24256) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 10th Aug. 1948) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 10th Aug. 1948.

Commission relinquished (class CC).

- The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):-Wing Commander H. MURRAY (71245). July 1948. 20th
- Squadron Leaders:— L. N. KING (192185). 25th Oct. 1948. J. R. HARRIS (192230). 26th Oct. 1948.
- Notification cancelled. 10th Aug. 1948 (p. 4427, col. 1) concerning C. B. Dove (192445).
- SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (class B). As Flying Officer: — Leonard SKINNER (54853). 4th Sept. 1948.

Appointment to commission (class CC):-As Wing Commander:-Samuel James Hughes (192810). 7th Oct, 1948.

As Squadron Leaders

Richard Gordon NELSON (192805). 25th Sept. 1948.

- Percy Aquila Vincent SMITH (71379). 7th Oct. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants: — Arthur Bertram SIMCOE (192803). 8th Sept. 1948. John Francis Gerrard O'CONNELL (192811). 7th Oct. 1948.

Commission relinquished (class CC):— Flight Lieutenant R. G. MAINWARING (192468) (on cessation of duty). 6th Aug. 1948.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

TRAINING BRANCH.

- Promotion. A. L. BETTISON (201768). 13th Oct. 1948. H. S. MARTIN (202326). 24th Oct. 1948.
- Notification amended. 2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5776, col. 2) concerning H. B. ELLIOTT (69908) for (69908) read (128306).
- Notification cancelled. 2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5777, col. 1) concerning M. W. CARR (140928).

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Emergency commission section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— J. W. GARFITT (190221). 28th Mar. 1948.

- Grant of substantive rank.

Notification cancelled. 3rd Feb. 1948 (p. 8 J. W. W. GRAHAM (84956). 800, col. 2) concerning

Commission relinguished.

- The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.):— Flying Officer F. W. COLLARD (186519) retain-ing the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 8th Sept. 1948.
- - Flight Lieutenants retaining their rank:-8th Sept. 1948. R. H. ANDERSON, D.F.C. (145342).

 - S. J. CLIFF (156701).
 - 5th Oct. 1948.

 - A. H. DUNCAN (150849). B. W. HARRISON (126656). G. E. McGowan (166799). C. F. MULLER, D.F.C., D.F.M. (129251).
 - E. G. GLAYSHER (162324). 7th Oct. 1948.
 - - C. J. FULLERTON (166540).
- F. E. HATCHARD (195547). 13th Sept. 1948. N. KEARL (201049). 6th Oct. 1948. The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to the reconstituted R. Aux. A.F.) re-taining their rank:— A. C. COOPER (147285). 15th Oct. 1948. H. C. CHESWORTH (178897). 20th Oct. 1948.

Commission resigned.

1948.

N. F. BUGGEY (147138). 27th May 1948.

- Flying Officer R. M. MALCOLM (166801). retain-ing the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 6th Oct. 1948. The undermentioned retaining their rank:-

Notification amended.

3rd July 1948.

- The undermentioned retaining ineir rank.— Flight Lieutenants:— P. H. CHUTER (154194). 13th Aug. 1948. L. R. WOOD (191515). 20th Sept. 1948. S. V. MEAKINGS (158428). 7th Oct. 1948. L. T. N. ANDREWS (180096). 10th Oct. 1948. R. O. EDWARDS (143273). 15th Oct. 1948. R. K. L. WELBOURN (153820). 18th Oct. 1948.

Flying Officers: — R. V. RENDLE (180658). 15th Oct. 1948. P. W. BURGESS (201003). 16th Oct. 1948. R. C. S. SMALL (196940). 20th Oct. 1948. D. C. H. REX, D.F.C. (195833). 24th Nov. 1948.

20th July 1948 (p. 4148, col. 1) concerning G. W. BURSTON (194338) for 1st July 1948 read