

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant H. J. ATTWOOD, M.A. (200620), is extended until 1st July 1953 with effect from 2nd Jan. 1950.

*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—*

A. M. HAYES, B.A. (3058649). 28th Dec. 1952.

Notification amended.

23rd Dec. 1952 (p. 6728, col. 1) concerning W. WATSON, B.Sc. (2530688) for W. WATSON read A. WATSON.

Acting rank.

Air Commodore C. L. M. BROWN, O.B.E., M.A., A.D.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 1st Feb. 1953.

Reversion to reserve.

Squadron Leader W. E. PLUMMER, B.Sc. (87956). 10th Feb. 1953.

Flight Lieutenant G. E. WATSON, B.Sc. (136743). 29th Jan. 1953.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officer H. R. H. BENZIE, B.Sc. (3129318). 28th Jan. 1953.

PROVOST BRANCH*Retirement.*

Squadron Leader J. CLIFTON (48543) retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 11th Jan. 1953.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Commission terminated.*

Flying Officer B. NANKIVELL (502330). 8th Jan. 1953.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.*Appointment to commission (short service).*

As Flying Officers (four years on the active list) :—

1st Jan. 1953.

Joyce Catherine BENNETT (407122) (*seniority 1st Jan. 1951*).

Mavis Patricia HOGBEN (407110) (*seniority 1st Jan. 1951*).

Joyce WHALE (407127) (*seniority 1st Jan. 1951*).

Monica Lillian GORDON-CRADDOCK (407124) (*seniority 6th Jan. 1951*).

Joyce Beatrice MEADEN (407125) (*seniority 3rd Mar. 1951*).

Barbara Lily LAKE (407111) (*seniority 3rd Oct. 1951*).

12th Jan. 1953.

Ann Gwyneth EVANS (407133) (*seniority 12th Jan. 1951*).

Doreen Betty LANKESTER (407141) (*seniority 12th Jan. 1951*).

Diana Mary Wade RAWLINS (407134) (*seniority 6th May 1951*).

Maureen Helen REYNOLDS (407129) (*seniority 30th Oct. 1951*).

Jocelyn RELTON (407128) (*seniority 11th Sept. 1952*).

Winifred Emilie DUNCAN (407132) (*seniority 12th Jan. 1953*).

*Promotion.**Flight Officer to Squadron Officer :—*

T. S. O'REGAN (405407). 28th Aug. 1952.

N. H. THOMAS, A.R.R.C. (405476). 28th Nov. 1952.

G. M. DAVIES (405495). 9th Jan. 1953.

A. W. M. LIMERICK (405445). 28th Jan. 1953.

*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers :—*

10th Feb. 1953.

H. O. BERTWISTLE (406775).

D. P. HOPE (406772).

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.*Appointment to commission (class J.).**As Flight Lieutenant :—*

Michael Joseph GRENNAN (35170). 18th Dec. 1952.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission (class CC).**As Flight Lieutenant :—*

George BELLAMY (300218). 5th Jan. 1953.

As Flying Officers :—

Vincent Henry TWOMEY (158586). 31st Dec. 1952.

5th Jan. 1953.

Henry Denys COVERLEY (138439).

William Charles Hardy LOCKHART (300217).

Sunder MANSUKHANI (300219).

Kenneth George MILAM (300216).

William Harry PREECE (300213). 12th Jan. 1953.

Extension of service, etc.

Flight Lieutenant R. E. STEVENSON, A.F.O. (70648), is granted an extension of service for three years with effect from 6th Aug. 1952. His war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant is converted to substantive rank, 1st Nov. 1947 (*seniority 1st Dec. 1942*). He relinquishes the temporary rank of Squadron Leader with effect from 1st Nov. 1947 and the war substantive rank of Squadron Leader with effect from 1st Jan. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. A. MARTINDALE (59445) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 1st July 1952.

*The undermentioned (on appointment to the Royal New Zealand Air Force Reserve) :—**Flight Lieutenants :—*

E. J. DAWES (59253). 10th Mar. 1952.

K. L. LEE (59739). 3rd July 1952.

Flying Officer W. J. SMITH (59815). 26th Aug. 1952.

*Commission relinquished (class CC).**The undermentioned (on cessation of duty) :—*

Flying Officer G. N. HENDERSON, D.F.C. (173916). 4th Dec. 1952.

Pilot Officer C. C. W. SHELTON (578808). 11th Dec. 1952.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer R. H. SMITH (58718) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 6th Sept. 1952.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission (class CC).**As Flight Lieutenant :—*

Frederick George NETTON (192189). 1st Jan. 1953.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant J. P. FROST (139154). 21st Dec. 1952.

Flying Officer V. HOLMES (8296), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 5th Feb. 1953.

Commission relinquished (class CC).

Wing Commander S. H. BICKMORE (192328) (on cessation of duty). 17th Dec. 1952.

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—*

M. R. WILLIAMS, B.A. (501063). 3rd Feb. 1953.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Officer E. T. F. KINGSTON (3450), W.R.A.F.R.O., retaining her rank. 11th Dec. 1952.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted).

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve) :—

Albert James GROTTICK (136572). 20th Dec. 1952 (*seniority 26th Aug. 1952*).

As Pilot Officer (five years and five years on the reserve) :—

John WARD (3127583). 20th Oct. 1952.

As Pilot Officer (until 26th May 1956) :—

Walter Macfarlane GILBERT (2498688). 21st Dec. 1952.