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

Maurice Rupert LAWRENCE (2608136). 18th May 1956 (period of service to count from 9th Dec. 1953).

As Acting Pilot Officer on probation (two years):-Richard Anthony ELLIOTT (2608912). 25th Apr. 1956.

Extension of service.

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

Flight Lieutenants :

D. J. LOVELL (163801). 1st July 1956 J. T. WANN (181040). 5th July 1956. 1st July 1956.

Pilot Officer M. A. LOWRY (2494713). 30th Apr. 1956.

The period of service of Flying Officer B. H. RAMSDEN (2493377) is extended by three years with effect from 18th Apr. 1956. The period of service of Acting Pilot Officer R. A. FERGUSON (2620030) is extended by two years or for period of tenure at Glasgow University, which-ever is shorter, with effect from 7th July 1956.

Notification amended. 15th May 1956 (p. 2847, col. 2) concerning A. BALL (185456) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

22nd May 1956 (p. 2995, col. 2) concerning P. MONAGHAN, D.F.C. (196352) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

Notification cancelled. 22nd May 1956 (p. 2995, col 2) concerning R. E. HOLLOWAY (201015).

Commission relinquished.

General Science Construction and States and Science Construction and States and Science Construction appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 3rd Feb. 1956.

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 :

J. McG. DRUMMOND (62738). 5th July 1956. M. B. LLOYD (205733). 10th July 1956.

Transfer between branches. Flying Officer E. G. W. 'MERCER 198330) to the General Duties Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 8th May 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. TRAINING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officers (four years):—

17th Apr. 1956. Alan Ronald BUNCE (204838). Daniel MULLIGAN (174935). Gordon Allan RICHARDS (2602803).

- John DONNELLY, D.F.M. (50461). 23rd Apr. 1956.
- David Raymond DAVIES (46893). 27th Apr. 1956.
- Philip Arthur SEAL (1238458). 5th May 1956. 11th May 1956. Raymond Bowen CLARK (2570112). Derek Edward Hood (2566175).

- As Pilot Officers (four years) :--Edward Gibbons GARDINER (1457808). 28th Jan. 1956.
- Derek Stanley PITKIN (1802759). 19th Mar. 1956.
 - 14th Apr. 1956

Henry BARNETT (1861148). Alan CHARLTON (3005859).

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- Harold Norman Twose (1145120). 24th Apr. 1956.
- Eric Campbell KNox (2601935). 28th Apr. 1956.

David John FENN (3140743). Geoffrey McLean (1271877). John Wilton Walsh (1455294).

- Notification amended. 29th May 1956 (p. 3161, col. 1) concerning Stephen YEARDSLEY (195860) add D.F.M.

5th May 1956.

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Extension of service.

- 4th July 1956.
- L. J. BULLEN (3120753). W. S. CROSS (948450). P. B. GREY (3010248). D. A. JAMES (914793).

T. N. RICHARDSON (205715).

D. A. HEDEN (120917). 7th July 1956. J. J. CLAYTON (1816136). 9th July 1956.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. F. STAPLES (131891) is extended by two years with effect from 4th July 1956.

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by one year with effect from the dates stated :--S. G. A. HOARE (205467). 7th July 1956. H. W. LORD (947610). 9th July 1956.

Promotion

- Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :-C. B. SANGSTER (58828). 9th Oct, 1954.
 E. R. MORGAN (1119312). 6th Jan. 1956.
 D. O. GRANT (3061577). 8th Jan. 1956.
 N. C. WARD (1580297). 8th Feb. 1956.
 G. G. D. BURTON (3003585). 26th Feb. 1956.
 R. T. A. JEWELL (206112). 27th Feb. 1956.

 - Ist Mar. 1956. J. E. HEDLEY (965466). R. C. SUTTILL (1310430). G. B. WAUGH (206097).

 - S. SNAITH (1329715). 7th Mar. 1956. F. W. A. DRURY (1438254). 15th Mar. 1956.
 - 18th Mar. 1956.

 - J. H. KING (206137). H. B. MCKIE (206126).
 - E. W. BARRON (2524002). 23rd Mar. 1956. 31st Mar. 1956.
 - W. APPLEBY (206130).
 G. BRAWN (3118943).
 H. HALL (3041080).
 J. F. PEARSON (578828).

2nd Apr. 1956. J. MARK (5004038).

- J. R. WILSON (2472287).
- H. H. CRUDEN (2432285). 8th Apr. 1956.
 - 25th Apr. 1956.
- S. S. Adams (206136). A. M. D'Agostino (2536371). J. R. J. Duff (3108654). F. L. Mulcrone (1005047). W. Williamson (206134).

- Notification amended.

20th Mar. 1956 (p. 1671, col. 2) concerning R. PRATT (1626124) for 1st Nov. 1955 read 5th Nov. 1955.

Commission relinquished.

- I. E. Самм (3104238). 3rd July 1956.
 J. BRIGGS (1087336). 10th July 1956.

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Commission resigned. Flying Officers :--W. B. MARTIN (954647). 6th Apr. 1956. R. McLeod (206015). 30th Apr. 1956.

Flying Officers, retaining the rank of Flight

Flying Officer R. H. PEARCE (129011), retaining bis rank. 27th Mar. 1956.

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G. J. LAMB (107612). 30th Apr. 1956. К. А. LAY (184156). 1st May 1956.

18th May 1956. S. C. PECK (205152). A. R. POOLE (199269).