

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

S. E. WEBB (121971). 31st May 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

N. ROBERTS-ARNOLD (2607496). 20th Aug. 1953.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Promotion.**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer* :—

M. COULSON (3117588). 1st Sept. 1953.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer R. J. WILLIAMS (148187) and ceases to command No. 2609 (West Riding) Light Anti-Aircraft Squadron. 6th Aug. 1953.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant* :—

D. P. DIXON (181722). 31st Aug. 1953.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.*Promotion.**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant* :—

R. K. W. GLOVER, D.F.C. (142033). 27th June 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

E. BIRTWELL (3123265). 1st Aug. 1953.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F. :—

E. I. St. C. CUMMINGS (2663667). 21st Apr. 1953.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer H. CAMPBELL, D.F.M. (158556). 6th Aug. 1953.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Emergency commission section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank* :—*Squadron Leaders* :—

H. L. HIBBS (138372). 9th May 1953.

A. E. L. SKINNER, M.C. (72940). 22nd July 1953.

Flight Lieutenants :—

C. W. RICHARDS (145720). 19th Dec. 1952.

G. E. KELLY (153937). 20th Apr. 1953.

J. T. EDWARDS, D.S.O., D.F.C. (142509). 2nd July 1953.

Flying Officer F. D. NETHERCOTT (196222). 7th Feb. 1953.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.**The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank* :—

Wing Commander R. F. POTTER (75317). 27th May 1953.

Squadron Leaders :—

G. R. GOODALL (189728). 15th Apr. 1953.

G. L. COLEMAN (72554). 3rd June 1953.

R. W. W. PALMER (81196). 4th June 1953.

Flight Lieutenants :—

E. G. EVANS (133284). 14th Apr. 1953.

E. J. MARGRETT (133296). 28th May 1953.

L. W. TERRY (76942). 1st July 1953.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant G. E. GRIFFITHS, M.B., B.S. (202851) (on appointment to the Territorial Army). 26th May 1953.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (five years)* :—

Brian Macmahon KING (2600206). 7th Feb. 1953.

As Flight Lieutenant (two years) :—

Robert Lyle James BARBOUR, D.F.C. (125456). 4th Aug. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (two years) :—

Terence Claude HEMBRY (910871). 18th Jan. 1953.

As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (two years) :—

Joseph Anthony CADE (2600266). 25th Jan. 1953.

Frederick David CRETNEY (2607830). 30th Apr. 1953.

Grahame Otto HAUSER (2608819). 17th May 1953.

Ian MATTHEW (2600338). 18th May 1953.

As Pilot Officer (for the balance of five years) :—

Ronald George MITCHELL (2602521). 14th June 1953 (period of service to count from 15th Nov. 1952).

As Acting Pilot Officers on probation (for the balance of five years) :—

John Cameron ROBERTSON (2600196). 16th Mar. 1953 (period of service to count from 23rd Nov. 1950).

Robin Michael DAKIN (2608078). 25th Apr. 1953 (period of service to count from 17th Nov. 1951).

John Raymond BOSTOCK (2600612). 26th Apr. 1953 (period of service to count from 18th Nov. 1950).

John Barty NEWMANN (2607916). 30th Apr. 1953 (period of service to count from 25th Nov. 1950).

Frederick Henry PIERCE (2600086). 5th May 1953 (period of service to count from 15th Nov. 1950).

Ian Leslie SMITH (2608175). 19th May 1953 (period of service to count from 12th Nov. 1951).

Patrick Graham LOWE (2608366). 25th May 1953 (period of service to count from 4th Dec. 1951).

9th June 1953.

David Dunlop EWART (2600198) (period of service to count from 20th Nov. 1950).

John Edward MAY (2600199) (period of service to count from 20th Nov. 1950).

Alan Kennedy PRIE (5007454) (period of service to count from 20th Nov. 1950).

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (for the balance of four years) :—

William LAING (2600366). 18th May 1953 (period of service to count from 28th Feb. 1952).

As Pilot Officer (until 22nd Oct. 1956) :—

Albert Joseph BROWNE (2514586). 19th Aug. 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 28th Nov. 1956) :—

Cyril ALLAN (2517318). 22nd June 1953.

As Pilot Officer (until 3rd Dec. 1956) :—

Roy Max LEAVESLEY (2518183). 3rd Aug. 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 24th Dec. 1956) :—

19th July 1953.

Michael Geoffrey CHALLIS (2520700).

Roy Bruce JOHNSTON (3132925).

As Pilot Officer (until 25th Dec. 1956) :—

Eric ROBERTSHAW (2521151). 20th July 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 1st Jan. 1957) :—

26th July 1953.

William BARKER (2521596).

David Gwilym JONES (2521641).

As Pilot Officers (until 15th Jan. 1957) :—

Robert Stephen CLARK (3133241). 8th Aug. 1953.

Arnold PITCHER (2523526). 9th Aug. 1953.

As Pilot Officers (until 16th Jan. 1957) :—

10th Aug. 1953.

Roy Leslie BETTS (3133264).

Robert William Barnhurst DAVIES (3133266).

Patrick Frank HOBBS (2523778).

As Pilot Officers (until 23rd Jan. 1957) :—

Keith Henderson LYNN (2524706). 22nd July 1953.

Stanley Alfred WADE (2524806). 18th Aug. 1953

As Pilot Officers (until 7th Feb. 1957) :—

1st Sept. 1953.

James David Denholm BROWN (2525703).

David John CHALLIS (3133467).

John Frederick HOON (2525706).

John William HUNTER (2525742).

Robin JONES (2525794).

Colin Vaughan PRITCHARD (2525844).

Derek Roy SLADE (2525799).