conversion to be made, which Warrant shall be sufficient authority to the Paymaster-General to effect the conversion, and he shall effect the conversion accordingly.

Admiralty, 3rd May, 1921.

R.N.R.

Payr. Lieuts. to be Payr. Lieut.-Comdrs::—Richard J. D. Bishop, R.D. Cecil W. Bright.

21st Apr. 1921.

Ty. Engr. Sub-Lieut. Thomas A. Reay to be tempy. Engr. Lieut. 1st July 1919.

Admiralty, 4th May, 1921.

Lieut. (retd.) Robert Ivermee, M.B.E., to be Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.). 2nd May 1921.

Sub-Lieut. Reichel W. V. Reeves to be Lieut (E.). 15th Jan. 1921.

Sub-Lieut. (Emerg.) Edmund H. Watts to be Lieut. (Emerg.). 15th Nov. 1920.

Act. Lieut. Thos. E. Little to be Lieut. 28th Feb. 1921.

R.N.V.R.

Capt. the Hon. Cyril A. Ward, M.V.O., A.D.C., placed on Retd. List at own request. 28th Apr. 1921.

Admiralty, 7th May, 1921.

R.N.R.

Act. Lieut.-Comdr. James Marshall, R.D., to be Lieut.-Comdr. 12th Apr. 1921.

Lieut. David W. Alexander to be Lieut.-Comdr. 26th Apr. 1921.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Major Walter Hugh Rawnsley to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th May, 1921.

> Air Ministry, 10th May, 1921.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned appointment is made at the Air Ministry:—

Deputy Director, Class 1.

Group Capt. John Adrian CHAMIER, C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E. 1st Jan. 1921.

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS.

Wing Commander Richard Graham BLOMFIELD, D.S.O., is placed on half-pay, Scale A. 4th May 1921.

Flying Officer Robert John Rodwell is placed on half-pay, Scale B., from 3rd Mar. 1921 to 31st Mar. 1921 inclusive. (Substi-

tuted for the notification in the Gazette of 22nd Apr. 1921.)

STORES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Archibald James Bridden is granted a permanent commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority. 17th June 1920. (Since promoted.)

SHORT SERVICE COMMISSIONS.

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions as Pilot Officers on probation, with effect from and with seniority of 28th Apr. 1921:—

Stephen Richard Boldero.

Arthur Derrick Huthersoll Foster.* (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 29th Max. 1921.)

William James GAYES.

Arthur Edward Lennox Scott-Atkinson.

David Jasper Hugh-Jones.*

Edward Albert SLATER.*

Kenneth Rhys Thomas.*

* Previously served in R.A.F.

The notification in the Gazette of 24th Oct. 1919, appointing Flying Officer George Frederick Moody to a short service commission, is cancelled.

RE-SECONDING.

Lt. John Stephen Windsor, M.C., South Wales Borderers, is granted a temporary commission as Flight Lt., retaining his original seniority in that rank, on re-seconding for four years' duty with the R.A.F. 21st Apr. 1921.

FLYING BRANCH.

The notification in the Gazette of 6th Sept. 1918, relating to Prob. Flight Officer Henry Woodruff, is cancelled.

Administrative Branch.

Lt. Phillip Henry Spernon Tozer (unemployed list) relinquishes his temporary commission, and is permitted to retain his rank.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned are transferred to the unemployed list:—

1st May 1921.

Maj. Maurice Charles Rousseau.

Capt. Walter George Chapman.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Thomas Philip Harpur is granted a temporary commission as Flying Officer, with effect from and with seniority of 19th Apr. 1921.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions in the rank stated, with effect from the dates indicated while temporarily re-employed:—

Flight Lieutenants.

Derek Allin Adey SHEPPERSON. 10th Apr. 1921.