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#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the following changes in appointments as Aides-de-Camp, to take effect from 1st January, 1953:

Air Commodore R. C. Mead, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (who previously filled a Group Captain vacancy) to continue in appointment as Aide-de-Camp to The QUEEN in the rank of Air Commodore, in succession to Air Vice-Marshal J. H. Edwardes-Jones, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (on the latter's promotion to substantive Air Vice-Marshal).

The undermentioned to be Aides-de-Camp to The

Group Captain B. K. BURNETT, D.F.C., A.F.C., in succession to Air Commodore R. B. LEES, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C. (on the latter's promotion to Air Commodore).

Group Captain D. S. RADFORD, D.S.O., D.F.C.

A.F.C., in succession to Air Commodore D. G. Morris, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (on the latter's promotion to Air Commodore).

Group Captain E. D. Mack. Nelson, C.B., in succession to Air Commodore R. C. Mead, C.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (who now fills a vacancy in the rank of Air Commodore).

rank of Air Commodore).

Group Captain G. C. Eveleigh, O.B.E., in succession to Air Commodore T. U. C. Shirley, C.B.E., A.M.I.E., A.F.R.Ae.S. (on the latter's promotion to Air Commodore).

Group Captain A. C. Kermode, O.B.E., M.A., F.R.Ae.S, in succession to Air Commodore (Acting Air Vice-Marshal) C. L. M. Brown, O.B.E., M.A. (on the latter's promotion) (on the latter's promotion).

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flight Lieutenant:—
George Nicholas Perella, D.F.M. (179148). 11th
Nov. 1952 (for subsequent transfer to the Technical Branch).

As Flying Officer:—
James Phillip SPARKS (191973). 1st Oct. 1952
(for subsequent transfer to the Technical Branch).

to commission (permanent) under Appointment to A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flight Lieutenants:—

Ronald CRAIG, D.F.C. (56018). 14th Oct. 1952 (and transferred to the Equipment Branch. 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 9th May 1949)).

Austin Wilfred HALLETT, D.F.C., A.F.C. (175747). 24th Nov. 1952 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 24th Apr. 1950)).

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

1st Apr. 1953.

James Wilfred Hedges (59467) (seniority 15th June 1948).
Edward James Blackwood (148119) (seniority

7th Jan. 1951).

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

#### Sergeants.

# 2nd Apr. 1953.

2nd Apr. 1953.

3021044 Harry Armstrong (3021044) (period of service to count from 1st June 1949).

707146 Jozef Butrym (707146) (period of service to count from 24th May 1948).

1801919 Ernest Walter Clarke (1801919) (period of service to count from 1st Jan. 1953).

1607753 Arthur Leonard Cole (1607753) (period of service to count from 3rd May 1949).

4037887 Graham Lanyon Elliott (4037887) (period of service to count from 13th June 1949).

4034662 David Campbell Garratt (4034662) (period of service to count from 29th Dec. 1948).

3504361 Francis Alexander Green (3504361) (period of service to count from 22nd Mar. 1948).

1605665 Colin Frederick Lambourne (1605665) (period of service to count from 1st Aug. 1950).

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
John William Dennis Parsons (2486692). 26th

Mar. 1953.

As Flight Lieutenant (seven years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
John Alexander Christopher McClymont (155752). 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 8th Apr. 1953).

As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Wilfred Henry George, D.F.C. (159019). 23rd Jan. 1953 (seniority 28th Feb. 1947) (for subsequent transfer to the Royal Air Force Regiment).

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
4098308 Cadet Pilot Michael John William CLIFF
(4098308). 10th Sept. 1952 (period of service to count from 7th May 1952).

as Pilot Officer. Control Branch:

branches.

Promotion.

D. C. HALL (3504795).

Confirming, regrading and transfer between branches.
The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation, are confirmed in appointment, regraded as Pilot Officers and transferred to the Fighter

21st Mar. 1953 (seniority 21st Mar. 1953). J. D. Evershed (583431).

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between

The period of service of the undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation is adjusted to five years on the active list and four years on the reserve (on transfer to the Fighter Control Branch) with effect from the dates stated:

J. D. EVERSHED (583431). 27th Sept. 1951.

D. C. HALL (3504795). 11th Oct. 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— R. A. OSBORNE (185437). 30th Apr. 1953.

2nd May 1953. N. R. MADDOCK (201104). A. C. Tye (3032822).

2490 As Pilot Officers (for the balance of four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Stanley Derek Crockford (2513782). 20th May 1952 (semiority 7th May 1952) (period of service to count from 25th May 1951) (substituted for notification of 29th July 1952 (p. 4061, col. 2)).

Alan Frank Goodwin (3131359). 2nd Jan. 1953 (semiority 11th July 1952) (period of service to count from 28th Feb. 1951).

Robert Thomas (4059951). 14th Jan. 1953 (semiority 18th Mar. 1952) (period of service to count from 11th Apr. 1952) (period of service to count from 11th Apr. 1951).

Anthony Richard Millman (3130813). 19th Jan. 1953 (semiority 25th Jan. 1952) (period of service to count from 17th Jan. 1951).

Sidney Guy Templeman (2507204). 2nd Feb. 1953 (semiority 18th Apr. 1952) (period of service to count from 11th Apr. 1951). As Pilot Officers (for the balance of four years on As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (for the balance of four years on the active list and four years on the reserve). John Lloyd (2542202). 12th Feb. 1953 (period of service to count from 26th Feb. 1952). Appointment to commission (extended service). As Flying Officer (seven years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
David Brynmor Williams, D.F.C. (50482). 22nd Aug. 1946 (substituted for notification of 11th Feb. 1947 (p. 703, col. 2)). Appointment to commission (national service). As Acting Pilot Officers on probation:

3137670 Cadet Pilot Ian Alastair Glencoe PAULL
(3137670). 17th Dec. 1952. Cadet Navigators. 2547557 Edward Stuart Wilson (2547557). 13th Aug. 1952. 2548189 Peter Jacques Senker (2548189). Feb. 1953. Notification amended. 7th Aug. 1951 (p. 4219, col. 2) concerning Reay Thomas Cook (501966) for (seniority 20th Nov. 1950) read (seniority 20th Sept. 1950). Confirming and regrading. The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in appointment and regraded as Pilot Officers: 11th Mar. 1953. 11th Mar. 1953
O. R. PHILLIPS (4087690).
C. J. W. WOODRUFF (584382).
P. JACKSON (584297).
M. NASH (584048).
K. MILLS (584520).
B. V. LITILE (582060).
C. A. BALL (584332).
P. D. CHATFIELD (582759).
C. E. PICKTON (3512301).
G. A. FARROLOUGH (3129937). G. A. FAIRCLOUGH (3129937).
R. K. ROSE (3135025).
G. S. DRURY (3512194).
K. M. LYNN (4092760) (seniority 28th Sept. 1952). F. J. Robinson (3512096). 18th Mar. 1953. J. W. Cooper (2544598). J. S. Boyd (2538237). J. B. Bell (2536080). J. E. Clark (2533318). J. E. CLARK (2533318),
W. K. M. BAWDEN (2459166),
D. J. INGRAM (2543877),
J. B. DAVIES (2543884),
K. J. HENWOOD (2508553),
S. W. GOODWIN (3135594),
A. L. DELLOW (2534266),
K. WEBSTER (2528511),
P. M. BELSHAM (2543972),
C. P. SMAJE (3510878),
R. BRODERICK (3511510),
A. F. CARTER (3512362),
P. P. PARKES (2543854),
J. A. GAULD (2531448),
B. R. MARJORAM (2525801),
R. C. N. KINGDON (4083037),
K. C. KIME (2541581),

31st Mar. 1953. 31st Mar. 1953. J. I. GILCHRIST (4092058).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
P. M. STACEY (198075). 14th Feb. 1953.
F. G. CORDUROY (3504883). 14th Mar. 1953 (seniority 10th Oct. 1952).
J. M. D. SUTTON (2495415). 20th Mar. 1953.
W. GATES (205384). 25th Mar. 1953 (seniority 24th Sept. 1952).
E. RHOADES (501716). 4th Apr. 1953. 10th Apr. 1953, J. S. Bates (3110026). M. C. Hempstead (4054921), F. R. Pearson (4054404), G. Thrower (2432592). J. M. McMinn (2600602). (seniority 15th Jan. 1952). 15th Apr. 1953 17th Apr. 1953. M. J. Hawes (4055766). B. W. Picken (583595). J. R. W. Vardy (2499455). 30th Apr. 1953. Forrester (583657). R. W. RAMSBOTTOM (4056596). 1st May 1953.
P. BLAKE (3110014).
J. J. COLES (1603988).
T. W. G. GLOVER (3032552).
P. D. GOODING (4004414).
J. McE. McTurk (1556544).
R. SHILTON (578924).
R. E. STEED (3030616).
D. E. VICKERS (4030411).
K. WEBSTER (1672975). 1st May 1953. A. M. BEZZANT (4055760). 2nd May 1953. 3rd May 1953. G. Incledon-Webber (583596). S. B. MEAD (3507910). Transfer between branches.
Flight Lieutenant W. H. GEORGE, D.F.C. (159019) to the Royal Air Force Regiment, retaining his rank. 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 28th Aug. 1949).
Flight Lieutenant L. W. F. Jacob (132186) to the Fighter Control Branch, retaining his rank. 18th Jan. 1953 (seniority 29th Nov. 1951). Reversion to reserve.
Flight Lieutenants:—
G. S. Machen (59547). 28th Aug. 1952.
J. D. Durkie (59580). 22nd Sept. 1952. Temporary commission relinquished.
Pilot Officer R. THOMAS (4059951) (on appointment to a short service commission). 14th Jan. National service commission relinquished. Pilot Officers:—

J. V. CAMPBELL (2512424). 26th Apr. 1952.

B. H. D. McClelland (2513166). 3rd May 1953. Acting Pilot Officer A. E. FOSTER (2507610) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 3rd May 1953. The undermentioned (on appointment to short J. H. E. Stephens (583865). B. S. A. Woodward (584664). A. J. Kaye (4084061). A. E. Lawrence (2539931). N. S. Gadd (4080848). service commissions):-\*\*Pilot Officers:—

A. F. GOODWIN (3131359). 2nd Jan. 1953.

A. R. MILLMAN (3130813). 19th Jan. 1953.

S. G. TEMPLEMAN (2507204). 2nd Feb. 1953.

365884 Douglas Walter Lambert (365884).
560380 Frederick Owen Robertson (560380).
561885 Harold William Rogers (561885).
561889 Charles Edwin Ryman (561889).
366194 Leslie John Samson, B.E.M. (366194).
515289 James Frederick Townsend (515289).
520874 David Walker (520874).
366475 Edwin Warman (366475).
560469 Horace Waterhouse (560469).
526837 Robert Williams (526837). Acting Pilot Officer J. LLOYD (2542202). 12th Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

J. W. CREE (2502609). 1st Feb. 1953.

A. PAIN (2500723). 5th Feb. 1953.

N. E. ELLOTT (2506580). 8th Mar. 1953. 15th Mar. 1953. W. C. NEVILLE (3131621). B. O. ROBINS (3131640). P. J. SIMPSON (2507693). Appointment to commission (short service).

As Pilot Officer, W.R.A.F. (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— P. R. Martin (2508028). 17th Mar. 1953. 22nd Mar. 1953. R. V. Berkeley (2508907). P. B. Cliff (3131735). T. Fraser (2508551). Catherine Anne Cullimore, B.A. (8718). 25th Mar. 1953. Appointment to commission (national service). S. G. Pine (2509736). 29th Mar. 1953. N. D. McL. Leak (3131832). 31st Mar. 1953. As Pilot Officers: Aircraftmen 2nd class. Commission terminated.
Pilot Officer D. B. W. TAYLOR (4072328).
Apr. 1953. 2nd Apr. 1953. Christopher Dennis OSWALD, B.Sc. (2572511). 2572604 Carl Chadbourn Thomas, B.Sc. Acting Pilot Officers: D. D. Bowie (4067136). 4th Apr. 1953.
K. T. Bowden (585294). 14th Apr. 1953.
M. T. Kerr (4027239). 21st Apr. 1953.
J. E. Isaac (4051145). 22nd Apr. 1953.
B. Hatswell (3507771). 23rd Apr. 1953.
W. A. Blount (583890). 24th Apr. 1953.
W. Spence (584289). 25th Apr. 1953. (2572604). Notification amended. 3rd Mar. 1953 (p. 1231, col. 2) concerning Frank PEARCE (54024) for (seniority 20th July 1948) read (seniority 20th July 1947). Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— E. Dawson, B.Sc. (3129926). 20th Dec. 1952. 30th Apr. 1953. D. R. Matthews (585180). A. Peppert (583884). 27th Mar. 1953. V. R. CUNNINGHAM, B.Sc. (2542218). The undermentioned (on re-enlistment in the D. REID, B.Sc. (2528205). R.A.F.): B. Constantine, B.Eng. (2543301) 10th Apr. Pilot Officers:-13th Apr. 1953. A. W. Mayes (2528620). P. C. Widdowson (2532285). 1953. 1st May 1953. M. G. BADER, B.Sc. (2538876). B. R. JEWELL, B.Sc. (2535345). Acting Pilot Officers:— F. P. WILLSHER (4081450). 20th Feb. 1953. ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH. 2nd Mar. 1953. C. E. HEWETT (2536056). D. F. ROBINSON (2560473). Emergency commission relinquished.
Flying Officer E. KAY (46202) (on appointment to a short service commission). 30th Mar. 1953. J. THOMSON (2542557). 9th Apr. 1953. 10th Apr. 1953. F. Morley (2547314). EQUIPMENT BRANCH. M. G. WILLIAMS (2539855). P. G. WILLOUGHBY (3134739). Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officer (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Affred Ernest Leonard Wigley (179776). 14th Apr. 1953 (seniority 4th Apr. 1951). D. Young (4089627). 11th Apr. 1953 T. K. COWELL (2545447). C. G. LLOYD (3512375). J. B. SCATCHARD (4084743). Notification amended. 30th May 1950 (p. 2684, col. 2) concerning Donald DUNFORD, M.B.E. (53066), for (seniority 25th July 1948) read (seniority 12th Dec. 1948). K. B. SIMPSON (3511818). D. J. Tye (4082031). 12th Apr. 1953. 13th Apr. 1953. M. Kiemel (2539695). B. A. Lester (3135021). D. E. Wilson (2536161). Promotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-1st May 1953. N. McD. Neal (204421). E. A. Vaughan (204426). S. N. Whittaker (204427). 14th Apr. 1953. R. L. Clark (2532319). A. Griffin (3511354). Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— K. B. Warner (582328). 2nd May 1953. G. S. WARBY (3134271). J. A. SMITHIES (4080186). 15th Apr. 1953. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F: C. O. Preston (8676). 4th May 1953. TECHNICAL BRANCH. Transfer between branches.
Pilot Officer B. A. Spry (582102) to the General Duties Branch, retaining his rank. 3rd Mar. 1953 (seniority 22nd Aug. 1952). Appointment to commission (permanent). As Pilot Officers: 2nd Apr. 1953. 572446 Sergeant Frank Herbert Gray (572446). 575196 Senior Technician Edward Stanley Short service commission relinquished.

Flight Officer M. F. Palmer (5358), W.R.A.F., retaining the rank of Squadron Officer. 1st May Frederick WRIGHT (575196). Appointment to commission (permanent), As Flying Officers (Branch Officers):— Warrant Officers. Warrant Officers.
2nd Apr. 1953.
561441 Henry George Aviss, M.B.E. (561441).
550376 Cyril Hugh Balmer (550376).
561459 Donald Blackmore, M.B.E. (561459).
511440 Angus Hambro Brinsley (511440).
562043 Arthur Colton (562043).
365695 Leslie Douglas Cousins (365695).
53013 John Donald (53013).
563633 Frederick Goodwin (563633).
364415 Stewart Edward Hammond, M.B.E. Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial.
Flying Officer M. J. McKail (née Maddicks) (2067066), W.R.A.F. 17th Feb. 1953. SECRETARIAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flying Officers (Branch Officers):— Warrant Officers. 2nd Apr. 1953. 518864 Reginald John Clarkson (518864)

(364415).

590739 Leslie Walter George Smith (590739).

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officers (six years on the active list) under A.M.O. A.269/51:—

Bernard James Lanning (57577). 23rd Mar. 1953 (seniority 28th Nov. 1951).

Edward Kay (46202). 30th Mar. 1953 (seniority 28th Nov. 1951).

26th Oct. 1949).

As Pilot Officer (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
3137565 Aircraftman 1st class Kenneth Maurice Henry Coleman (3137565). 26th Mar. 1953 (period of service to count from 26th Mar. 1953).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. L. Wood, D.F.M. (182378) is extended to eight years with effect from 9th Feb.

#### Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— H. Stansfield (2404707). 9th Mar. 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
A. D. Paxton (168990). 31st Oct. 1952.
K. F. T. DEWHIRST (2493593). 3rd May 1953.

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant M. F. V. Pearson (56353) to the Royal Air Force Regiment, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 16th Feb. 1953.

Transfer to reserve.
Pilot Officer J. V. Austin (née Theak) (2818556),
W.R.A.F. 1st Apr. 1953.
Flight Lieutenant H. W. Poultney (39337),
retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Apr.

Flying Officer R. SINCLAIR (177532), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 29th Mar. 1953.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Pilot Officer R. G. Crossley (3132130). 27th Apr. 1953.

National service commission relinquished.
Pilot Officers (on appointment to the reconstituted
R.A.F.V.R.):—
H. G. KEELING (4054781). 11th Jan. 1953.
H. COWAN (3131545). 8th Mar. 1953.

Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial.
Flight Lieutenant E. R. H. Scott (87970). 11th Mar. 1953.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flying Officers (Branch Officers):-

Warrant Officers.

2nd Apr. 1953, 933039 William Robert GODDARD (933039), 621107 Thomas Anthony HARTY (621107).

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Pilot Officer (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

William Ewan Gibbon (503092). 30th Mar. 1953 (seniority 10th Aug. 1951).

As Flying Officer (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
John Gould Dalton (503079). 30th Mar. 1953 (seniority 31st July 1949).

Notification amended.

14th Oct. 1952 (p. 5394, col. 1) concerning Leslie John AYLING (201938) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant (substituted for notification of 10th Mar. 1953 (p. 1373, col. 1).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant A. H. S. HICKS (137874) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 8th Apr. 1953 (seniority 23rd Jan. 1948).

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant A. E. W. LINES (105518) (and called up for air force service). 1st May 1953.

National service commission relinquished.

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

R. B. C. Harley (3131501). 6th Mar. 1953.

K. A. J. Brown (3131515). 8th Mar. 1953.

#### AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— J. GREGORY (154628). 5th May 1953.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— 3rd May 1953. A. V. R. Dyson (1602593). M. I. Orrey (3504727).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant W. A. FRIPP, D.F.C. (184807), to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 14th Apr. 1953.

Transfer to reserve.

Pilot Officer E. V. Russell (née Holland) (2816890), W.R.A.F. 15th Apr. 1953.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer D. L. WETHERALL (2507863) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.). 16th

#### AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: 1st May 1953.

W. G. Boggon, B.Sc. (3135108). W. R. Cox, B.Sc. (3135532). R. A. Dobbs, B.Sc. (2549141).

#### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Alan Vincent Watts, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502974). 24th Mar. 1953 (seniority 2nd Feb. 1953).

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Flying Officers:

S Flying Officers.—
30th Mar. 1953.
Frank Noel BAMFORD, M.B., Ch.B. (503058). Alan Paske Blower, M.B., B.Ch. (503089). Basil St. John Brown, M.B., B.S. (503044)

Brown, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S.,

Ian Michael E L.R.C.P. (503091). Edward Malcolm Coates, M.B., Ch.B. (503059). Desmond Edward Copas, M.B., B.Ch. (503060). John Lindsay Miller Corbet, M.B., B.S.

John (503077).

Allan Craig, M.B., Ch.B. (503076). Major David Eilenberg, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P.

(503070). Andrew FAIRLEY, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S.,

L.R.C.P. (503097).

Gerald Arthur FIELDSEND, M.B., Ch.B. (503052).

Horace John Griffiths, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

(503055).

Peter Griffiths, M.B., B.Ch. (503104). David Lakin Harrison, M.B., B.Ch. (503072). John Moorhouse Heaton, M.B., B.Ch., D.O. (503095)

William Douglas Stewart HEPBURN, M.B., Ch.B.

(503071).

Peter Edward Bruce Holmes, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502984).

Norman Kaye, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

(503069).

Martin Hamilton KEMP, M.B., B.S. (503073). Denis Keown, M.B., Ch.B. (503075)

Emanuel Lewis, M.B., B.S. (503108). Ronald Bernard Lewis, M.B., Ch.B. (503056).

Francis John Lowe, M.B., Ch.B. (503064). Eric John Mackay, M.B., Ch.B. (503062). Colin Alban Bryant McLaren, M.B., Ch.B.

(503083).

Joseph Alexander Stewart MITCHELL, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503085).

David Montague-Jackson, M.B., B.S. (503063).

James Silvester Mousley, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S.,

L.R.C.P. (503090).

Philip Norris, M.B., Ch.B. (503082).

Patrick Brian O'Reilly, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503014).

Stephen John Sidney Polwin, M.B., B.Ch., D.Obst.R.C.O.G. (503094).

PRICE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S.,

John Harding Price, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503096). Stanley Albert Seligman, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503088).

Leonard Paul Sheil, M.B., B.Ch. (503061). Fritz Starer, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.R.F.P.S.

Alun Philip THOMAS, M.B., B.Ch. (503067).

George William Waddy, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503087).
Robert Welton, M.B., Ch.B. (503086).
William Gilson Wenley, M.B., B.Ch. (503098).
David Stanley Wood, M.B., B.Ch. (503081).

Gerald Flowers, M.B., Ch.B. (503068). 7th Apr. 1953.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-

A. L. C. PACKHAM, M.B., B.S. (502272). Apr. 1953.

G. D. FORWELL, M.B., Ch.B. (502307). 1st May

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant T. C. NICOL, M.B., Ch.B. (203553) (and called up for air force service). 3rd May 1953.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenants

D. N. EDWARDS, M.B., B.S. (501847).
C. McCance, M.B., B.Ch. (501798).
R. Schofield, M.B., Ch.B. (501820).
S. P. Smith, M.B., Ch.B. (501800).
J. White, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.R.F.P. & S. (501822). M. J. WRIGHT, M.B., Ch.B. (501837).

National service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer A. V. WATTS, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502974) (on appointment to a short service commission). 24th Mar. 1953.

# MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flying Officers:—
2nd Apr. 1953.
539187 Flight Sergeant John Alexander Grant

938104 Sergeant Harold Wrathall (938104).

#### DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

Notification amended.

31st Mar. 1953 (p. 1798, col. 1) concerning
Donald Bramhall Hurst, B.D.S. (502684) for
(seniority 17th Dec. 1952) read (seniority 29th Sept. 1952).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
D. M. STORRAR, L.D.S. (502285). 1st Apr. 1953.
S. KEMPNER, B.D.S., L.D.S. (502321). 1st May

#### CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment as Chaplain-in-Chief.

The Rev. A. S. Giles, O.B.E., M.A. (in succession to The Rev. Canon L. WRIGHT, C.B.E., Q.H.C.), and promoted to the relative rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 17th Apr. 1953.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of the Rev. G. J. Monaghan, B.A. (501568), is extended to six years with effect from 27th Oct. 1950.

Retention on the active list.

The Rev. W. D. EYNON-WILLIAMS, M.A. (501134), is retained on the active list until 15th July 1953 with effect from 1st May 1953.

#### EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

8th Apr. 1953.

Neville Brian Siggs, B.A. (503078).

John Emlyn Thomas, M.A. (502961).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant K. TRUELOVE (131896) is extended until 30th Sept. 1953 with effect from 3rd May 1948.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. H. DAVIS. B.A. (501062) is extended until 17th July 1953 with effect from 18th Jan. 1950.

Promotion.

Flving Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— K. E. Heaward, B.Sc. (501310). 10th Apr. 1953,

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F.:— W. J. WEBB, B.A. (8564). 19th Apr. 1953.

Transfer to reserve.

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

3rd May 1953.

P. (Rose (59870). J. J. Whalen, B.A. (59852).

Notification cancelled. 23rd Jan. 1953 (p. 486, col. 1) concerning J. H. DAVIS, B.A. (501062).

Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant B. M. Soper, B.A. (1339334).
3rd May 1953.

#### CATERING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

(Nora Pamela Saunders (8720). 25th Mar. 1953.

#### PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer:—
2572407 Aircraftman 2nd class Harold Silver
Grant Murray (2572407). 2nd Apr. 1953.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer M. W. Stoneman (179624) is extended to seven years with effect from 1st May 1947.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer A. C. Pettit (153232) (and called up for air force service). 1st May 1953.

#### **PRINCESS** MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Officer:
J. METCALFE (406739). 17th Apr. 1953.

Commission resigned. Flying Officers:—

C. H. CHEVRIOT (née LANGFORD) (406841). 16th Mar. 1953: E. M. SADLER (407018). 1st Apr. 1953. G. S. WHALEY (406942). 11th Apr. 1953.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Extension of service, etc.
Squadron Leader H. West (34058) is granted an extension of service for five years with effect from 30th June 1952, and his war substantive rank of Squadron Leader is converted to substantive rank. 9th Aug. 1947 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenants:—
W. H. GEORGE, D.F.C. (159019) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.).

23rd Jan. 1953.

J. F. H. PETERS (42147) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 21st Mar. 1953. Flight Lieutenants (on appointment to the Royal

Canadian Air Force):—
G. S. MACHEN (59547). 27th Oct. 195
J. D. DURKIE (59580). 30th Jan. 1953.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer B. J. LANNING (57577) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 23rd Mar. 1953.

Commission relinquished (national service list).
Pilot Officer J. W. D. PARSONS (2486692) (on appointment to a short service commission in the (R.A.F.). 26th Mar. 1953.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant E. R. HARRIS, M.B., Ch.B. (501545) fon appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 3rd Dec. 1952.

# ROYAL AUXILLARY AIR FORCE. (Reconstituted.)

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve.
[Flight Lieutenant T. L. WRIGHT (103601), 8th

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Transfer to reserve.
Flight Lieutenant H. F. W. GEE (91359). 28th Feb. 1953.

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

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant E. J. BLACKWOOD (148119) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Apr. 1953.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer H. N. MILLSOM (170548) (on appointment to the Royal Australian Air Force General Reserve). 18th Sept. 1952.

# ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Notification amended.
28th Oct. 1952 (p. 5672, col. 2) concerning
H. D. A. Morgan (161134) for 21st Aug. 1952 read 1st July 1952.

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

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (until 10th June 1956):-Alec Pain (2500723). 5th Feb. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 7th July 1956):— James Wallace CREE (2502609). 1st Feb. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 11th July 1956):— Norman Eric Ellott (2506580). 8th Mar. 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 18th Aug. 1956):-15th Mar. 1953.

William Conrad Neville (3131621). Bertram Oliver Robins (3131640). Peter John Simpson (2507693).

As Pilot Officer (until 20th Aug. 1956): Peter Reginald MARTIN (2508028). 17th Mar. 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 25th Aug. 1956):—
22nd Mar. 1953.
Rodney Victor Berkeley (2508907).
Patrick Bertram Cliff (3131735).
Thomas Fraser (2508551).

As Pilot Officers (until 4th Sept. 1956):—
Stanley Gordon Pine (2509736). 29th Mar. 1953.
Norman David McLaren Leak (3131832). 31st Mar. 1953.

Extension of service.

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

W. S. LAKE, M.B.E., A.F.M. (111496). 19th Sept. 1952

R. N. THWAITE (63453). 30th Dec. 1952.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. J. McCormick (126636) is extended by two years with effect from 20th Jan. 1953.

#### Promotion

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Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

1st Mar. 1951.

D. BUCHANAN (205438) (seniority 4th May

1950). T. G. McEvoy (125148) (seniority 7th Dec. 1950).

1950).

F. A. CHAPMAN (199499). 18th Mar. 1951.
B. J. WATSON, A.F.C. (89311). 25th Aug. 1951 (seniority 25th May 1951).
W. H. HARRIS, D.F.C. (109983). 28th Aug. 1951.
C. G. DOWNING (164162). 6th Sept. 1951.
H. J. CLARK (166946). 29th Oct. 1951.
P. A. LUING (205687). 1st Dec. 1951.
M. V. FRANCIS (191448). 4th Dec. 1951.
J. C. SHEPPARD (197408). 14th Feb. 1952.
T. A. WALLER (133070). 19th Feb. 1952 (seniority 19th Nov. 1951).
E. C. STEWART, D.F.C. (87436). 26th Feb. 1952 (seniority 26th Nov. 1951).
D. G. GIBBINS (119136). 6th Apr. 1952.

G. K. Parkes (205126). 23rd Apr. 1952.
C. J. Veitch (191524). 24th Apr. 1952.
J. Baxter, D.F.C. (169722). 26th Apr. 1952.
A. HOULBROOK (197552). 9th May 1952.
J. Bartle (186180). 2nd June 1952.
R. H. Waddell (170866). 17th June 1952.
J. T. Stewart (199313). 8th July 1952.
H. Readhead (104500). 6th Aug. 1952 (seniority h May 1952).

H. READHEAD (104500). 6th Aug. 1952 (seniority 6th May 1952).

E. W. COWLE (205165). 12th Aug. 1952.

J. BRUCE (194451). 17th Aug. 1952.

A. H. WILLINGHAM (201659). 20th Aug. 1952.

M. WILSON (153432). 13th Sept. 1952.

J. GREGORY, D.F.C. (169095). 22nd Sept. 1952.

F. W. H. DARLINGTON, A.F.C. (80823). 23rd Sept. 1952 (senority 23rd June 1952).

T. W. BERRY (108624). 1st Oct. 1952 (seniority 1st July 1952)

1st July 1952).

1st July 1952).

L. R. DAVIES (189552). 11th Oct. 1952.

R. G. P. GREEN (197529). 14th Oct. 1952 (seniority 14th July 1952).

W. F. A. ISON (55588). 21st Oct. 1952.

J. SINDEN (178434). 24th Oct. 1952.

E. B. SPENCER (181739). 2nd Nov. 1952.

P. S. C. LONGHURST (163751). 12th Nov. 1952.

R. H. LYON (168206). 20th Nov. 1952.

J. C. COUPER, D.F.C. (185805). 21st Nov. 1952.

T. G. PARKER (104765). 4th Dec. 1952.

J. R. EDGAR, D.F.M. (190950). 9th Dec. 1952.

H. A. POMEROY, D.F.M. (182574). 16th Dec. 1952. 1952

952.

J. H. E. Moore (186919). 30th Dec. 1952.

J. K. HILL (189966). 5th Jan. 1953.

W. M. Jones, D.F.C. (183943). 8th Jan. 1953.

J. M. Hodgson, D.F.C. (189221). 16th Jan. 1953.

W. Hume (117494). 17th Jan. 1953.

W. A. Clarke (205421). 18th Jan. 1953.

L. Hemmings (165921). 4th Feb. 1953.

R. F. Millett (171804). 8th Feb. 1953.

A. W. P. Marshall (201465). 13th Feb. 1953.

S. A. L. Howes (198722). 16th Feb. 1953.

V. H. Usher (202847). 1st Mar. 1953.

G. E. Smith (180601). 5th Mar. 1953.

L. F. Cannon (186219). 10th Mar. 1953.

J. Jackson (172383). 12th Mar. 1953.

J. Murphy (199510). 27th Mar. 1953.

T. J. McColl (174293). 11th Apr. 1953.

G. Bedingfield (183260). 25th Apr. 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

A. L. Bussey (3117524), 23rd Nov. 1951.

E. J. Posey (3117952), 12th Jan. 1952.

M. C. Muir (3117092), 23rd Mar. 1952.

G. E. J. White (2605301), 3rd Sept. 1952.

W. A. Pritchard (2605793), 4th Oct. 1952.

D. Wilkinson (2487749), 5th Jan. (seniority 11th Nov. 1952).

D. WILKINSON (2487/49). 5th Jan, 1953 (seniority 11th Nov. 1952).

A. H. Westwood (187525). 8th Jan, 1953.

W. Verling (2602274). 13th Jan. 1953.

R. W. Crosby (2489626). 19th Jan. 1953 (seniority 11th Jan. 1953),

J. Burkill (2491657). 2nd Feb. 1953 (seniority 20th Nov. 1952).

L. Young (3126340). 17th Feb. 1953.

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Flight Lieutenants:—

J. P. Sparks (191973) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the R.A.F.). 1st Oct. 1952.

N. H. West (166090). 9th Jan. 1953.

L. C. Thomas (108177). 30th Jan. 1953.

F. H. Miller, A.F.M. (133545). 5th Mar. 1953.

A. E. L. Wigley (179776) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 14th Apr. 1953. 1953.

Flying Officers:—
B. E. BLERKOM (181012). 22nd Sept. 1952.
W. O. GIBBON (160031). 21st Oct. 1952.
J. A. WALL (166116). 12th Feb. 1953.
J. W. CUTLER (163481). 1st Mar. 1953.
G. WILKINSON (150872) (on enlistment in the

R.A.F.). 19th Mar. 1953.

Pilot Officers:— W. J. DAVIES (1890537). 3rd Jan. 1953. D. C. King (1812266). 24th Jan. 1953.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (until 17th June 1956):—

Harry George Keeling (4054781). 11th Jan.

As Pilot Officer (until 11th Aug. 1956):— Herbert Cowan (3131545). 8th Mar. 1953.

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Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (until 7th Aug. 1956):— Richard Brian Charles HARLEY (3131501). 6th

Mar. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 11th Aug. 1956): Kenneth Aubrey James Brown (3131515). 8th Mar. 1953.

#### FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (until 19th Aug. 1956):—
David Lancaster Wetherall (2507863). 16th Mar. 1953.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. TRAINING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officers (four years):-26th Jan. 1953.

Bertram Frank CURRIE (205989) (seniority 13th

Feb. 1951). James Chatburn (205960) (seniority 22nd Feb. 1951).

George Buckley (205961) (seniority 30th Mar. 1951).

Kenneth George Talbot (205968) (seniority 4th June 1951).

John Forbes MacDonald (205985) (seniority 1st Nov. 1951).

John Simmonds (205963) (seniority 21st Dec. 1951).

George Edward Bristow (205966) (seniority 2nd Apr. 1952)

Harold Bradshaw (3053231) (seniority 16th Apr. 1952

Gordon Raymond Cross (205967) (seniority 5th

May 1952).

Derek James (205969) (seniority 30th May 1952).

Charles HITCHCOCK (205981) (seniority William Charles HITCHCOCK (205981) (seniority 20th June 1952).

William Stewart Brown Porteous (205944) (seniority 27th June 1952).
Gerald Daniel Conybear (205980) (seniority Brown Porteous (205944)

3rd July 1952).

John ASHCROFT (205964) (seniority 4th July

Caradog Talfryn Jones (205959) (seniority 27th July 1952 John Philip LAWRENCE (205977) (seniority 15th

Aug. 1952).

Douglas Rhodes Renton (205987) (seniority 29th Aug. 1952).

Eric Davidson BRUCE (205975) (seniority 16th Sept. 1952).

Arthur FORDHAM (205978) (seniority 18th Sept. 1952).

Charles Frederick FOSTER (205979) (seniority 19th Sept. 1952).

Peter Stewart Bowis (205976) (seniority 23rd Sept. 1952).

James Guest (205973) (seniority 24th Sept. 1952). William Grant (205988) (seniority 26th Sept. 1952).

Joseph Drysdale Tweddle (3024514) (seniority 3rd Oct. 1952).

James Roger Shirtcliff (205990) (seniority 11th

Oct. 1952)

Paul Gilson Wenley (205986) (seniority 28th Nov. 1952)

Roy David Holman (205972) (seniority 6th Dec.

Thomas Frederick Carter (205971) (seniority 30th Dec. 1952).

Albert Geoffrey Dawson (205974) (seniority 15th Jan. 1953).

Promotion

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
G. R. B Jones (199721). 5th Sept. 1951 F. R. PADGHAM (205688). 16th Sept. 1952.

11th Oct. 1952. A. W. FINDLEY (1095817). A. B. F. TAYLOR (1816979)

F. J. D. PRICE (205597). 10th Jan. 1953.

1st Feb. 1953, E. J. Kitching (2210505), J. S. Ledgard (1060328).

W. G. Duff (1021119). 5th Feb. 1953. N. A. K. Wren (1050601). 6th Feb. 1953. C. Weir (1796400). 20th Feb. 1953. C. E. Savage (205618). 22nd Feb. 1953. G. Craig (1610949). 1st Mar. 1953. H. J. Casselden (550719). 5th Mar. 1953.

8th Mar. 1953.

W. Longridge (205721). W. SMITH (654091).

J. N. DEAN (1677299). 28th Mar. 1953.

30th Mar. 1953.

D. BAXTER (205640) J. L. Mason (2056656).

N. Marsh (1107457). 31st Mar. 1953.

# WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE RESERVE.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL **DUTIES** BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.
Section Officer W. E. NESS (6858) (on appointment to the Women's Royal Australian Air Force). 19th Mar. 1951.