Promotion

Retirement Group Captain E. L. J. Rows, O.B.E. 15th May 1959. Squadron Leader C. J. WILLIAMS (44620). 29th Apr. 1959. Squadron Officer I. L. I. HORNBY (2372), W.R.A.F. 14th May 1959. National service commission relinquished Pilot Officer D. McD. SUMNER, A.C.A. (5047369) (on appointment to a direct commission in the R.A.F.). 14th Apr. 1959. **ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT** Extension of service The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer A. G. LINTOTT (4055733) is extended to eleven years with effect from 12th Feb. 1953. Notification cancelled 21st Apr. 1959 (p. 2610, col. 2) concerning S. C. THOMPSON (4179254). AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH Promotion Notification amended 24th Mar. 1959 (p. 1980, col. 2) concerning B. J. LENDON, B.Sc. (2608137) for 19th Mar. 1959 read 19th May 1959. MEDICAL BRANCH Appointment to commission (permanent) As Flight Lieutenant (General List) : Anthony Robert WILSON, M.B., Ch.B. (505631). 3rd Mar. 1959. Extension of service The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant J. C. GUIGNARD, M.B., Ch.B. (505165), is extended to five years with effect from 11th Nov. 1956. The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant L. G. CAPALDI, M.B., Ch.B. (504934), is extended to four years with effect from 19th Aug. 1956. Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : J. P. M. PENNEY, M.B., Ch.B. (2608024). 13th Apr. 1959. Transfer to reserve Flight Lieutenants : 6th May 1959 M.R.C.S., D. BLACKLEDGE, L.R.C.P., D. Obst.R.C.O.G. (504803).
J. D. Fitzgerald, M.B., B.Ch., B.Sc. (504815).
J. C. M. WILKINSON, A.F.C., M.A., B.M., B.Ch. (504799). . Transfer to reserve (national service list) Flight Lieutenant M. J. BALL, M.B., B.S. (2620257). 24th Apr. 1959. Retirement Air Vice-Marshal J. C. NEELY, C.B., C.B.E., D.M., M.A., B.Ch., D.O.(Oxon.), F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.O.M.S., Q.H.S. 30th Apr. 1959. DENTAL BRANCH Appointment to commission (short service) Notification amended 3rd Feb. 1959 (p. 810, col. 1) concerning Arthur Hepburn BLAKE, B.D.S. (505887) for (seniority 13th July 1958) read (seniority 8th Nov. 1957). Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : J. C. Askew, L.D.S. (505859). 19th May 1959. Transfer to reserve Flight Lieutenant D. N. L. THOMAS, B.D.S., L.D.S. (504601). 13th May 1959. CHAPLAINS BRANCH Promotion Rev. L. J. ASHTON (196001) is granted the rela-tive rank of Wing Commander. 15th May 1959. EDUCATION BRANCH Extension of service The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant K. G. CLEVES, B.A. (503589) is ex-tended to seven years with effect from 15th July

1954.

12th May 1959 V. F. HAYWARD, B.A. (504415). J. RICHARDS, B.A. (504953). Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : P. J. GRIMLEY, B.Sc. (506089). 13th May 1959. G. W. HAMILTON, B.Sc. (5057015). 15th May 1959. Commission terminated Flying Officer M. W. JEFFERY (2607948). 20th Apr. 1959. PROVOST BRANCH Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : T. B. WHITTAKER (527125). 3rd May 1959. PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : A. C. DUNCAN, A.F.M. (546336). 17th May 1959. B. MCCARTHY (504190). 18th May 1959. PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE Appointment to commission (short service) As Flying Officers (four years): 13th Apr. 1959 Gladys Pirie CRUICKSHANK (407718) (seniority 8th May 1958). Mary McPherson Morrison (407716) (seniority 8th Apr. 1958). Sylvia Rose BIRRELL (407750). 20th Apr. 1959 (seniority 28th May 1957). 20th Apr. 1959 (seniority 20th Apr. 1957) Margaret Elizabeth Murray BLADON (407732), Patricia Mary EVANS (407735). Betty Kathleen STOWELL (407747). Extension of service The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended by one year with effect from the dates stated : Flight Officers : G. L. HAWKE (407296). 3rd May 1959. M. B. DUNCAN (407380). 16th May 1959. Flying Officer B. L. M. STUART (407362). 2nd May 1959. Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Officer : B. L. M. STUART (407362). 2nd May 1959. Retirement Squadron Officer W. M. WALLER (405144). 16th May 1959. Commission resigned Flight Officer V. BADDELEY (407262). 10th Apr. 1959. Flying Officer M: C. STEPHENSON (407520). 23rd Apr. 1959. **ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS** GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH Promotion Notification amended 31st Mar. 1959 (p. 2125, col. 2) concerning R. W. W. STEEL (3511914) for (seniority 1st Oct. 1958) read (seniority 1st June 1958). Commission relinguished

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. R. LAMB, B.Sc. (504834) is extended to five years with effect from 8th Aug. 1956. The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer F. E. WOOD, B.A. (504876) is extended to four years with effect from 8th Aug. 1956.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :

Flight Lieutenant A. G. RICHARDSON (2512689) (on appointment to a direct commission in the R.A.F.). 6th Apr. 1959.

Flight Lieutenants, retaining their rank :

I. H. DONALDSON (582767) (on enlistment in the Royal Rhodesian Air Force). 27th Oct. 1958. H. YATES (52909). 25th Feb. 1959.