Confirming, regrading and transfer between branches.
Acting Pilot Officer on probation J. M. HIND
(2488673) is confirmed in appointment, regraded (2488673) is confirmed in appointment, regulater as Pilot Officer and transferred to the Equipment Branch. 30th Jan. 1952 (seniority 30th Jan. 1952).

Acting Pilot Officer on probation N. W. P.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation N. W. P. WRIGHT (2492689) is confirmed in appointment, regraded as Pilot Officer and transferred to the Royal Air Force Regiment. 9th Feb. 1952 (seniority 9th Feb. 1952).

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.

The period of service of Pilot Officer F. R. HAYWARD (582835) is adjusted to five years on the active list and four years on the reserve with effect from 26th Sept. 1951, and he is transferred to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority with effect from 18th Apr. 1952.

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant R. Marshall (154784) to the Technical Branch, retaining his rank. 24th Mar. 1952 (seniority 25th Nov. 1947).

Flight Lieutenant D. A. Preston (150791) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 28th Apr. 1952 (seniority 11th Jan. 1950).

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenants (and called up for air force service):

G. B. Dunning, D.F.C. (186482). 1st May 1951. E. J. Kelsey (187847). 24th Apr. 1952. J. W. G. Hodgkinson, D.F.C. (177912). 15th

May 1952.

Flying Officer W. J. NICCOLLS (59604), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 20th Oct. 1951.

Notification amended. 18th Mar. 1952 (p. 1537, col. 1) concerning D. A. Toon (3011847) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenants :-

15th May, 1952.

G. A. TAYLOR (198218). R. R. WAUGHMAN, D.F.C. (171904).

D. A. TEMPLETON, D.F.M. (47398). 16th May 1952.

R. McFarlin (165985). 19th May 1952.

Flying Officers :-

15th May 1952.

A. G. L. McKinnon (196472). A. C. G. Martin (203065).

Flight Lieutenant G. J. A. LEWIS, D.F.C. (79212), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 15th May

Retirement.
Flight Lieutenant L. A. P. TAPP, D.F.C., A.F.C. (59336). 25th Mar. 1952.

Commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant D. G. WINSER (153081) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service).
15th May 1952.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant S. J. MARSHALL (180122) (on appointment to a short service commission). 8th Nov. 1951.

Flying Officer G. H. YARDLEY (198412) retaining his rank. 25th Apr. 1952.

National service commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions):-

Flying Officer G. L. Sheret (2600486). Feb. 1952. 21st

Acting Pilot Officers :-

M. J. BATHE (2525756). 22nd Feb. 1952. G. W. THOMAS (2526706). 19th Mar. 1952. T. G. MURPHY (3132189). 25th Mar. 1952.

Commission terminated.

Acting Pilot Officers:

T. R. EGAN (2515270). 30th Mar. 1952. D. J. TAYLOR (2507457) (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.). 2nd Apr. 1952. D. H. GENTRY (3507764). 10th Apr. 1952.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officers (permanent):

27th Mar. 1952.

Sergeant Flight Thomas CARBIS

577499 Corporal Bryan Draper (577499).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— J. M. Beeby (568960). 17th May 1952.

Transfer to reserve

Notification cancelled.

18th Sept. 1951 (p. 4876, col. 1) concerning E. J. ATKINSON (193486) (substituted for notification of 1st Apr. 1952 (p. 1821, col. 1)).

Reversion to reserve.

Squadron Leaders:—
L. D. Adams (112023). 15th May 1952.
R. V. Watts (87097). 20th May 1952.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant W. B. WILSON (35319) re-taining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Apr. 1952.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
E. Jones (202438). 28th Mar. 1952.
J. Hammond (149899). 13th Apr. 1952.

Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant R. A. Hyde (80739), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 3rd May 1952.

Retirement.
Wing Commander C. I. Fry (21053) (at own request). 20th Apr. 1952.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer W. WILSON (55733). 22nd Apr.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, W.R.A.F., short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Muriel Doreen Squire (5613). 16th Apr. 1952 (seniority 6th Sept. 1950).

As Pilot Officers, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Charles Robert Schreiber (2465543). 6th Mar.

1952 (seniority 31st Aug. 1950). 2507544 Aircraftman 2nd class Samuel Archibald Robert ROBERTSON (2507544). 27th Mar. 1952.

As Pilot Officers (national service):-

Aircraftmen 2nd class.
10th Apr. 1952.
2530580 James Anthony BAGSHAW (2530580).
3133492 Walter BALMFORD (3133492).
2529630 Geoffrey Edward BLAKER (2529630).
3131452 William Powell BOWMAN (3131452).

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3133506 Richard Sмоина (3133506). 3133942 Mivart Gwynrudd We West (3133942).

2528240 John Michael Henry Walker (2528240). 2525001 Reginald Norris Whittaker (2525001). 3133900 Glenville George Yardley (3133900).

Transfer between branches.

Notification amended.

22nd Apr. 1952 (p. 2171, col. 1) concerning B. R. Powell (167616) for (167616) read (163483).

Transfer to reserve.

Notification amended.
6th Mar. 1951 (p. 1166, col. 2) concerning
M. Kershaw, O.B.E. (75507) for M. Kershaw read H. KERSHAW.