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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Oct. 1951.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent) :---

1st Oct. 1951. John Victor Cordery (203484)

Frank Raymond Ford (190604).

John Herbert JONES, D.F.M. (142898) (for sub-sequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Robert BENSON (180047). (seniority 15th Aug. 1948). 1952 4th Feb.

As Flying Officer (permanent) :--

James Alexander JUDD (1586516). 1st Oct. 1951.

As Pilot Officer (permanent) :-

4048588 Cadet Pilot Timothy PARSONS (4048588). 28th Dec. 1951.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):-

Edward Leslie HOTCHKISS (203767). 2nd Jan. 1952 (seniority 7th June 1951).

As Flying Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :--John Pringle FORD (502186). 17th Dec. 1951 (seniority 13th Nov. 1945). Dennis William Swart (502199). 20th Dec. 1951 (contring 5th Ler. 1942)

(seniority 5th Jan. 1947), Kenneth Bruce SLY (502252). 21st Feb. 1952

(seniority 23rd Oct. 1951). As Pilot Officers, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):---

Cadet Pilots.

4042400 Travis Archibald William HERD (4042400). 14th Nov. 1951 (seniority 13th Feb. 1951) (period of service to count from 27th Mar. (4042400). 1950).

28th Dec. 1951.

4049157 Olaf William ALDERSON (4049157) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 3508240 Raymond Alan BLYTHE (3508240) (period of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950). 4048587 Denis Gordon CARTER (4048587) (period of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950). 2288744 John Anthony FLEMING (2288744) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 1950).

4048576 Denis Thomas STEPHENSON (4048576) (period of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950). 4049155 Fred WALMSLEY (4049155) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 4048591 James Henry Anthony WINSHIP (4048591) (period of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950)

Oct. 1950).

Question of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950). 29th Dec. 1951. 2484356 Derek Harry ELLIS (2484356) (period of service to count from 21st Sept, 1950). 3508293 John James ELLIS (3508293) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 3508307 John Treleaven HARVEY (3508307) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 3502045 Francis Norman HAZELL (3502045) (period of service to count from 22nd Sept, 1950). 4047112 William David Mather MILLER (4047112) (period of service to count from 17th Sept. 1950). 3508302 Leslie William MILLGATE (3508302) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 3508241 Roy Stanley Scort (3508241) (period of service to count from 9th Oct. 1950). 3508304 Dennis George WYARD (3508304) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). *Cadet Navigators.*

Cadet Navigators. 22nd Jan. 1952.

2369967 John Humphrey MAMMEN (2369967) (period of service to count from 16th Oct. 1950). 4046202 David Stanley WATKIN (4046202) (period

of service to count from 28th Aug. 1950).

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

4073361 Cadet Pilot David HARROP (4073361). 29th Dec. 1951 (period of service to count from 25th July 1951).

John Neville BIRD (2520531). 10th Jan. 1952.

As Pilot Officer, short service (four years on the

active list and four years on the reserve? :--Peter Derek Albert AUSTIN (3123578). 7th Nov. 1951 (seniority 4th Apr. 1951) (period of service to count from 16th Nov. 1949).

As Pilot Officer, short service (for the balance of four years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :

Leonard Roy MOXAM (2458978). 4th Jan. 1952 (seniority 27th June 1951) (period of service to count from 1st Mar. 1950).

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation, short service

(for the balance of four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— James Henry Charles JENKINSON (2494733). 24th Oct. 1951 (period of service to count from 20th Dec. 1950).

As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (national service) :-Cadet Pilots. 2510098 (2510098). 2511415 Joseph Horace Bertram GOULD 12th July 1951. Douglas William RUSSELL (2511415). 23rd Aug. 1951 2525366 William Bryan ROBSON (2525366). 2525300 William Dryan Robot, (5527565). 5527565 Donald Frederick LEACH (5527565). 27th Dec. 1951.
 Th Dec. 1951.

 17th Jan. 1952.

 3133655 James Henry ADAMS (3133655).

 2528544 Ronald John ALLINGTON (2528544).

 2530511 Eric Murray BAPTIE (2530511).

 3133805 Mervyn Roy BATTY (3133805).

 2547093 John Harold Vaus BISHOP (2547093).

 3133561 William Eric BOTLEY (3133561).

 2549637 Geoffrey Charles BURGESS (2549637).

 3133906 Donald James BURNETT (3133906).

 2528424 Thomas CASEY (2528424).

 2526402 Brian Frederick CHAPPELOW (2526402).

 2528697 Keith CHERRY (2528697).

 2528436 John Handel CHRISTOPHERSON

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 2528430 304. (2528436). 2530362 Harry John Colligan (2530362), 2531365 Ross Spencer Colwill (2531365). 2529361 Richard Coxell (2529361). 2528584 Brian CUNDAIL (2528584). 2529461 Malcolm John Anthony DAVIES 2529461 Malcolm John Anthony DAVIE 2529461. 2528508 James DUCKETT (2528508). 2528508 James DUCKETT (2528508). 2528421 Jan FORSYTH (2528421). 2528581 Peter Gilbert FOX (2527559). 2528581 Peter Gilbert FOX (2527559). 2528581 Peter Martin FRASER (2528581). 2528425 Robert FREER (2524825). 2529459 Brian Joseph GARDNER (2529459). 2528560 Arthur Albert GIBBONS (2528560). 2523099 John Kemp GILPIN (2523099). 2529359 Gerald GRIBBIN (2529359). 2528433 Stanley HALL (2528433). 2549602 Geoffrey Alfred HARRISON (2549602). 3133787 Kenneth James HODGKISS (3133787). 3133797 Ralph Thomas HOLDOM (3133797). 2528537 John William HOLLAND (2528537). 2528442 Jack Alfred HOPKINS (2528442). 2528443 Robert HOWARD (2528443). 2528443 Robert HOWARD (2528443). 2528443 Robert HOWARD (2528443). 2528444 Robert Kenneth JONES (2528444). 3134264 David Stanley KING (3134264). 2528444 Robert Kenneth JONES (2528444). 3133915 Derek Fahey LEWIS (3133915). 2528408 David LEWIS (2529408). 3133915 Derek Fahey LEWIS (3133915). 2528408 David LEWIS (2529408). 3133915 Derek Fahey LEWIS (3133915). 2528620 Alfred William MAYES (2528427). 2528620 Alfred William MAYES (2528443). 2528427 Eric Parker MARSH (2528427). 2528620 Alfred William MAYES (2528443). 2528427 Eric Parker MARSH (2528427). 2528620 Alfred William MAYES (2528443). 2528473 Keith Sydney MILLER (2528362). 2529394 Ian Frederick MILLER (2528362). 2529394 Ian Frederick MILLER (2528473). 2528474 Bernard William MITCHELI (2528474). 313798 Derek Walter John MOREY (3133798). 2528494 Ronald George Samuel MORFF (2528494). 2528494 Ronald George Samuel MORFF (2528494). (2529461). 2528508 James DUCKETT (2528508) 2528494 Ronald George Samuei WORF (2528494). 2529360 Brian MORLEY (2529360). 3133792 Michael John NEIL (3133792). 2529391 Kenneth NICHOLSON (2529391). 2527575 David Walter NODDER (2527575). 2529443 Brian Gordon NOWELL (2529443). 2528532 David William OVERY (2528532). 2528486 Howell PHILLIPS (2528486). 2526599 David John POINTER (2526599). 2529365 John Stanley PROCTOR (2529365). 2528568 Kenneth George RICHARDS (2528568). 2529462 John Gordon RODDICK (2529462). 3133454 Richard Geoffrey ROTHON (3133454). 3133908 James Alexander Gilchrist Scc MORFEE SCOTT (3133908). 133908). 2528483 Robert John SELLERS (2528483). 2529440 Ian Patrick Sharp (2529440). 3133907 Ronald Morris SHEPHERD (3133907). 2528569 Leslie James SMITH (2528569). 2528430 Stuart Anthony SUMNER (2528430). 3133905 James Stewart TAYLOR (3133905). 2525533 Terence Robert TERRINGTON (2525533). 3133779 Derek Michael THOMAS (3133779). 2526706 Geoffrey William THOMAS (2526706). 2524034 Donald WADKIN (2524034). 2528360 David George WALKER (2528360).

2528395 John WALKER (2528395). 2528467 Michael Brian Halford WEBB (2528467). 2528511 Keith WEBSTER (2528511). 2528518 Ronald David WELLER (2528583). 3133743 Kenneth Martin WELLS (3133743). 3133865 Brian John WHEELER (3133865). 2528720 Francis Clive WILKINSON (2528720). 2528518 John Lloyd WORMALD (2528560). 2528518 John Lloyd WORMALD (2528518). Cadet Navigators. 2520702 Reginald DAWKINS (2520702). 15th Nov. 1951. 17th Jan. 1952. 2549638 Patrick Keith BARBER (2549638). 2528441 Lionel Elwyn BATHER (2528441). 2532328 Neil Welbourne BLISS (2532328). 2529465 Keith BOYER (2529465). 2528489 Donald Charles BROWN (2528489). 2528393 Ian Murray CALDER (2528393). 2528500 Anthony George Victor (2528500). 2528489 Donald Charles BROWN (2528489). 2528393 Ian Murray CALDER (2528393). 2528500 Anthony George Victor CAPE (2528500). 2526238 Michael Peter CHAPMAN (2526238). 2527519 Donald James CHISHOLM (2527519). 2528534 Antony Charles CLUFF (2528534). 2529400 John Christopher CULLEN (2529400). 3133795 Walter Alfred ELTIS (3133795). 2525932 Richard Edward FALCK (2525932). 3133774 George William FERRIES (3133774). 2529403 Alfred Benjamin GOLDER (2529403). 2528587 John Jeremy HART (2528587). 3133784 Ronald Henry HAYNES (3133784). 2529455 George Herbert Patrick HULM (2529455). 252762 John Tweeddale HUTTON (2527562). 2532378 Peter Alfred JAMES (2532378). 2531958 Alan Kenneth JORDAN (2531958). 25328479 Robert Edwin LATCHEM (2528479). 2530935 Norman Fraser MACKAY (2530935). 3133776 Alexander James MUCLAREN (3133776). 2532280 John Bernard MUTLOW (2532280). 2527387 Lewis Eratt ORCHARD (2527387). 2532268 James Dobson PARKER (2532268). 3133791 Claude PINNEY (3133791). 3133728 Ronald Wickens POL (3133728). 2530526 Walter Graham RICHARDS (2530526). 2529489 Frank TownSEND (252989). 2527674 Gordon Roy WEBLEY (2527674). Confirming and regrading. CAPEL HULME Confirming and regrading. The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on pro-bation are confirmed in appointment and regraded as ion are confirmed in appointmen of Officers: — 19th Dec. 1951. D. WHITHAM (2495606). J. G. KEMP (3130347). P. B. O'DONOVAN (2495601). D. G. HARDING (3130141). T. M. WHEELER (2495600). A. R. ATTON (3130349). I. S. BANYARD (2495970). W. C. GUNNYEON (3130363). A. C. MUNSON (3130202). J. H. VINCENT (3130350). J. P. LITTLE (2494339). K. J. BASSETT (2495599). M. G. DUKE (2495184). J. M. D. SUTTON (2495415). J. W. SPIERS (2493770). M. W. DRUITT (3130216). A. I. RATCLIFFE (2495063). A. R. CUSHMAN (3128958). T. P. O'BRIEN (312832). M. A. LOWRY (2494713). G. T. HOLDEN (2495615). 9th Feb. 1952. Pilot Officers: G. T. HOLDEN (2495615). 9th Feb. 1952. P. H. ALLEY (583141). P. J. BIRKETT (3508669). W. W. HILL (2486653). G. B. FOXALL (3508668). M. DE BURGH (582217). A. S. TALLETT (3507269). D. H. LUCY (4050745). L. O. HODGSON (3508656). K. D. CRISP (3508646). P. P. BETHELL (578909). L. D. DAY (584237). F. SELBY (405319). B. C. KNIGHT (2487709). J. A. J. WILLIS (584761). E. HENDERSON (4028655). T. C. KNOWLES (4052603). G. MCKINLAY (3508673). K. A. HENDRICK (583195). R. G. RAFTERY (583964).

- J. S. G. WEIR (3044812). P. M. HINCHCLIFFE (4053211). T. J. P. GREY (3508658). C. H. ANTHONISZ (4053194). W. B. COLSTON (584368). K. W. PAYNE (4050749). J. W. BUTD (4050749).

- K. W. PAYNE (4050749).
 J. H. BUDD (4053215).
 W. T. E. Cox (4053215).
 W. T. E. Cox (4053214).
 J. A. HUGHES (583844).
 D. R. ASHOVER (583998).
 D. J. POWNALL (4053218).
 K. E. BRIDGE (2434750).
 P. NOTT (4053209).
 M. W. WOODHAMS (3125853).
 B. PHILBEY (4020743).
 D. S. L. FENTON (4052674).
 S. WOOD (583424).
 R. DUNCAN (4053220).
 M. D. S. TOWLER (583955).
 M. G. READ (583320).

- Transfer between branches. Flight Lieutenant P. H. T. LEWIS, M.B.E. (202952), to the Technical Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 31st Jan. 1952.
 - Squadron Leader W. A. Howell, A.F.C. (37601), to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 7th Jan. 1952.
 - Flight Lieutenant K. KARLIKOWSKI (500030) to the Aircraft Control Branch, retaining his rank. 11th Feb. 1952 (seniority 19th Aug. 1946).
- Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant K. KASAL (81893). 20th Feb. 1952.
 - Flying Officer D. A. TOON (3011847) (and called o for air force service). 11th Mar. 1952. up for air force service).
- Reversion to reserve. Flight Lieutenant N. A. A. WILLIAMS (573320). 7th Mar. 1952.
- Commission relinquished.
- The undermentioned (on appointment to the Royal New Zealand Air Force Reserve of Officers):— Flight Lieutenants :

 - 12th Nov. 1951. E. F. EDWARDS (59653). R. W. ROLFE (59504).

 - Flight Lieutenant J. H. ARKWRIGHT, D.F.C. (59614), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 20th Oct. 1951.
- Short service commission relinguished.
- The undermentioned (on account of medical unfitness for air force service):-
 - Acting Pilot Officer S. M. REEDERS (4062863). 14th Mar. 1952.
 - Acting Pilot Officer on probation KETSKEMETY (4055746). 16th Mar. 1952. Т. R.
- Acting Pilot Officers (on enlistment in the R.A.F.):-
 - 15th Sept. 1951. D. A. BRIGGS (4059000). R. C. MACDOUGALL (4057886). J. C. NEWBY (4054933). B. J. St. AUBYN (2496666).
- Temporary commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenants :---

 - A. E. Wood (186644). 1st Mar. 1952. J. P. HICKS (184342) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 18th Mar. 1952.
 - Flight Lieutenant G. T. BURNIE (167832) retaining his rank. 18th Mar. 1952.
- The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions):-
 - Flight Lieutenant E. L. HOTCHKISS (203767). 2nd Jan, 1952. Flying Officer J. M. KING (200742). 25th Oct.
- 1951
- National service commission relinquished.
- The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions):-

 - Pilot Officers :---P. D. A. Austin (3123578). 7th Nov L. R. Мохам (2458978). 4th Jan. 1952. 7th Nov. 1951,

 - Acting Pilot Officers :-
 - G. A. BRYANT (2492692). 25th Sept. 1951. J. H. C. JENKINSON (2494733). 24th Oct. 1951. J. N. BIRD (2520531). 10th Jan. 1952.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):---

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- G. Lord (3124180). 20th Oct. 1951. J. C. SMALLWOOD (3123141). 27th Oct. 1951. B. PRICE (2453789). 23rd Dec. 1951.

- Emergency commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant R. H. FRANCIS, D.F.M. (45373) (on appointment to a short service commission). 1st Feb. 1952.
- Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to R.A.F.R.O.) retaining their rank :---V. H. T. JENKINS (53315). 29th Dec. 1951. H. HAXBY, D.F.M. (51693). 4th Jan. 1952. appointment to the
- Commission terminated. Flying Officer A. E. DYER (582025). 6th Mar. 1952.

 - Acting Pilot Officers :---F. I. HUNT (3510035). 7th Dec. 1951. A. M. Rose (3510070). 13th Dec. 1951. C. E. WYTCHERLEY (4056585). 11th Feb. 1952.
- Acting Pilot Officers (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.):---P. TOLSON (4058121). 7th Feb. 1951. J. McGARRY (3132152). 4th Feb. 1952.

 - 1952.
 - J. J. DICKINSON (2512394). D. GRAY (2512472).
 - G. R. ROBERTSON (2520445). 8th Feb. 1952.
- TECHNICAL BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission.
 - As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):— Bernard John WATSON (58224). 1st Oct. 1951.
- As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the
- As Pilot Officer, short service (three years on the
- active list and four years on the reserve):--Max DIAS (3132870). 8th Jan. 1952 (seniority 29th Nov. 1951).
- Transfer between branches. Flight Lieutenant C. D. SORRIE (46975) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority 6th Feb. 1952.
- Retirement. Wing Commander W. H. KING, O.B.E. (35034). 12th Mar. 1952.
- National service commission relinquished.
- Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service

Commission terminated.

- Pilot Officer M. J. STREVENS (502082). 6th Feb. 1952.
- ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.
- Emergency commission relinquished. Flying Officer F. A. GLADDEN (54717) (on ap-pointment to the R.A.F.R.O.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 6th Oct. 1951.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

Appointment to commission. As Flight Lieutenant, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Leslie Hydar CLEMAS (31262). 18th Feb. 1952 (seniority 18th Feb. 1952).

· 17th May 1949 (p. 2397, col. 1) concerning Leonard BERESFORD (58919) for (seniority 13th Feb. 1949) read (seniority 13th Feb. 1948).

12th Feb. 1952 (p. 855, col. 1) concerning Flying Officer Stanley Clifford SHEPHERD (509925) for "A.M.O.'s A627/51 and A628/51" read "A.M.O. A627/51."

Transfer to Branch Officer conditions of service.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :---D. READ (198101). 29th Jan. 1952.

14th Mar. 1952. H. R. Eversfield (57793). J. H. Roberts (202150).

Notification amended.

Notification amended.

Promotion.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

 Pilot Officers —
 P. E. BALMFORTH (2460028). 1st Mar. 1952.
 J. F. P. Ross (2462568). 17th Mar. 1952. Reversion to retired list.

- Flight Lieutenant A. J. BRYANT (53229). 16th Mar. 1952.
- Commission relinguished.

Flying Officer J. McFADYEN (156839) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 8th Feb. 1952.

Temporary commission relinquished. Flying Officer J. P. PIRIE (58652) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Mar. 1952.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :--John Robinson Angus THACKERAY (2452888). 5th Dec. 1951 (seniority 15th June 1950) (and transferred to the Royal Air Force Regiment 18th Each 1952) Feb 1952).

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Marshall William MAYES (171524). 19th Feb. 1952 (seniority 17th July 1946).

As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the

active list and four years on the reserve):-2482308 Aircraftman 2nd Class Trevor Edward EVANS (2482308). 18th Aug. 1951 (seniority 28th June 1951).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :----K. R. MACMILLAN (590689). 9th Feb. 1952. M. H. JONES (189366). 12th Mar. 1952.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F. :-

15th Mar. 1952. 15th Mar. 1952. S. E. BURKETT (2800330). M. L. CASTALDINI (2017622). J. R. JOHNSTON (2090374). E. M. ROLES (2125984). G. D. ROSE (2806382). A. TIDMUS (2803875). C. VOELCKER (2805068).

- Transfer between branches. Flight Lieutenant J. F. HALL (150524) to the Technical Branch, retaining his rank. 21st Feb. 1952 (seniority 28th Jan. 1947).
- Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer J. W. M. ELIE (59295). 16th May 1951

Pilot Officer E. P. TROUP (née HUMPHREYS) (2165169), W.R.A.F. 9th Feb. 1952.

Notification amended. 18th Dec. 1951 (p. 6590, col, 1) concerning R. J. STEDMAN (3124177) for (3124177) read (3124117). Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant F. C. DAVIS (78878) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 12th Mar. 1952.

Transfer to reserve (national service list)

Pilot Officers —
 R. A. H. Colquinoun (2460346). 3rd Mar. 1952.
 P. D. PURDY (2462695). 18th Mar. 1952.

Retirement.

Squadron Officer S. M. NOTTAGE (née LAIDLAW) (1413), W.R.A.F. (at own request). 12th Feb. 1952.

Reversion to retired list. Flight Lieutenant H. SMITH (50943). 1st Mar. 1952.

Temporary commission relinquished. Flying Officer E. G. CLARKE (161371) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 20th Oct. 1951 (substituted for notification of 16th Oct. 1951 (p. 5364, col. 2)).

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officers: — H. WILSON (3126392) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.), 19th Oct. 1951. J. R. A. THACKERAY (2452888) (on appointment to a short service commission). 5th Dec. 1951.

Removal.

Flying Officer A. G. TARLING (51312), Oct. 1951, 13th

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. V. P. HOWARD (155437) is extended to eight years with effect from 8th May 1947. Promotion

romotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :--13th Mar. 1952. A. J. ARCHIBALD (202303). M. J. ASHE (202288). D. V. BELL (202292). G. A. DUNSMORE (202286). P. LITHGOW (202285). A. A. STEWART (202289). D. G. VINCE (202324). R. H. WOODLEY (202287).

Transfer to reserve. Notification cancelled. 29th May 1951 (p. 29 J. V. P. HOWARD (155437). 2939, col. 1) concerning

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):---John Mount KING (200742). 25th Oct. 1951 (seniority 6th June 1947).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (five years on the active list (A.M.O. A.269/51)) :--Geoffrey David CUMNER (56067). 5th Jan. 1951 (seniority 4th Jan. 1951) (substituted for notification of 3rd July 1951 (p. 3617, col. 2)). Robert Harvey FRANCIS, D.F.M. (45373). 1st Feb. 1952 (seniority 1st Feb. 1952).

Promotion.

Notification cancelled. 1st Jan. 1952 (p. 65, col. 1) concerning E. A. DICK (155096).

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent) :-

Sydney Aubrey VIALLS (45109). 2nd Jan. 1952. **Promotion**

Filot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F. :--F. DOUXCHAMPS (2003704). 15th Mar. 1952.

Transfer between branches. Flying Officer A. ROGERS (189266) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 6th Feb. 1952.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer, short service (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):--John Alan Tyson Boak, B.A. (3133819). 8th

Jan. 1952 (seniority 8th Jan. 1952).

Temporary commission relinquished. Squadron Leader W. J. GLENN, B.A., B.A.I. A.M.I.C.E. (500348). 16th Mar. 1952.

National Service commission relinguished. Pilot Officer J. A. T. BOAK, B.A. (3133819) (on appointment to a short service commission). 8th Jan. 1952.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve) — Keith Edwin MORTIMER, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501088). 22nd Jan. 1952 (seniority 1st Feb. 1951).

Arnold Denis MASON, (502211). 7th Feb. 1952. M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :---Geoffrey MELVILL-JONES, M.B., B.Ch. (501342). 12th Feb. 1952 (seniority 27th July 1950).

As Flying Officers (national service): 4th Feb. 1952. Frank Ernest BONNER, M.B., B.S. (502220). John Ian BURN, M.B., B.S. (502209). Alan Herbert Cox, M.B., B.S. (502223).

- David Ivor FRYER, M.B., B.S. (502222). Peter George Higgins, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502208).
- LYNFIELD, (502210). Joshua M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
- Mellins, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. Derek Henry (502221).
- Arthur Leslie MILLER, M.B., B.S. (502219). Arthur John WAINWRIGHT, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502218). Frederick Hughes WALKER, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502228).

- 1952.
 - 25th Feb. 1952. D. K. Morgan, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

 - D. K. PICKEL (501048). D. S. Rowe, M.B., Ch.B. (501091). J. B. D. Torr, M.B., Ch.B. (501090). L. H. TRUELOVE, B.M., B.Ch B.Ch., M.R.C.P.
 - R. WRIGHT. M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501086).
- Temporary commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant R. D. POOLE, M.B., Ch.B. (59775), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 14th Oct. 1951 (substituted for notification of 16th Oct. 1951 (p. 5232, col. 1)).
- National service commission relinquished.
- Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to short
- - Feb. 1952.
- Commission resigned.
 - Flight Lieutenant N. ROSEDALE, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203176), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Feb. 1952.

DENTAL BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission. As Flying Officers (national service) :--4th Feb. 1952. Donald Allan, B.D.S., L.D.S. (502224). Wallace Atkinson BAXTER, L.D.S. (502226).
- Reversion to reserve. Flight Lieutenant P. H. PRYNNE, L.D.S. (59424). 15th Feb. 1952.
- Transfer to reserve (national service list). Flight Lieutenants
 - 25th Feb. 1952

 - R. D. BAKER, L.D.S. (501081). J. A. LEVASON, L.D.S. (501094). R. MCKECHNIE, L.D.S. (501099). A. K. STUART, B.D.S., L.D.S. (501067)
- Temporary commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant W. J. TURNER, L.D.S. (59562) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 18th Mar. 1952.
- Woman Officer employed with the Dental Branch of the Royal Air Force :---
- Forfeiture of seniority.
- Ath Mar. 1952 (p. 1263, col. 1) concerning E. M.
 HASE, L.D.S. (4392) for 2nd Sept. 1951 read 2nd Mar. 1951.
- CHAPLAINS BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission.
- As Chaplain (permanent) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:
- Rev. Alexander Melville Ross, M.A. (179311). 5th Nov. 1951.
- Extension of service.
- The period of service on the active list of the Rev. S. T. STRATFORD (140850) is extended to eight years with effect from 29th May 1947. The period of service on the active list of the Rev. A. C. GALBRAITH, M.C., M.A. (500458), is ex-tended to give vorce with effect form (5th log).
- tended to six years with effect from 5th Jan. 1949.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

- Appointment to commission. As. Flying Officer, short service (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Arthur James BARTLEY, B.A. (2526768). 7th Jan. 1952 (seniority 7th Jan. 1952).

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

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- Brian Howard RUDALL, B.Sc. (3129316). 3rd Dec. 1951 (seniority 30th Nov. 1951). David Ralph Jones, B.Sc. (3134087). 14th Jan. 1952 (seniority 14th Jan. 1952). Alexander Anthony BURLEY, B.A. (2530689). 15th Jan. 1952 (seniority 15th Jan. 1952).
- As Pilot Officers, short service (three years on the
- 11th
- As ritol Officers, short service (inree years of active list and four years on the reserve):— Rees Haydn WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (2509449). Dec. 1951 (seniority 24th May 1951). Michael Richardson ANGUS, B.Sc. (253 14th Jan. 1952 (seniority 20th Dec. 1951). (2532618).
- Extension of service.
- The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant H. N. CHANT, B.Sc. (114704), is ex-tended to six years with effect from 1st May 1947.
- Promotion.
- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :---G. F. PATTERSON (501021). 4th Mar. 1952.
- Notification cancelled. 6th Nov. 1951 (p. 57 C. CUSICK, B.A. (2484155). 5784, col. 1) concerning
- Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant L. C. GUTHRIE M.A. (111855), (and called up for air force service). 8th Mar. 1952).
- National service commission relinquished.
- The undermentioned (on appointment to short ser-
- vice commissions):----Flying Officer B. H. RUDALL, B.Sc. (3129316). 3rd Dec. 1951.
 - Pilot Officers :---R. H. WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (2509449). 1951. 11th Dec.
 - A. J. BARTLEY, B.A. (2526768). 7th Jan. 1952. 14th Jan. 1952. M. R. Angus, B.Sc. (2532618). D. R. Jones, B.Sc. (3134087).

 - A. A. BURLEY, B.A. (2530689). 15th Jan. 1952.

CATERING BRANCH

- Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (permanent):— Dudley Archdale Wood (500740). 1st Oct. 1951.
- As Flight Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):-
 - Edna Eileen Louisa CARNEY (8688). 13th Feb. 1952.
- NCESS MARY'S I NURSING SERVICE. PRINCESS ROYAL AIR FORCE
- Appointment to commission.
- As Flight Officer, short service (four years on the
- 1952 (seniority 27th May 1944).
- Promotion.

 - Flight Officer to Squadron Officer :--A. B. MILLER (5268). 6th Feb. 1952. E. H. R. MACDONALD (6817). 10th Feb. 1952.

 - Flying Officer to Flight Officer :-B. M. HAY-WILL (6814). 9th Mar. 1952.
- Commission relinquished. Flying Officer I. M. WILSON (6718). 16th Mar.
- 1952
- Temporary commission relinquished. Flight Officer F. M. JOHNSON (6780) (on appoint-ment to a short service commission). 18th Mar. 1952.
- Commission resigned.
- Notification amended.
 - 1st Jan. 1952 (p. 66, col. 1) concerning B. S. M. MACDONALD (5688) for (5688) read (5668).

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (five years):— Harold Arthur FENTON, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (27127). 8th Jan. 1952.

As Flying Officer (five years):---Vernon Hamer Thomas JENKINS (53315) 29th Dec. 1951. Appointment to commission (class CC). As Flight Lieutenants :---12th Feb. 1952. Reginald Horace Edmund Aldridge (184308). Gordon Montague Merrifield, A.F.C. (73006). 21st Feb. 1952. Victor Gerald PARKINSON (172961). Joseph Henri Jean SAUVAGE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (43045). Thomas Arthur Scott (152555). As Flying Officers: 12th Feb. 1952. Philip Laurence Eric BENNETT (300086). Edward John BLAKE (300087). Anthony Raymond Anthony BRANDT (147620). Colin DINNIE (300052). Colin DINNIE (300052). 21st Feb. 1952. Allan Philip BANFIELD (198979). Eric James BUMFORD, D.F.C. (55734). Peter Frederick BUSBY (300097). Robert John CORMICAN (300104). George ELLERTON (300098). Gordon FORD (199402). Denis William James GUMBRELL (181230). James Bernard PORTWOOD (195379). Sydney POTTERTON (48136). James Henry Charles SMITH (300099). Peter Kerr THOMSON (190235). Glenmore Edwin George WILCOX (300096). Notice Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-R. F. STEPHEN (57640), 1st July 1951. Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant J. V. CORDERY (203484) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Oct. 1951. R.A.F.). EQUIPMENT BRANCH. Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years):---Frank Arthur GLADDEN (54717). 6th Oct. 1951. Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant L. H. CLEMAS (31262) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 18th Feb. 1952. SECRETARIAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission. As Flight Lieutenant (five years):— Harry HAXBY, D.F.M. (51693). 4th Jan. 1952. Appointment to commission (class CC). As Squadron Leaders: — George Griffiths LEE (300079). 20th Feb. 1952. Vincent NICHOLSON (300126). 25th Feb. 1952. As Flight Lieutenant:-Thomas Henry Cross (300081). 30th Jan. 1952. Grant of higher rank (class CC). Flight Lieutenant O. W. T. ROGERS (192824) to be Squadron Leader. 8th Dec. 1951. Commission relinquished. Flying Officers:---J. W. M. ELIE (59295). 4th Aug. 1951. M. W. MAYES (171524) (on appointment to short service commission in the R.A.F.). 19 Feb. 1952. 19th Commission relinguished (class CC). Squadron Leader K. MAKEPEACE-WARNE (192965) (on cessation of duty). 23rd Dec. 1951. ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE. (Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:---T. J. MOULSON (3119445), 15th Jan. 1952.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Plying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:---P. BAILEY, D.F.C. (178884). 29th Jan. 1952.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Transfer to reserve. Flying Officer F. O. COPELAND (123736) and relinquishes command of No. 2504 (County of Nottingham) Light Anti-Aircraft Squadron. 6th Jan. 1952.

Transfer to reserve and to another branch. Squadron Leader J. A. G. COATES, D.F.C. (74699), is transferred to the reserve, relinquishing command of No. 2608 (North Riding) Light Anti-Aircraft Squadron and transferring to the General Duties Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 5th Nov. 1951.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant G. J. DUNTHORNE (80844). 10th Dec. 1951.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant W. TOWNSON (37072) is pro-moted to the substantive rank of Squadron Leader on appointment to command No. 3613 (City of Manchester) Fighter Control Unit with effect from 14th Oct. 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: — E. P. BATH (2692515). 8th Feb. 1952.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer G. F. SMITH (103218) to the Secre-tarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 20th Feb. 1952.

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

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinguished.

Flight Lieutenants:— F. L. RINGLAND (154618) (on appointment to the Territorial Army). 29th Oct. 1951. A. L. GARDNER (154918) (on appointment to the Army). 19th Nov. 1951.

Flying Officer S. C. RICHARDSON (186432) (on enlistment in the Royal Australian Air Force). 25th Oct. 1951.

The undermentioned (оп слиссии R.A.F.) :--Flight Lieutenants :--С. MOORE (139717). 24th Jan. 1952. F. B. MARTIN, D.F.M. (178692). 29th Jan. 1952. undermentioned (on enlistment in the

10th Jan, 1952. D. ANDREW (161725). H. WILKINSON (191325).

The undermentioned (on appointment to the re-constituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank :--Flight Lieutenants: — D. G. GIBBINS (119136). 6th Nov. 1951. R. D. STIRK, A.F.M. (126955). 7th Nov. 1951.

Flying Officer N. S. THOMAS (173068). 16th Nov. 1951.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished. Flying Officer V. VIVIS (116649) (on appoint-ment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 18th Oct. 1951.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer A. J. STARR (185997) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 11th Dec. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (five years) :---Dudley Guy GIBBINS (119136). 6th Nov. 1951.

1951. Eric Stanley Morrell (205797). 17th Dec. 1951.

As Pilot Officer (five years) :--John Stuart REID (2607372). 15th Dec. 1951.

As Pilot Officer (until 2nd Apr. 1955):--John Cecil SMALLWOOD (3123141). 27th Oct. 1951.

As Pilot Officer (until 20th May 1955): ----Gerald LORD (3124180). 20th Oct. 1951.

As Pilot Officer (until 4th June 1955):-Bryan PRICE (2453789). 23rd Dec. 1951.

Extension of service. The period of service of Flight Lieutenant A. V. J. BARBER, D.F.C. (119466), is extended to five years with effect from 8th Mar. 1952.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended to three years with effect from the dates stated :

5th Feb. 1952.

D. K. LAIRD (180233). R. I. ROBERTSON (188106).

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant R. J. L. ALTHAM (181105) is extended to two years with effect from 27th Feb. 1952.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :--A. W. DELLER, D.F.C. (118146). 1st Mar. 1951 (seniority 2nd June 1948). F. W. CROSS, D.F.C. (163906). 18th Feb. 1952.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :---J. T. MURPHY (2600913). 20th Mar. 1951.

Commission relinquished.

- Flight Lieutenants :-P. A. CURD, D.F.C. (176346). 29th Oct. 1951. C. V. BROWN, A.F.C. (128540) (on appointment to the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve). 17th Jan. 19<u>5</u>2.
- E. MANNING (130218) (on enlistment in the R.A.F.). 5th Feb. 1952.
- Flying Officer C. GERRARD (204270). 7th Mar. 1952
- Pilot Officer G. O. Edwards (204319). Mar. 1952. 17th
- The undermentioned (on account of medical unfit-
- Fight Lieutenant C. F. A. CLOTHIER, D.F.C. (146833). 29th Feb. 1952.
 Flying Officer H. A. KNIGHT (199938). 25th
 - Feb. 1952.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer A. S. JONES, D.F.C. (184784). 13th Feb. 1952.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years) :---Victor VIVIS (116649). 18th Oct. 1951.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years) :--Noel Sainsbury THOMAS (173068). 16th Nov. 1951.

Transfer between branches. Flying Officer A. R. POOLE (129193) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 13th Feb. 1952.

Commission relinquished. Flying Officer W. T. OWEN (2399377) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 2nd Jan. 1952 (substituted for notifica-tion of 5th Feb. 1952 (p. 705, col 2.)).

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-C. N. S. THORPE (205375). 1 (seniority 22nd Dec. 1949). 1st Mar. 1951

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Pilot Officer (until 28th Sept. 1955) :--Harold WILSON (3126392), 19th Oct. 1951.

- METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years) :--Arthur Joseph STARR (185997). 11th Dec. 1951.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

TRAINING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officers :

Roland Chatterton (64448). 9th Nov. 1951. John Lawson Blackie SMITH (205807). 18th Dec. 1951

William George WATT (91255). 14th Jan. 1952. 23rd Jan. 1952.

Denis Alfred BARNHAM (60760). Gordon Beresford Cooper, D.F.C. (125352).

Walter Lawrence McLAREN (18250). 1st Feb. 1952.

As Pilot Officers :

28th Dec. 1951.

John CROOK (3021009). Campbell Hamilton GILMOUR (3046070).

James Lunn JARDINE (2208555). 22nd Jan. 1952. John BAVIS (205806). 28th Jan. 1952. Robert James REASON (205808). 5th Feb. 1952.

Notification amended. 23rd Nov. 1948 (p. 6126, col. 2) concerning William Brady URWIN (629517) for 19th July 1948 read 1st July 1948.

Commission resigned.

- Flying Officers :
- Flying Officers :-A. SMITH (128181). 2nd Apr. 1947.
 E. L. NEWBY (64167). 12th Apr. 1948.
 D. J. LYON (118837). 5th Jan. 1951.
 W. G. C. PRICE (200777). 2nd May 1951.
 D. E. OLDHAM (128824). 20th July 1951.
 W. F. SPOWAGE, D.F.C. (145865). 6th Aug. 1951.
 H. C. STOTT (69036). 5th Sept. 1951.
 A. G. PERREY (56077). 10th Sept. 1951.
 R. deW. TULLY (173537). 14th Sept. 1951.
 R. A. J. NORRIS (67429). 26th Sept. 1951.
 S. A. de-STE-CROIX, D.C.M., M.M. (65355). 27th
 Sept. 1951.
 J. T. HARRIS (205160). 30th Sept. 1951.
 J. R. WRIGHT (116363). 9th Oct. 1951.
 A. N. G. RICHARDS (102430). 10th Oct. 1951.
 22nd Oct. 1951.

 - - 22nd Oct. 1951.
 - J. SAMPLE (179905). F. E. SHIERS (142309). A. P. STEPHENS (203866).

 - A. P. STEPHENS (203866).
 J. W. C. SQUIER (125762). 27th Oct. 1951.
 H. KEY (126405). 31st Oct. 1951.
 W. F. E. WATSON (147341). 3rd Nov. 1951.
 P. J. SHEFFIELD (202523). 7th Nov. 1951.
 R. E. WORMAN (189020). 10th Nov. 1951.
 R. D. WILLIAMS (179916). 14th Nov. 1951.
 R. C. WATERS (122215). 20th Nov. 1951.
 L. HOLMAN (203393). 22nd Nov. 1951.
 H. J. C. OLIVER (201578). 29th Nov. 1951.
 G. A. WILLIAMS (106299). 3rd Dec. 1951.
 G. A. WILLIAMS (106299). 3rd Dec. 1951.
 C. C. H. MILLWARD (204438). 8th Dec. 1951.
 J. S. SERGEANT (201532). 21st Dec. 1951.

Pilot Officers :---

W. A. WHITE (69288). 31st Dec. 1944.

26th July 1945.

L. S. PRICE (69340). F. W. TURK (63314).

R. P. MAW (3043254). A. G. RAY (140292).

- F. W. TORK (05314).
 W. LIDDELL (122903). 20th Sept. 1945.
 A. H. SANDS (100365). 14th Dec. 1946.
 T. H. H. TUNNICLIFFE (158749). 30th July 1948.
 S. G. TURNER (1321322). 1st June 1950.
 R. W. MORRIS (3045332). 6th June 1951.
 S. G. HALE (1320497). 26th June 1951.
 S. G. HALE (1320497). 26th June 1951.
 S. S. TREVERTON (1232053). 15th Oct. 1951.
 G. C. MARLER (122177). 24th Oct. 1951.
 G. C. MARLER (122177). 24th Nov. 1951.
 J. A. WOOD (1583188). 15th Nov. 1951.
 G. L. JACOBS (2238508). 21st Nov. 1951.

22nd Nov. 1951.

H. W. WINTER (1458374). 29th Nov. 1951. G. WELTON (68458). 29th Dec. 1951. V. J. TIPPER (129849). 31st Dec. 1951.

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