The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—
Flight Lieutenant C. W. FORDHAM (84405). 7th

Oct. 1952.

Flying Officer V. H. SEARLES (155330). Sept. 1952. 15th

Commission relinquished (class CC).

The undermentioned (on cessation of duty):—
Squadron Leaders:—

G. F. Lyons (71351). 18th Sept. 1952. A. Pickford (192794). 14th Oct. 1952.

Flight Lieutenant L. A. WEBBE (192866). 17th Sept. 1952

Flying Officer E. Nicholls (192945). 23rd Sept. 1952.

# ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

Approval has been given for the appointment of George William Odey, C.B.E., M.P., as Honorary Air Commodore of No. 3505 (East Riding) Fighter Control Unit, Royal Auxiliary Air Force. 18th

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH. . . .

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (five years and five years on the

Edward Brian Woodrow (190157). 10th May 1952 (seniority 18th Mar. 1952).

Thomas Inman Stanton (195511). 20th July 1952 (seniority 3rd July 1952).

As Pilot Officer (five years and five years on the

reserve):—
William Arthur JELLETT (2639018). 28th Apr. 1952.

As Pilot Officer (until 24th Mar. 1956):—
James Douglas Campbell White (3129392), 19th Oct. 1952.

As Pilot Officer (until 25th Mar. 1956): Harold Bates (2490076). 20th Oct. 1952.

Transfer to reserve.
Flight Lieutenant J. BAXTER (150194). 16th Sept. 1952.

Flying Officer D. K. BUNGEY (164165). June 1952. 11th

# TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve.

Pilot Officer R. SMITH (2696003). 28th Sept.

## SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the

Douglas Lewis CAMPBELL (172192). 2nd Oct. 1952 (seniority 14th Aug. 1952).

Transfer to reserve.
Flight Lieutenant W. Nicholson (108738). July 1952.

# FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (five years and five years on

John Sanderson Porteous (83038). 30th July

As Pilot Officers (five years and five years on the

reserve):—
William Rodney Stewart King (3124073). 12th

May 1952 Leon Walter Herrick Fox (189304). 7th Aug. 1952 (seniority 30th May 1952).

As Pilot Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F. (five years and five years on the reserve)

Anne Hutchison Galloway BAIKIE (2659389). 12th May 1952.

As Pilot Officer (until 3rd Mar. 1956):—
Robert Reginald Sharp (3128949). 28th Sept.

As Pilot Officers (until 18th Mar. 1956):—
13th Oct. 1952.
Derek Bloomer (3129300).
Alan Dover Smith (2488855).

As Pilot Officer (until 25th Mar. 1956):— Edward Hugh Ford (2489850). 20th Oct. 1952.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant L.

MORTON (119404) is extended by one year with
effect from 21st Oct. 1952.

Transfer to reserve.

Pilot Officer E. D. Huntington (128876). 30th Sept. 1952.

Commission resigned.

Flight Officer K. M. Scott (née Cooper) (6316),
W.R.Aux.A.F. 15th May 1952.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH..

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (five years and five years on David Brown, M.B., B.S. (500328). 9th July

Extension of service.

The period of service of Squadron Leader R. N. A. LEYTON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (137101), is extended by five years with effect from 12th Aug. 1952.

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

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenants

I. Laing (150397) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 13th Mar. 1952.

A. S. COOPER, D.F.M. (157642) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). "1st

Oct. 1952.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank:— Flight Lieutenants.

K. R. PEARSON (169199). 12th June 1952. H. H. TAPNER (181178). 14th July 1952. K. H. REEVE (165613). 19th Sept. 1952.

Flying Officers:—
E. STEWART (197737). 6th Mar. 1952.
R. A. G. Sibley (166311). 26th Aug. 1952.
D. Lucas (189666). 4th Sept. 1952.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer L. W. H. Fox (189304) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.) retaining his rank. 7th Aug. 1952.

The undermentioned reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.): (on appointment to the

Flight Lieutenant R. A. Pointon (85293) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th July 1952. Flight Lieutenant W. H. S. Moorman, M.B.E. (85296), retaining his rank. 31st July 1952.

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant J. D. GUDGEON (69359) (on enlistment in the Royal Australian Air Force). 27th Oct. 1952.

### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer I. G. WILSON (110534) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 28th Oct. 1952

Flying Officer A. J. MARTIN (188371) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st May 1952.

#### METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. D. TURNER (158435) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 9th July 1952.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section.)

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
As Flying Officers (five years):—
Ewen STEWART (197737). 6th Mar. 1952.
Ronald Arthur George SIBLEY (166311). 26th Aug. 1952

Digby Lucas (189666). 4th Sept. 1952. Keith Miles Massey (205917), 25th Sept. 1952.