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Notification amended. 27th July 1954 (p. 4383, col. 1) concerning E. D. BEAUMONT (194358) should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Extension of service.

- The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant A. N. MOULT (183939) is extended to eleven years with effect from 26th Sept. 1946. The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer P. BORRETT (4075634) is extended to eight years with effect from 8th Aug. 1951.
- Promotion
  - Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :---A. P. Elphick (1811760). 8th Aug. 1954. F. N. Slaymaker (31116001). 15th Aug. 1954.

  - Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :--J. A. CHIDGEY (4084056). 2nd Apr. 1954. E. D. W. RUSSELL (3135979). 29th July 1954. B. W. H. TOOMER (4097640). 7th Aug. 1954.

    - B. W. H. TOOMER (403/040).
      12th Aug. 1954.
      W. H. AKISTER (1921/700).
      J. E. ALLEN (408/1427).
      D. V. ASH (4096983).
      W. J. BROWN (2533228).
      D. Collins (3:11/1658).
      R. A. COWLING (4080250).
      R. D. DAY (4076326).
      A. J. JEFFERY (351/2201).
      B. W. KELLY (4084/138).
      I. D. B. LEFHANE (253/4249).

    - J. D. B. LEEHANE (2534249)
    - G. H. MULHOLLAND (2600968). G. C. SYKES (584349). L. W. F. WHEELER (2409486).

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned to the Secretarial Branch.

- Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank :---J. SINCLAIR (55682). 23rd July 1954 (seniority 25th Feb. 1949). A. N. MOULT (183939). 26th July 1954 (seniority 19th July 1950).

Pilot Officer M. B. PAYNE (3138304) retaining his existing rank and seniority. 26th July 1954.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to the Aircraft Control Branch, retaining their rank :-

12th July 1954. A. J. WEBSTER (186173) (seniority 16th Sept. 1950).

J. H. VERRALL, D.F.C. (58842) (seniority 4th Oct. 1950).

Transfer between branches and reversion to lower rank.

Flight Lieutenant R. S. WILLIAMS, D.F.M. (189145) to the Fighter Control Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 18th July 1954 (seniority 24th June 1951).

Notification amended.

27th July 1954 (p. 4384, col. 1) concerning E. D. BEAUMONT (194358) should have appeared under the heading ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE and not ROYAL AIR FORCE.

- Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant R. W. STEPHENS (186874). 19th July 1954. Flying Officer R. E. KEMP (4048584). 20th July

1954

Retirement.

Wing Commander G. W. CORY, A.F.C. (40677) (at own request). 24th July 1954. Flying Officer E. BOURNE (2365894) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 27th July 1954.

Short service commission relinguished. Pilot Officer G. R. URQUHART-PULLEN (351/1783) (on appointment to a permanent commission). 20th Jan. 1954.

Acting Pilot Officer P. R. BAYLIS (4137587) (on appointment to a national service commission). 5th July 1954.

Emergency commission relinquished. Flying Officer J. F. DONALD (56435) (on enlist-ment in the R.Aux.A.F.) 12th Apr. 1952 (and subsequently granted permission to retain rank on appointment to a commission in the R.Aux.A.F. 28th June 1954).

 Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.
 National service commission relinquished.

 Pilot Officer W. B. MAISH (2548644) (on appoint-ment to a permanent commission). 31st Mar. 1954.

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

27th June 1954. B. A. Evans (2560799). J. N. Johnston (2561095).

M. G. FEATHER (2561428). 28th June 1954. W. B. HIGHET (2561735). 29th June 1954. 28th June 1954.

4th July 1954. J. F. DALTON (2562219). G. ELLIOTT (2562212).

- N. I. CAMERON (2562415). 5th July 1954. J. V. KELLY (2562652). 10th July 1954. J. H. CODLING (2563054). 11th July 1954.

Commission terminated.

- Pilot Officers: —
   A. S. LEESON (4116424). 30th July 1954.
   M. D. M. EVANS (4102012). 11th Aug. 1954.
   D. H. R. CARTER (4099063). 16th Aug. 1954.

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Appointment to commission (short service).

- As Pilot Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve). John Albert BENNETT, B.Sc. (503592). 24th June
  - 1954.

15th July 1954. Peter Bernard BUNN (503409). Terence Stanley Higgins, B.Sc. (503522).

John Bevil HILTON (503666). John Kay (503593).

John Arthur William McDonald (503705).

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer :--Peter Roy BAYLIS (4137587). 5th July 1954 (seniority 5th July 1954) (period of service to count from 13th Oct. 1953).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader A. BAIN (116043) is extended to ten years with effect from 14th Nov. 1946.

Promotion

- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-15th Aug. 1954. J. S. HUMPHRIES (574502). [С. Е. [HUNTER (563334). А. G. WILMOT (553207).

- Pilot Officer to Flying Officer 11th Aug. 1954. D. Darling (502942). R. T. F. Lyon (502930). M. L. SMITH (502950).

12th Aug. 1954. W. D. Askham (3137962). D. W. Jones, B.Sc. (503256).

- Transfer to reserve. Flying Officer J. J. SHARP, B.Sc. (501992). 8th Aug. 1954.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

7th Aug. 1954.

*Bilot Officers :-- IL. T. G. GRAHAM (3137695).* 7th Aug. 19:
 *I. S. M. PAUL (3137825).* 15th Aug. 1954.

Emergency list commission relinquished. Flying Officer R. A. JONES (52041) (on attesting for service with the Royal New Zealand Air Force). 12th July 1954.

A ppointment to commission. Notification amended. 12th July 1949 (p. 3391, col. 1) concerning 357284 Lionel Nelson Turr (158870) for (seniority 12th Aug. 1948) read (seniority 12th Aug. 1947). 29th Nov. 1949 (p. 5662, col. 2) concerning Frank William MURPHY (500958) for (seniority 13th June 1947) read (seniority 13th June 1946). 21st Feb. 1950 (p. 918, col. 1) concerning Terence William STARRS (501027) for (seniority 7th Aug. 1949) read (seniority 7th Aug. 1948). 31st Oct. 1950 (p. 5428, col. 1) concerning Harry PATTERSON (501097) for (seniority 14th Jan. 1949) read (seniority 14th Jan. 1948).

Retirement. Flight Lieutenants

15th Aug. 1954. C. A. L. Cooper (49707). A. E. R. FINN (54220).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

ppointment to commission.