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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flight Lieutenant : George Malcolm SMITH (134094). 1st Oct. 1951.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.499/52.

As Flying Officer :--Norman Charles HAYES, A.F.M. (1441086). 15th Feb. 1952 (substituted for notification of 16th Sept. 1952 (p. 4907, col. 1)).

Appointment to commission (short service). As Flying Officer (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :---Geoffrey CHADWICK (503027). 23rd Feb. 1953 (seniority 23rd Sept. 1950).

As Pilot Officers (eight years on the active list and jour years on the reserve) — Robert Lewis HEATHER (3129847). 12th Jan. 1953 (seniority 17th Jan. 1952). George Alexander HALLIDAY (2600523). 10th Feb. 1953.

Flight Sergeants.

26th Feb. 1953. 1605217 Horace John Moss (1605217) (period of service to count from 7th Oct. 1946). 1620362 Walter Henry STEVENS (1620362) (period of service to count from 4th Nov. 1946).

Sergeants.

Sergeants. 26th Feb. 1953. 1864329 Colin FIELD (1864329) (period of ser-vice to count from 9th Oct. 1946). 1803949 Bryn William LEWIS (1803949) (period of service to count from 31st Oct. 1949). 2600937 Arthur Quinton SHORTHOUSE (2600937) (period of service to count from 28th Jan. 1950). 1399829 Charles Roy STONE (1399829) (period of service to count from 4th Dec. 1950). 4039382 Allan Spence THOMSON (4039382) (period of service to count from 3rd Oct. 1949).

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As Acting Pilot Officer (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :----

John Nelson ROBERTSON (503026). 16th Feb. 1953.

As Flight Lieutenant (five years) under A.M.O. A.269/51.

Reginald Wilfred Arthur ByE (188792). 12th July 1952 (for subsequent transfer to the Secre-tarial Branch) (substituted for notification of 25th Nov. 1952 (p. 6204, col 2)).

As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (for the balance of four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):--Thomas William WATTERS (2531342). 2nd Dec. 1952 (period of service to count from 27th Dec. 1951) (since regraded to the rank of Pilot Officer). Alan Jack WILLSON (2542884). 22nd Jan. 1953 (period of service to count from 18th Mar. 1952).

Appointment to commission (national service). As Acting Pilot Officers :---Donald Peter NICHOLSON (4083607). 27th Nov.

1952

Victor Charles FRUIN-BALL (4089618). 11th Feb. 1953

John Ralph NEVILLE (3511881). 23rd Feb. 1953.

As Acting Pilot Officers on probation :---Cadet Navigators. 2562272 Douglas Clifton WILLISON (2562272). 5th Nov. 1952.

17th Dec. 1952. 3137725 Roger Edwin ATKINSON (3137725). 2565916 Alan Geoffrey BREEZE (2565916). 2566220 Richard CRANE (2566220). 2542734 John Donald DRYSDALE (2542734). 2566217 Denis Charles ELMY (2566217). 2566226 Thomas Anthony Roberts (2566226). 2565429 Ronald THOMPSON (2565429).

Notification amended. 10th Feb. 1953 (p. 825, col. 1) concerning John Malcolm CHARLESWORTH (4075643) add (seniority 28th Nov. 1952).

Confirming and regrading. The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on pro-bation are confirmed in appointment and regraded as Pilot Officers :-

E. J. TURNER (2532211). K. S. ROWE (2539362), J. TURNER (3135205). J. TURNER (3135205). P. G. WHALE (4078088). B. L. HORN (2537834). R. J. C. BUSHELL (2540648). J. A. D'ARCY (2538868). T. J. JEREMY (2538857). L. N. POWELL (2540754). J. F. RICKETT (2540811). S. M. NOEL (2537011). P. HUGHES (3135268).