DENTAL BRANCH. Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :--C. PARMEÉ, L.D.S. (73604). 1st July 1951.

EDUCATION BRANCH. Wing Commander to Group Captain :---J. R. MORGAN, O.B.E., B.Sc., A.M.I.Mech.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (73539). 1st July 1951. Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :--D. M. B. PITT, M.B.E., M.Sc. (73342). 1st July 1951.

PROVOST BRANCH.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :--P. CROSSLEY, D.F.C. (52543). 1st July 1951. Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :-1st July 1951.
R. D. ENGLAND (52285).
C. B. FLOCKHART, D.C.M. (54529).
W. H. MCCULLOCH (146598).
K. F. MASSEY (55721).
F. C. REGESTER (145088).

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F. :-P. G. BARTLETT (7832). 1st July 1951.

CATERING BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :---Ist July 1951. A. S. PATTIE (109668). J. C. RIPLEY (48475).

Air Ministry, 29th June, 1951.

With the KING'S approval, Her Royal Highness The PRINCESS ELIZABETH, Duchess of Edinburgh has graciously consented to become Honorary Air Commodore of No. 603 (City of Edinburgh) Squadron, Royal Auxiliary Air Force, No. 2603 (City of Edinburgh) Light Anti-Aircraft Squadron, Royal Auxiliary Air Force Regiment and No. 3603 (City of Edinburgh) Fighter Control Unit, Royal Auxiliary Air Force. 16th June 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Frederick FAIRCHILD (53429). 10th Nov. 1950 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch, 1st Mar. 1951 (seniority 20th Oct. 1947)). Albert Francis Cowie VALENTINE (48148). 17th Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch)

Control Branch).

William ARNOTT, A.F.C. (44683). 24th Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

27th Nov. 1950.

John CHADWICK (170897) (for subsequent trans-fer to the Aircraft Control Branch). Lionel GEEKIE, D.F.C. (144011) (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch). Frank Palmer SMITH (160724) (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch).

Theodore Oscar WEIL, D.F.C. (135025). 7th Dec. 1950 (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch 12th Feb. 1951 (seniority 26th Sept. 1947)). James Thomas SUTHERLAND (169148). 19th Apr. 1951 (for subsequent transfer to the Fighter Control Branch).

As Flying Officers (permanent):---Kenneth HOLDEN (203408). 29th Oct. 1948 (seniority 3rd June 1948) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment) (substituted for notification of 26th Apr. 1949 (p. 2037, col. 2)). Lancelot Henry SOUTHALL (169927). 24th Nov. 1950 (for subsequent transfer to the Aircraft Control Branch)

Control Branch).

As Pilot Officer (permanent) :---3503453 Navigator IV James Cuthbert DUNCAN (3503453). 21st Mar. 1951.

- As Flight Lieutenants, short service (eight years

21st May 1951 (seniority 21st May 1951). Frank GARSIDE (122492). Gordon Murray HASLOP (501915).

Richard Walter CRAFT, D.F.C. (152925). 22nd May 1951 (seniority 22nd May 1951). Peter Owen Deverson (150350). 28th May 1951 (seniority 28th May 1951).

As Flying Officers short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):--

Walter John Harvey Powell (190181). 3rd May 1951 (seniority 27th May 1949). James Edmund BIRCH, D.F.M. (196527). 15th May 1951 (seniority 19th Dec. 1949). Kenneth Bowden (173006). 16th May 1951 (seniority 10th Sept. 1949). Peter Roy Woolcock (165869). 22nd May 1951 (seniority 24th Mar. 1949).

As Pilot Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve): —

Navigators IV. 21st Mar. 1951. 711042 Frederick Sidney James PIERCE (711042) (period of service to count from 13th Mar. 1948). 4039379 James McNicol ADAMS (4039379) (period of service to count from 3rd Oct. 1949). 582713 Fred William Lawrance SAUNDERS (582713) (period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1949).

1949)

1949). 4039377 Kieran Charles O'REGAN (4039377) (period of service to count from 1st Oct. 1949). 579557 Charles Norman HARVEY (579557) (period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1949). 4039594 Michael David BURKE (4039594) (period of service to count from 17th Oct. 1949). 578568 Dennis Clifford WANKLYN (578568) (period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1949). 582516 Eric PORDHAM (582516) (period of ser-vice to count from 15th Nov. 1949).

As Flying Officer, short service (seven years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Stanley Garnett WHITE (191235). 16th May 1951 (seniority 21st Feb. 1951).

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Gerald Thomas Rowett JOHNS (40918). 4th

May 1951.

As Pilot Officer (national service): — 3122505 Pilot IV Kenneth Campbell WEBSTER (3122505). 18th Apr. 1951.

Notification amended. 3rd Apr. 1951 (p. 1749, col. 2) concerning Llewellyn George JONES (155506) for (seniority 9th Dec. 1950) read (seniority 19th Feb. 1951). 22nd May 1951 (p. 2804, col. 1) concerning Michael John Setton LESSON (2497578) for

LESSON read LEESON.

Notification cancelled. 20th Dec. 1949 (p. 6024, col. 1) concerning Robert Alan DENNEY (155334).

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: — F. NIXON (4030822). 15th Dec. 1950.

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N. A. DAVIES (3504748).
D. F. DENISON (3504734).
D. M. HENNESSY (3026418).
J. H. LUCOP (3034022).
L. MILLIKIN (3504859).
E. MacR. STEWART (3020289).
A. R. WALLACE (4034384).
K. M. WILLIAMSON (4034373).

- 21st June 1951. 21st June 1951. R. L. JAMES (3500470). J. K. JONES (578411). D. L. RICHARDSON (3034581). R. G. J. SNELLER (572479). G. C. WILKINSON (4034678).