

Extension of service.

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

Flight Lieutenants —

C. E. G. ERL (150969). 2nd Oct. 1953.
 F. R. GREEN (86639). 15th Oct. 1953.
 M. F. MOORE (130987). 8th Dec. 1953.
 F. C. GEARING (135084). 10th Dec. 1953.
 N. A. FLAHEY (1810256). 30th Dec. 1953.
 W. E. J. BISHOP (150494). 31st Dec. 1953.
 R. W. J. HANNAFORD (198027). 12th Jan. 1954.
 J. GORMAN (156007). 19th Jan. 1954.
 F. A. ROTHERHAM (102124). 25th Jan. 1954.
 L. L. FLETCHER, D.F.C. (148573). 2nd Feb. 1954.

Flying Officer J. V. PRICE, D.F.M. (174947). 28th Nov. 1953.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant R. S. FLIGHT, D.F.C. (159876) is extended until 18th June 1954, with effect from 22nd Nov. 1953.

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned to the Aircraft Control Branch —

Flight Lieutenant A. F. LUMMIS (196544), retaining his rank. 26th July 1954 (seniority 11th Mar. 1953).

The undermentioned retaining their existing rank and seniority —

24th July 1954.

Flying Officer J. H. BONSER (163932).

Pilot Officer A. BRAZIER (3133670).

The undermentioned Flying Officers to the Airfield Construction Branch, retaining their rank —

M. CHILMAN (2601459). 20th July 1954 (seniority 10th Feb. 1954).

D. E. ILLENDEN (185359) retaining his existing seniority. 26th July 1954.

Transfer between branches and promotion.

Pilot Officer F. HOLDEN (2539395) to the Airfield Construction Branch, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 24th July 1954 (seniority 17th Apr. 1954).

Transfer between branches and reversion to lower rank.

Flight Lieutenant E. H. BARTON (197817) to the Aircraft Control Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 21st July 1954 (seniority 13th Jan. 1950).

Flight Lieutenant A. S. GARDNER (204628) to the Physical Fitness Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 17th Aug. 1954 (seniority 16th Feb. 1950).

Commission relinquished.**Flight Lieutenants —**

W. J. ROBERTSON (178365). 10th Aug. 1953.
 M. E. CRANSTON (168794). 10th Dec. 1953.
 I. A. ROBERTSON, D.F.C. (86636). 5th Jan. 1954.
 O. E. ALLITT (164018). 11th Jan. 1954.
 A. W. DEAN (161391). 17th Jan. 1954.
 H. OLIVER (173780). 19th Jan. 1954.
 J. B. PARKER (181395). 21st Feb. 1954.
 J. BUIST (190103) (on appointment to the R. Aux. A.F.). 23rd Apr. 1954.
 R. M. G. VARLEY (179686). 19th May 1954.
 R. S. FLIGHT, D.F.C. (159876). 19th June 1954.
 R. WEBDELL (124211) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 16th Aug. 1954.

Flying Officers —

10th Dec. 1953.

B. EVANS (164038).

E. H. EVANS, D.F.C. (185382).

H. E. PEARCE (81692). 3rd Jan. 1954.

4th Jan. 1954.

T. K. BRADSHAW (167012).

D. S. CAMERON (150848).

D. E. BRUCE (196275). 15th Jan. 1954.

H. F. PERRIN (3039096). 31st Jan. 1954.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force (Auxiliary)) —

A. R. LANSDOWN (2600188). 14th Apr. 1954.

J. R. SMART (3128710). 15th June 1954.

Pilot Officer Lady BROCKLEHURST (2654795), W.R.A.F.V.R. 1st Sept. 1954.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer A. NICOLL (179440). 20th June 1954.

Miscellaneous.

The permission granted to Flying Officer A. NICOLL (179440) to retain his rank, notified in 30th Aug. 1949 (p. 4178, col. 2) is withdrawn with effect from 20th June 1954.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flight Lieutenant E. S. ALLCOTT (120095). 12th Sept. 1954.

Flying Officer V. D. EDWARDS (177920). 8th Apr. 1954.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flying Officer J. A. FLEET (134240) is extended by five years with effect from 1st Feb. 1954.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Extension of service.**

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

G. E. NOBES (112214). 23rd May 1954.

K. J. MACKINTOSH (69468). 5th Aug. 1954.

E. T. HAWLEY (62061). 9th Aug. 1954.

H. K. HAWKES (181866). 7th Sept. 1954.

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

O. D. G. DAVIES (106442). 6th Sept. 1954.

J. E. LUSH (134760). 12th Sept. 1954.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: —

E. THOMAS (168623). 14th Sept. 1953.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer S. C. WILSON (155733). 7th Sept. 1954.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.**Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flying Officer C. G. STEPHENS (978257) is extended by five years with effect from 25th June 1954.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Pilot Officer (until 3rd Dec. 1957): —

Gordon Richard ACASTER (2547835). 28th June 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 11th Dec. 1957): —

Roy FIELDS (2562629). 6th July 1954.

As Pilot Officer (until 6th Feb. 1958): —

John Christopher PELL (2568225). 31st Aug. 1954.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer: —

J. G. SMYTHSON (2505771). 1st July 1954.

MEDICAL BRANCH.**Commission relinquished.**

Flight Lieutenant R. MATHIESON, M.B., Ch.B. (500120) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 20th June 1954.

DENTAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flight Lieutenant (until 2nd Jan. 1958): —

John Ernest Monkhouse COOPER, L.D.S. (502406). 27th July 1954.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**TRAINING BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officers (four years): —

Peter Edward George DURNFORD, D.F.M. (128994). 12th May 1954.

Edwin ROBERTS, D.F.M. (48092). 6th July 1954.

As Pilot Officers (four years): —

Raymond Samuel BINGHAM (2680589). 23rd June 1954.

Donald Alfred GARNER (206168). 29th June 1954.

Edward William James WHITTAKER (206169). 9th July 1954.