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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Flight Lieutenant :---Denis John Stuart FOARD (3033129). 24th Mar. 1955.

William Francis BURKE (137445). Douglas Gowing (154320).

Kenneth Sam RANDLE, D.F.M. (187164).

Henry Thomas TURNER, D.F.C. (160741). 15th Mar. 1955.

As Flying Officer (Branch List) :---Roy George Baker (155941). 1st Dec. 1954.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51. As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List) :---

Ist Jan. 1955. Ist Jan. 1955. Jack SMITH, D.F.M. (187564). Gerald Frank WALDEN, D.F.C. (202862).

As Flying Officer (Branch List):--Peter Stuart Brown, D.F.C. (195045). 1st Jan. 1955

Appointment to a direct commission. As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :--4159443 Cadet Pilot John Gilbert WINFIELD (4159443). 23rd Feb. 1955 (period of service to count from 10th Nov. 1954).

Transfer to a direct commission.

- As Flying Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):---Michael Charles NASH (3132039). 4th Jan. 1955
- (period of service to count from 18th Mar. 1953).
- 1st Feb. 1955. Eric John Scales (2520191) (period of service to count from 7th Apr. 1953). Peter Gibson SINCLAIR (2519340) (period of ser-vice to count from 24th Mar. 1953). Geoffrey Raymond STURT (2530673) (period of service to count from 29th May 1952).

8th Feb. 1955. David HURLEY (2502532) (period of service to count from 14th Dec. 1953). Terence Patrick MULLIGAN (3131906) (period of

service to count from 18th Mar. 1953).

Keith HENDERSON (2547735), 10th Feb. 1955 (period of service to count from 25th Oct. 1953). Charles Ernest WILKS (3132756). 18th Feb. 1955 (period of service to count from 21st June 1953). Edward Gee SIMON (2548261). 9th Apr. 1955 (period of service to count from 6th May 1953). William James MORRIS (181318). 16th Apr. 1955 (period of service to count from 7th Nov. 1951).

Appointment to commission (short service). As Flight Lieutenants (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— 20th Apr. 1955 (seniority 20th Apr. 1955). Frederick Lørne LITCHFIELD (39209). Michael Frank MACKINTOSH (155252).

Alfred Harold DUTTON (54173) (seniority 6th

Dec. 1952). Alan HOWARD (58987) (seniority 18th Thomas Apr. 1952).

David Prichard THOMAS (132684). 22nd Apr. 1955 (seniority 16th Dec. 1953).

Confirming and regrading.

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

5th May 1955.

- 5th May 195: J. P. BARKER (3517715). T. H. BREWER (2712598). H. I. S. CLARKE (4143072). B. F. A. CLINCH (3517714). R. S. CRAIGIE (3517002). C. H. DONNE (4137593). D. B. G. DOWNEY (4143090). P. J. FARRIS (4142520). C. J. FLINT (2715920). B. R. JONES (4142518). A. B. KENNEDY (4142522)

- A. B. KENNEDY (4142522).
 A. J. LANDON (4143635).
 D. B. LEECH (4143081).
 C. E. MARSH (4142521).

- Ť, A. NEWBIGGING (4143074).
- B. A. NICE (4144173). J. NORTHEN (4144172)
- G. M. PEARCE (4143082). T. R. A. SHEPHERD (4143091). R. G. E. SMITH (3124801).

R. Smith (4143628). D. J. Tompkinson (4116411).

Confirming, regrading and transfer between branches. Acting Pilot Officer on probation R. C. NEWBERY (4142523) is confirmed in appointment, regraded as Pilot Officer and transferred to the Technical Branch as Pilot Officer. 26th Apr. 1955 (seniority 26th Apr. 1955.)

Adjustment of period of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant R. HOLMES (154288) is adjusted to six years on the active list and four years on the reserve with effect from 3rd May 1951.

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.

The period of service of Acting Pilot Officer R. C. NEWBERY (4142523) is adjusted to four years on the active list and four years on the reserve (on transfer to the Technical Branch) with effect from 26th Apr. 1955.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended to twelve years with effect from the dates stated.

- Flight Lieutenants :---S. F. JOHNSON (3045939). 4th June 1947. A. GUEST (1457828). 20th Oct. 1947. G. MALPASS (178801). 29th Aug. 1951.

G. MALPASS (178801). 29th Aug. 1951. Flying Officers: --J. G. MILLAR (3213038). 20th Jan. 1947. J. E. MCDONALD (3504568). 31st Aug. 1948. P. D. GOODING (4004414). 19th Jan. 1949. H. MARSHALL (3122668). 3rd Nov. 1949. W. B. P. HUGHES (1324133). 28th Nov. 1949. P. R. P. OSBORNE (582341). 1st Dec. 1949. J. E. HITCHCOCK (582371). 11th Jan. 1950. S. N. ORR (4043977). 14th June 1950. A. JACKSON (3044006). 17th July 1950. H. FRY (583365). 24th Aug. 1950. E. P. GILLARD (4050768). 30th Oct. 1950. A. MCCULLY (2480123). 1st Nov. 1950. W. W. HILL (2486653). 8th Nov. 1950. J. A. HUGHES (583844). 6th Dec. 1950. I. T. JOLLY (4054423). 10th Jan. 1951. 17th Jan. 1951. 17th Jan. 1951. M. Jenkins (583745). J. A. Anderson (3503617). N. E. H. GILBERT (4058991). 14th Feb. 1951. J. LAW (584062). 27th June 1951. 8th Aug. 1951. T. A. Hoare (4076373). R. A. Norman (3510872). A. R. D. NEWMAN (4076335). 15th Aug. 1951.
R. C. MORING (1422399). 17th Aug. 1951.
W. W. KENT (1864195). 12th Sept. 1951.
E. A. MCCULLAGH (4080933). 10th Oct. 1951.
E. A. H. HINES (1715053). 31st Oct. 1951. 19th Dec. 1951. G. A. Etches (3511886). A. C. Jones (4086720). C. E. W. OSBORNE (4082542). 2nd Jan. 1952. 30th Jan. 1952. P. W. Lewis (4089533). D. W. Lovell (4088910). G. W. Nettleship (4019281). B. MILNE (2536866). 6th Feb. 1952. 13th Feb. 1952. J. Foster (4091486). T. A. Hastings (3512189). 27th Feb. 1952. R. E. Evans (4034653). J. D. E. HENLY (4048072) T. A. HODGSON (2546074). B. V. LITTLE (582060). 12th Mar. 1952. M. P. BOWKER (4094027). J. G. LEWIS (3500337). B. J. MATHER (3512564). I. B. GREGSON (4105108). 5th Aug. 1952. Pilot Officers In O Unicers — J. Gower (4103356). 12th Aug. 1952. D. T. LACEY (4111026). 1st Oct. 1952. M. HOCKADAY (2573402). 26th Nov. 1952. R. W. J. HOUGHTON (578890). 11th Mar. 1953. B. J. JONES (4124525). 8th Apr. 1953. Promotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :--G. J. DIBDIN (579661). 2nd May 1955.
M. J. MIDDLEMIST (4038157). 11th May 1955.
M. MACDERMID (2600507). 14th May 1955.
J. W. A. ELIAS (4037885). 15th May 1955.
C. A. SIMPSON (2435586). 21st May 1955.
W. H. HARDING (190651). 23rd May 1955.

Flying Officer to Flight Officer, W.R.A.F. :--E. N. CAMPBELL (7224). 11th May 1955. 14th May 1955. R. V. CROOK (4119242). G. R. LEWIS (4115147). M. D. O. MANNAKEE (2573043) H. I. WHITLE (4117627). D. W. J. WILLMOTT (2541626). 15th May 1955. D. T. BREESE (584624). R. H. G. KITCATT (585137). 19th May 1955. G. R. HIGLEY (3514061) W. McCluggage (3225007). R. D. WATERFIELD (4104038). R. D. WALKER (4092658). 20th May 1955. C. E. D. WILLIAMSON (2546878). 21st May 1955. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.: S. M. Argent (2820741). 14th May 1955. Transfer between branches. Pilot Officer D. M. NELSON (2590148) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 18th Apr. 1955. Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenants : 1st May 1955. R. POTTS (176963). J. A. RICHARDS, D.F.M. (185953). R. TWIZELL (189876). S. H. GUY (159895). 8th May 1955. 15th May 1955. H. CROOK, D.F.C. (175071). M. H. FLACK (201932). A. MACLEAN (202380). J. E. MILNER (201936). S. SPARKES (175160). A. C. FARRELL (190942). 16th May 1955. 18th May 1955. R. G. Allen, D.F.C. (132169). T. J. E. Michael (164465). Forfeiture of seniority. Flying Officer D. R. NEWMAN (4065474) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 14th Apr. 1955) as if his appointment as Flying Officer bore date 11th Qct. 1953. Retirement. Group Captains :---J. G. GLEN, O.B.E. (at own request). 1st Apr. 1955. K. F. T. PICKLES, O.B.E. 1st May 1955. Wing Commander H. P. JENKINS, D.F.C. (26234). Sth May 1955. Flight Lieutenant J. E. FINCH (3129465) (at own request). 23rd Apr. 1955. Short service commission relinquished. Pilot Officer D. Wood (4113869) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 5th May 1955. National service commission relinquished. Pilot Officers R.A.F.V.R.) :---(on appointment to the P. Q. WARNER (2579371). 23rd Jan. 1955. D. DOIG (2579803). 13th Feb. 1955. V. G. MORTON-SMITH (2579877). 21st Feb. 1955. G. WALKER (2584654). 20th Mar. 1955. R. K. KING (2580082). 28th Mar. 1955. G. B. BENNETT (3140124). 9th Apr. 1955. R. T. DAWSON (2586578). 11th Apr. 1955. Commission terminated. Flying Officers :---B. D. T. MURPHY (4102038). 20th Apr. 1955. R. K. HUNTER (4083087). 14th May 1955. Pilot Officers :----R. E. CULVER (4147996) (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.), 26th Apr. 1955. K. DANKS (4101342). 4th May 1955. Acting Pilot Officers :---W. DUNLOP (4144673). 31st Mar. 1955. W. B. BUDGE (4137104). 4th May 1955.

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J. K. A. BLEASDALE (2577376). 5th Dec. 1954. C. J. Gosling (2578439). 26th Dec. 1954.

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Transfer to reserve (national service list). Pilot Officer J. W. ARMFIELD (2583745). 7th May TECHNICAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission (short service). As Pilot Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):-FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH. 24th Mar. 1955 National service commission relinquished. Gwyn Lewis DAVIES, B.Sc. (504143). Edward John SCANES (504188). James Charles Thow, B.Sc. (504173). R.A.F.V.R.) : James Hart Jones (504229). 14th Apr. 1955. Promotion. AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH. Appointment to commission (temporary). As Flying Officer:--Peter Alfred FLANIGAN (504171). 14th Apr. 1955. 18th May 1955. J. R. FARRIN (503410). B. A. MAIR (503408). Temporary commission relinquished. Group Captain R. W. J. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.: A. M. MACKINTOSH, B.Sc. (8735). 18th May 1955. Retirement. Wing Commander T. U. POLLITT, O.B.E. (35278). 22nd Apr. 1955. Squadron Leader H. V. W. EVANS (44027), re-taining the rank of Wing Commander. 6th July 1955. EQUIPMENT BRANCH. Promotion Difficer to Flying Officer :- D. H. GAMBLE (4095290). 20th May 1955.
 M. J. NEWMAN (2558508). 21st May 1955. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer, W.R.A.F.:-B. F. MASON (2821190). 14th May 1955. Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenants 15th May 1 W. W. Aldridge (129202). J. Cartwright (171447). 1955. Pilot Officer J. R. CURRIE (2822626), W.R.A.F. 19th Apr. 1955. SECRETARIAL BRANCH. Promotion Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :---A. S. GREENWOOD (2543558). 14th May 1955. Notification amended. 22nd Feb. 1955 (p. 1077, col. 1) concerning J. E. A. PARKER (592044) for 21st Oct. 1953 read 21st July 1953. SUMNER (196060). 8th May 1955. T. E. LEGGE, D.F.C. (177716). 12th May 1955. Т. G. SMITH (137732). 14th May 1955. Transfer to reserve (national service list). Pilot Officers :---J. M. DE LLANOS (2587627). 2nd May 1955. A. L. WELBY (4126401). 8th May 1955. J. O. R. DARBY (2588977). 16th May 1955. Commission resigned. Flight Lieutenant J. V. GWINN (173173). 23rd Apr. 1955. ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT. Appointment to commission (permanent). As Flight Lieutenant : Roderick James PAGE (203016). 1st Oct. 1954. **Promotion** Filot Officer to Flying Officer :— G. W. STOCKDALE (2507658). 1st Mar. 1955. 13th May 1955. P. DAVIES (2529441). M. J. HANCOCK (4063831). J. A. MOIR (4085273). 21st May 1955. D. J. BROWN (2558498). P. B. GRAY (4102739). J. M. MOFFAT (3514679). D. STONE (3510059). Transfer to reserve. Wing Commander E. JOHNSON (500718). May 1955. 16th 12th May 1955. J. E. L. P. HOGGARTH (500725). 16th May 1955.

Group Captain R. W. JACKSON, M.A., A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.W.E., retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 30th Jan. 1955. Squadron Leader H. D. M. SEYMOUR, B.Eng., A.M.I.C.E. (135164), retaining his rank. 21st Apr. 1955. Flight Lieutenants :----E. H. PHIPPS, A.I.E.E. (502156). 1955. 12th Apr. A. J. HAVELOCK (502213). 3rd May 1955. Pilot Officer E. J. STANDFIELD, A.I.A.A. (502324). 17th May 1955. MEDICAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission (permanent). As Squadron Leader :---John Stephen WINTER, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (501637). 17th Jan. 1955 (seniority 21st Jan. 1952). Appointment to commission (short service). As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Anthony Patrick MURPHY, M.B., B.S. (504045). 23rd Mar, 1955 (seniority 9th Jan. 1955). Appointment to commission (national service). As Flying Officer :--David Hume ADAMSON, M.B., Ch.B. (504067). 10th Jan. 1955. Promotion. Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:----R. E. E. DAWSON, M.B., Ch.B. (504060). Jan. 1955 (seniority 17th Apr. 1953). 9th 23rd May 1955. J. GALVIN, M.B., Ch.B. (503578). N. HOWARD, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503583). W. B. PATERSON, M.B., Ch.B. (503579). Woman Medical Officer Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :- M. Ogden, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
 (8753). 21st Nov. 1954 (seniority 15th Mar. 1953). Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenants :--J. D. E. KNOX, M.B., Ch.B. (501555). 11th May 1955. K. E. MACLACHLAN, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502250). 12th May 1955. J. G. MILLAR, B.M., B.Ch. (502262). 13th May 1955. D. H. GOOLD, M.B., Ch.B. (502243). 14th May 1955. B. H. BURNE, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502248). 16th May 1955. Transfer to reserve (national service list). Flight Lieutenants :---A. FAIRLEY, M.B., B. (503097). 10th May 1955. B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. 21st May 1955. M. B. RABY, M.B., Ch.B. (503114). K. F. R. SCHILLER, B.M., B.Ch. (503140). M. A. WILSON, M.B., B.S. (503113). National service commission relinquished. Flying Officer A. P. MURPHY, M.B., B.S. (504045) (on appointment to a short service commission). 23rd Mar. 1955. DENTAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission (short service). As Flying Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :---Ronald Stanley CRISP, L.D.S. (504053). 4th Mar. 1955 (seniority 13th May 1954). Eric Percival Edward GARNER, B.D.S. (504219). 6th Mar. 1955 (seniority 26th Sept. 1954).

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- Formation.
 Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :--R. T. PATTINSON, L.D.S. (504162). 6th Feb. 1955 (seniority 16th Nov. 1954).
 A. R. THORNHILL, B.D.S., L.D.S. (504130). 20th Feb. 1955.
- National service commission relinquished. Flying Officer R. S. CRISF, L.D.S. (504053) (on appointment to a short service commission). 4th Mar. 1955.
- CHAPLAINS BRANCH.
- Extension of service.
- The period of service on the active list of the Rev. H. E. JONES, B.A., B.D. (500775), is extended to nine years with effect from 15th July 1949.
- Promotion The Rev. B. H. SMYTHE, B.A. (1796364), is granted the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 5th May 1955.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission (permanent). As Flight Officer, W.R.A.F.:---Dorothy Joy TAYLOR, B.A. (8609). 1st Oct. 1954. Appointment
- ppointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51. As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List) :--Reginald CROMAR (49843). 1st Jan. 1955 (for subsequent transfer to the General Duties Branch).
- Appointment to commission (short service). As Flying Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :---14th Apr. 1955. Hugh Alexander BoAG, M.A. (504233). Michael Edwin John CREW, B.A. (504236). John MUR, M.A. (504237).
- As Pilot Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :--Iohn Butler WALTON, B.A. (3144355). 22nd Mar.
- 1955 Keith DUNN, B.A. (504232). 14th Apr. 1955.
- Promotion

 - R. W. HOUGHTON, M.Sc. (502864). 19th May 1955.
 - B. J. HOOPER, B.Sc. (502623). 22nd May 1955. Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :-- R. R. CORI, B.Sc. (2715042). 29th Apr. 1955.
 I. E. CLARK, B.A. (2694639). 4th May 1955.
 D. DICK, M.A. (503696). 11th May 1955.

Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenants :

- - 14th May 1955. J. Davies, B.A. (147395). N. McLellan, M.A. (2529285).
- National service commission relinquished. Pilot Officer J. B. WALTON, B.A. (3144355) (on appointment to a short service commission). 22nd Mar. 1955.
- PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.
- Short service commission relinquished. Flying Officer I. M. PLUMMER (407159) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 16th May 1955.
- Commission resigned.
- Flying Officers :---A. GRANT (407183), 7th Apr. 1955. E. M. ASKEW (407228), 25th Apr. 1955.
- ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS. GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.
- Extension of service.
- The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated.
 - Flight Lieutenants :-
 - Ist May 1955. F. F. H. BURNETT, D.F.C. (178642). A. C. WALKER (200892).

 - I. A. H. WITTER (58034). 3rd May 1955.
 - 15th May 1955.
 - E. E. TOORE (153729) R. R. WAUGHMAN, D.F.C., A.F.C. (171904).
 - Flying Officer H. C. ROSE (58694). 27th Nov. 1954.

- Transfer between branches. Flight Lieutenant M. TURNER (178321) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 21st Jan. 1955 (seniority 15th June 1950).
- Commission relinquished. The undermentioned on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.
 - Flight Lieutenants :---T. A. HOWARD (58987). 18th Apr. 1955. M. F. MACKINTOSH (155252). 20th Apr. 1955.

Flying Officer D. P. THOMAS (132684). Apr. 1955. 22nd

Commission resigned. Flight Lieutenant W. D. DREW (142223). 27th Sept. 1954.

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TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished (class CC). Group Captain R. W. JACKSON, M.A., A.M.I.C.E. (on cessation of duty). 13th Feb. 1955.

- SECRETARIAL BRANCH.
- Extension of service. The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated :-
 - Squadron Leader B. L. SMITH (76125). 1st May 195
 - Flying Officer L. ASHTON, D.F.C. (53199). 6th Apr. 1955.
- Commission relinquished. Wing Commander L. E. HEAR retaining his rank. 15th May 1955. E. HEADLEY (70292),

 - Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank :---
 - 24th Apr. 1955. F. N. DUNCAN (105419). C. K. JOHNSON (149715).
- Commission relinquished (class CC).
 - Squadron Leaders (on cessation of duty) :---
 - 31st Mar. 1955. R. P. MUMFORD (170372). A. J. REDDISH (71369).

 - E. E. Dix (300105). 6th Apr. 1955.
- ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.
- Extension of service
- Notification cancelled. 1st Mar. 1955 (p. 1247, col. 1) concerning E. S. HAIMES (199864).
- Commission relinquished. Wing Commander H. E. SEFTON (149654). 1st May 1955.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Squadron Leader G. A. EDWARDS, H.D.D., L.D.S. (67557), is extended by five years with effect from 27th Apr. 1955.

PROVOST BRANCH.

- Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant J. H. HAWKINS (203467), retaining his rank. 1st May 1955.
 - ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.
 - (Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Pilot Officer (five years and five years on the reserve) :-

Paul Adrian Auchmuty BACK (2608369). Jan. 1955 (seniority 12th Jan. 1955). 19th

As Pilot Officer, W.R.Aux.A.F. (five years and five years on the reserve):-

Joan Lucy PARISH (2657140). 25th Mar. 1955.

Extension of service. The period of service of Flight Lieutenant W. RAE (165452) is extended by five years with effect from 2nd May 1955.

Promotion

- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :---F. N. BATE (124785). 23rd Apr. 1955. J. J. MORGAN (195737). 13th May 1955.

- H. J. P. CROSBY (2651032), until 1st Feb. 1962. Sth Apr. 1955. W. B. HENDERSON (3123448), for five years.
- 17th Apr. 1955.
- Transfer to reserve. Pilot Officer D. KILLPARTRICK (2606530). 21st Mar. 1955.
- TECHNICAL BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission.
- As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve) :-James Hamilton MILNE (119356). 1st Oct. 1954.
- Promotion
 - Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :--J. McC. REID (134986). 6th Apr. 1955.

 - - W. GIRVAN (2695601). A. McN. KERR (2695602).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years and five years on the reserve)
- Jack Reginald Sydenham (58496). 1955 (seniority 7th Feb. 1955). 25th Feb.
- Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant G. F. SMITH (103218). 30th Mar. 1955.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

- Appointment to commission.
- As Pilot Officer (five years and five years on the reserve) :-
 - Herbert Gordon CAPSTICK (1867870). 6th Mar. 1955.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer H. REDDY, D.F.M. (190507), is extended by one year with effect from 26th Apr. 1955.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

- Transfer to the General List. Flying Officer F. J. BELSHAM (109169), for five years. 30th Dec. 1954.
- Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officers :---S. E. BEDFORD, D.F.C. (143653). 1st Jan. 1955. D. H. N. CROUCH (181754). 20th Jan. 1955.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. EMERGENCY LIST.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinguished.

Flight Lieutenant J. H. MILNE (119356), retain-ing his rank (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 1st Oct. 1954.

Flying Officers :--L. J. HAYWARD (167205) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force). 25th Nov. 1954. (Substituted for notifications of 1st Mar. 1955 (p. 1247, col. 2) and 5th Apr. 1955 (p. 2011, col. 2).) A. R. UWINS (165830) (on appointment to the Territorial Army). 8th Feb. 1955.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. A. HEEPS (109226), retaining his rank (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 3rd Feb. 1955.

Withdrawal of permission to retain rank.

The permission granted to Flying Officer C. HALL (149727) to retain his rank, notified in London Gazette (Supplement) of 19th July 1949, is with-drawn with effect from 23rd Oct. 1954.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. S. HENDERSON, F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (122920) (on enrolment in the Royal Canadian Air Force). 3rd Feb. 1955.

DENTAL BRANCH.

- Commission relinquished. Squadron Leader N. W. TIPPETT (73627), retain-ing his rank (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 3rd Feb. 1955.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section).

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer (until 19th July 1958) :---David DOIG (2579803). 13th Feb. 1955.

- 1955.
- As Pilot Officer (until 3rd Sept. 1958)
- Richard Kettlewell KING (2580082), 28th Mar. 1955.
- As Pilot Officer (until 15th Sept. 1958) :--Geoffrey Bransome BENNETT (3140124). 9th Apr. 1955.
- As Pilot Officer (until 17th Sept. 1958) :--Reginald Thomas Dawson (2586578). 11th Apr. 1955.

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

Ť. MAXWELL-HUDSON, D.F.C. (87664).. 6th Apr. 1955.

J. FARRAR (202230). 6th May 1955.

- 13th May 1955.
- J. N. ROBERTS (47478). S. G. WATERS, D.F.M. (187930).
- B. WILSON (185131). 16th May 1955. K. J. HOLMES (188223). 18th May 1955.
- Flying Officer N. J. RUMBELOW (3119438). 18th
- Sept. 1954.
- Pilot Officers :

P. R. BELCHER (203998). 9th Dec. 1954. V. W. BRUCE (748497). 18th May 1955.

Extension of service. Notification amended.

26th Apr. 1955 (p. 2414, col. 1) concerning R. D. KEBBELL (205481) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

Commission relinguished.

- Flight Lieutenanis:---V. H. USHER (202847). 15th Apr. 1955. T. D. LUCEY (205439). 6th May 1955. B. O. WARMINGTON (193495). 9th May 1955.

Pilot Officer S. B. YOUNG (205457). 6th May 1955.

Acting Pilot Officers :---G. R. BUCHAN (2600332) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 9th Jan. 1955.

Р. А. А. Васк (2608369) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 19th Jan. 1955.

- TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished. Flying Officer F. J. MOLLOY, M.A., A.M.I.E.E., A.F.R.Ac.S. (158844). 3rd May 1955.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant H. DOMERTY (173042) is extended by five years with effect from 19th Apr. 1955.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (five years):--James Alexander HEEPS (109226). 3rd Feb. 1955.

 - As Pilot Officer (until 28th Fcb. 1958) -----Leslie Richard HART (2614647). 2nd Feb. 1955 (seniority 1st Mar. 1953).

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH. Appointment to commission. As Pilot Officer (until 10th May 1958) :---John Kenneth Anthony BLEASDALE (2577376). 5th Dec. 1954. As Pilot Officer (until 1st June 1958):--Colin John Gosling (2578439). 26th Dec. 1954. As Pilot Officer (until 29th June 1958) :-Phillip Quentin WARNER (2579371). 23rd Jan. 1955 MARINE BRANCH. Extension of service. The period of service of Flight Lieutenant P. E. WILLSON, D.F.C. (136176), is extended by five years with effect from 21st Apr. 1955. DENTAL BRANCH. Appointment to commission. 3rd Feb. 1955. stated. ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. TRAINING BRANCH. Appointment to commission. As Flying Officers (four years) :---Donald Agerskow (2523302). 25th Nov. 1954. Frank Hawker Woolliams (18030). 16th Jan. 1955. Tom SANDERSON (200614). 25th Jan. 1955. Glyn Rowland Jenkins (196354). 8th 8th Mar. 1955. Peter Frederick ROBINSON (199675). 21st Mar. 1955. 22nd Mar. 1955. Harvey Douglas Bert Boswell (180509). John Duggan (204711). As Pilot Officers (four years) :---Geoffrey Arthur STRAFFORD (2548443). 13th Oct. 1954. 12th Jan. 1955. Anthony Bernard Duncan MAYES (206243). Phillip Reginald Strange MORGAN (2268196). Gerald Edwin MURPHY (206242). 14th Jan. 1955. 5th Mar. 1955. Bertram Thomas ELWELL (206245). Ronald Samuel FREWIN (2393376). Notification amended. 5th Apr. 1955 (p. 2012, col. 2) concerning James Herbert DUNCAN (184586) for James Herbert read

John Herbert. Sth Apr. 1955 (p. 2012, col. 2) concerning Reginald Inches STEVENS, D.F.C. (153638) for Reginald Inches read Raymond Inches.

Extension of service. The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by four years with effect from the dates stated. Flying Officers : C. ROBERTS (1588953). 21st Mar. 1955. 30th Apr. 1955. F. E. BROOKS (205665). D. GERARD-WUYTS (1553998). 3rd May 1955. P. E. HAMMOND, D.F.C. (177677). J. O'NEILL (196498). W. ANDERSON (517595). 8th May 1955.
V. R. RUSKIN (1812787). 17th May 1955.
D. R. BROWN (807109). 18th May 1955.
G. D. BARTON (205171). 19th May 1955. Pilot Officers :---W. B. FERGUSON (205675). 1st May 1955. J. D. OVERTON (208670). 8th May 1955. The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by two years with effect from the dates Flying Officers :---J. R. DARBY (2413412). 29th Jan. 1955. J. A. W. JARVIS (69225). 2nd May 1955. Pilot Officer H. NATTRESS (188640). 15th May 1955. The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by one year with effect from the dates stated : E. GREAVES (62823). 2nd Feb. 1955. A. SHAND (12604). 13th Apr. 1955. H. KERRY (128174). 30th Apr. 1955. D. W. MCINTOSH (3045144). 6th May 1955. G. L. MCHARDIE (147786). 12th May 1955. Commission resigned. Flying Officers:— B. J. PRENTIS (103114). 15th Feb. 1955. J. F. BLACKMORE (183913). 10th Mar. 1955. (122809) retai Flying Officer A. J. TRESSIDDER (122899), retain-ing the rank of Wing Commander. 25th Feb. 1955. Flying Officer T. A. GEORGE (65309), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 30th Mar. 1955. Commission terminated. Flying Officer D. D. NAMSOO (157267). Sept. 1954. 21st

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Air Ministry, 24th May 1955.

EMERGENCY LIST.

Notification cancelled.

9th Nov. 1954 (p. 6354, col. 2) concerning S. F. J. R. PERRY (67214).

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