

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. W. COLLARD, B.Sc. (503178) is extended until 14th Sept. 1956.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer G. WALKER, B.A. (503206) is extended until 15th Sept. 1956.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer T. H. DAVIES, B.A. (503336) is extended until 20th Jan. 1957.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

D. M. WHARRY, B.Sc. (503348). 19th Apr. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

7th Apr. 1956.

M. GREGORY, B.Sc. (2743568).

M. R. SCOTT, B.Sc. (3145329).

Retirement.

Squadron Leader J. D. PIPER, M.C., B.Sc. (73341), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 14th Apr. 1956.

CATERING BRANCH.*Appointment to commission (permanent).*

As Flying Officer :—

John White FRASER (1822429). 1st Oct. 1955.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant J. COPPOCK, M.B.E. (58188). 27th Mar. 1956 (substituted for notification of 13th Mar. 1956 (p. 1513, col. 1)).

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.*Short service commission relinquished.*

Flying Officers :—

10th Apr. 1956.

M. HORE (407042).

S. E. PRATT (407047).

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant E. J. KELSEY (187847) is extended by five years with effect from 24th Apr. 1956.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer W. O. LEWIS (191477) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 20th Feb. 1956 (seniority 7th Mar. 1948).

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant N. J. ADAMS, A.F.C. (133036). 7th Mar. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Squadron Leader G. R. M. GARRATT, M.A., M.I.E.E. (72215), is extended by five years with effect from 20th Apr. 1956.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant J. F. MORGAN (31374) is extended by five years with effect from 24th Apr. 1956.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant D. H. BROWN (137810) is extended by five years with effect from 12th Apr. 1956.

*Promotion.**Notification amended.*

13th Mar. 1956 (p. 1513, col. 1) concerning J. L. WORMWALD (2528518) for WORMWALD read WORMALD.

CATERING BRANCH.*Promotion.**Notification amended.*

4th Oct. 1955 (p. 5571, col. 1), concerning W. C. HOLMES (176554) add D.F.C.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Flying Officer (until 23rd Jan. 1959) :—

James Edward Terence GREY (2700027). 1st Apr. 1956.

As Pilot Officer (until 17th Aug. 1959) :—

Sidney Monro MIDDLETON (2718065). 29th Mar. 1956.

Extension of service.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by one year with effect from the dates stated :—

R. CLAPHAM (2445029). 15th Mar. 1956.

G. D. PARTRIDGE (3123595). 24th Apr. 1956.

Notification amended.

14th Feb. 1956 (p. 902, col. 1), concerning R. W. HILL (15018) for Squadron Leader read Wing Commander and concerning B. L. KERWOOD (148323) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

1st Mar. 1956.

R. J. HOAD (2680080).

N. F. HUTCHINGS (3128825).

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

B. BROOKS (2663024). 11th Apr. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Squadron Leaders :—

W. E. GEMMELL (77285). 10th Sept. 1955.

D. J. HARRISON (22070) and relinquishes command of No. 3621 (North Lancashire) Fighter Control Unit. 1st Apr. 1956.

Flight Lieutenants :

E. W. ASPREY (138493). 1st Mar. 1956.

K. G. HATFIELD (181505). 5th Mar. 1956.

Flying Officers :—

J. G. BRACKENRIDGE (3140725). 27th Nov. 1955.

W. W. MCNAB (2515976). 20th Dec. 1955.

M. J. L. FADIL (2600601). 21st Feb. 1956.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer J. TWEEDHOPE (2683531). 14th Feb. 1956.

Pilot Officer A. R. BUTLER (2697202). 31st Jan. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.*Commission resigned.*

Flying Officer J. G. PIKE (91393). 8th Jan. 1956.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.*Promotion.*

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

B. ARDLEY (144076). 1st Mar. 1956 (seniority 26th Apr. 1955).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.*

As Flight Lieutenant (five years and five years on the reserve) :—

Neill Creagh CHAPMAN (153939). 1st Nov. 1955 (seniority 24th Aug. 1955).

Notification amended.

26th July 1955 (p. 4303, col. 2), concerning Mildred Bentham VEAL (8757) W.R.Aux.A.F. add (seniority 2nd Dec. 1952).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

1st Mar. 1956.

K. P. MEEHAN, M.B.E. (2680003).

T. V. G. STONE (174909).

I. K. WOODROFFE (63416). 4th Mar. 1956 (seniority 14th Oct. 1955).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

T. SHARPUS-JONES (2614640). 8th Feb. 1956.

M. H. KNOWLES (2604907). 1st Mar. 1956.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer R. A. D. MURDOCH (2658607), W.R.Aux.A.F. 13th Jan. 1956.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer M. J. EVANS (2494036) is extended by five years with effect from 24th Apr. 1956.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—

A. R. POOLE, D.S.O., D.F.C. (129193). 1st Jan. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer H. M. WILSON (2677205). 9th Jan. 1956.