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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):-

Frederick Ernest Frank PRINCE (47405). 7th Aug. 1948

Richard Brian Lord, A.F.C. (41039). 27th Aug.

1948. Billy Drake, D.S.O., D.F.C. (39095). 10th Sept.

15th Sept. 1948.

Patrick Alan Dudeney (41992). Judah Leon Pepperman (102298).

Ivor Henry Cosby, D.F.C. (42293). 20th Sept.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):-

Philip Kirk, D.F.M. (48727). 15th June 1948 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 17th Nov. 1948 (seniority 30th Oct. 1946)).

James Wishart (128981). 30th June 1948 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 22nd Nov. 1948 (seniority 5th Sept. 1947)).

15th July 1948. Anthony David JILLINGS (68735). John Robert MASON (137450). Frederick REEVE (178574) (

Frederick REEVE (178574) (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Gerald TATE, D.F.C. (129978) (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

22nd July 1948. Norman Geoffrey ALDERDICE, D.F.C. (170402).

Robert Owen BLACKALL (150868).

George Robert Stewart McKAY, D.F.C. (120741).

Egbert John MIDLANE (147283) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 18th Nov. 1948 (seniority 18th Nov. 1948)).

Leslie Edward Stuart Whaley, D.F.C. (129530) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 22nd Nov. 1948 (seniority 21st Dec. 1946)).

30th July 1948.

James Flynn (175210) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 20th Nov. 1948 (seniority 20th

Nov. 1948)).
George Albert McKillop Stoner (173741) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 22nd Nov. 1948 (seniority 22nd Nov. 1948)).

7th Aug. 1948. Alan Henry Chamberlain (137417). Hugh Lionel Jones (153766).

16th Aug. 1948.
Donald Frank Adcock (131583).
Henry David Archer, D.F.C. (128870).
Frederick Victor Houlgate (54598).
Robert Benstead Sillars (143271).

John Gerard Sharratt (49550). 23rd Aug. 1948 (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch). Roger EMETT (53248). 27th Aug. 1948.

10th Sept. 1948.
Henry George Bullen (51039).
Victor George Clarke (176698).
Flight Lieutenant William Edward Hedley (162245) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch 16th Nov. 1948, reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer (seniority 29th Jan. 1946)).
Eric Newton Scott, A.F.M. (56065).

15th Sept. 1948. John Gilbert Matthews (59626). Richard Frank Batram Powell (120937). Keith Henry Lohan (123586). 20th Sept. 1948.

As Flying Officers (permanent):—
William Michael Constable MAXWELL (58142).
15th May 1948.

Joseph Grainger GREENHILL (58156). 27th Aug.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Francis Raymond JAMES (193231). 24th Nov. 1948 (seniority 17th Sept. 1948).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

8th Nov. 1948. Sydney Laurie BENNETT, D.F.C. (135637) (seniority 18th Dec. 1947).
Harold Smith, D.F.C. (172359) (seniority 6th Oct. 1948.)

Colin Alan Kingsford Reeve (165796). Nov. 1948 (seniority 27th Jan. 1948). Leszek Kazimierz Grzybowski (500414). Nov. 1948 (seniority 28th Aug. 1946). 10th

24th Nov. 1948. Peter Paxton VILIA (87672) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945

John Henry Hedger (135738) (seniority 13th

June 1946).
William Edwin Evans, D.F.C. (155472) (seniority 26th Jan. 1947).
John Charles Collo (161069) (seniority 27th

James Stewart Wallace Bell (164601) (seniority 24th Sept. 1947).

Harold William Gumbrell (174113) (seniority

3rd Oct. 1947). Derek Ma Manners TURNER-ETTLINGER (55150) (seniority 16th Oct. 1947).

Raymond John Stevenson (181446) (seniority

5th Feb. 1948).

Matthew Graham Baxter (183592) (seniority 24th Feb. 1948).
Ronald Walter Brandon (166353) (seniority 8th

Mar. 1948)

George Sharrett (186098) (seniority 14th Mar. 1948).

Leslie Arthur Frederick WILLOUGHBY (181562) (seniority 29th Apr. 1948).

Norman Stanley WILLIAMS (196096) (seniority 29th May 1948).

Peter Desmond FERGUSON (189639) (seniority 10th Capt. 1040)

10th Sept. 1948). Ernest Arthur CLEMENTS (198489) (seniority 7th Oct. 1948).

25th Nov. 1948. John William Allam (150908) (seniority 6th

Aug. 1947).
John Walter Everitt (187782) (seniority 9th May 1948).
Gwyn Digby-Ovens (195675) (seniority 22nd Sept. 1948).

Ronald Frederick ETHERINGTON (196313) (seniority 25th Sept. 1948).
Richard Wilsford Gudgeon (197218) (seniority 24th Oct. 1948).

As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):— Albert Victor Henry Sturman (198919). 8th

Nov. 1948 (seniority 29th Oct. 1946).

24th Nov. 1948.

Raymond Douglas Pilcher (193459) (seniority 28th July 1946).

Sidney July 1946). Arthur Price (193461) (seniority 28th

Aug. 1946).
Alfred George Smith (200825) (seniority 20th Sept. 1946).

John Michael Longley (202042) (seniority 17th Dec. 1946). William

Charles WINDSOR (197116) (seniority 13th Feb. 1947).

25th Nov. 1948

Norman Greenhalgh (194334) (seniority 22nd June 1946).

Abraham GARRETTS (202936) (seniority 13th

Oct. 1946). Alan Elijah French (202366) (seniority 22nd Mar. 1947).

As Flying Officers, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Frantisek JANOUSEK (82552). 1st Nov. 1948 (seniority 26th Mar. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch relinquishing the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant on appointment).

8th Nov. 1948.

8th Nov. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant Robert Harold Allan (186453) (seniority 24th Nov. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Francis Arthur Shepherd (188462) (seniority 6th Dec. 1947) (and transferred to the Physical Fitness Branch on appointment).

24th Nov. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant Robert James Hutchinson (173739) (seniority 27th Jan. 1946) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Flight Lieutenant William Stephenson (185772) (seniority 19th Sept. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment).

Flight Lieutenant Leonard Cousland Fleet (190058) (seniority 10th Dec. 1946) (and transferred)

Flight Lieutenant Leonard Cousland FLEET (190058) (seniority 10th Dec. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment). Flight Lieutenant Eric Thomas Moore (167565) (seniority 15th Dec. 1946) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appointment). Dudley Robert Seymour Howell (198370) (seniority 21st Mar. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Douglas Walter Keeston JAMES (200681) (seniority 18th July 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

25th Nov. 1948.
Flight Lieutenant Joseph Stuart READ (155371)
(seniority 17th May 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank

of Flying Officer on appointment).
Flight Lieutenant Robert Thomas Cadman, D.F.C. (169386) (seniority 23rd Dec. 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch reverting to the substantive rank of Flying Officer on appoint-

Robert Alexander Cosh (200741) (seniority 7th June 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Flight Lieutenants, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):

Douglas Henry Mervyn Chandler (55473). 4th Oct. 1948 (seniority 10th Aug. 1948) (substituted for notification of 26th Oct. 1948 (p. 5678, col. 1)).

24th Nov. 1948. Edward Leonard Connor (55130) (seniority 1st

Apr. 1947).
John Handley Appleton (53931) (seniority 23rd Apr. 1947).

Frederick Ernest Cottenham UNDERHILL (55147) (seniority 26th Sept. 1947).

Howard Thomas Albutt (54978). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 27th Aug. 1947) (and transferred to the Technical Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the

active list):—
John Alexander Morrison (181501).
1948 (seniority 19th Feb. 1948). 1st July

1st Aug. 1948.
Henry Gilbert Douglas Mac (89583) (seniority 1st Jan. 1943).
Ernest William BARTLETT, A (seniority 18th Sept. 1946). MacFarlane PAYNE A.F.C. (139599)

Leslie Arthur Norman Holland (144285). 19th Aug. 1948 (seniority 4th Sept. 1946). Ernest Leslie Nelson (56023). 28th Aug. 1948 (seniority 5th Feb. 1948).

1st Sept. 1948. Philip Charles Gore (158125) (seniority 26th Feb. 1947).

James William Burns, D.F.C. (174562) (seniority 4th Oct. 1947).

Thomas Howell James (181517) (seniority 19th Feb. 1948).

Kenneth TEMPERO (191498) (seniority 28th July

1st Oct. 1948. John Liddell (137211) (seniority 13th Mar. 1946).

Ronald Henry STUBBS (167228) (seniority 3rd May 1948).

Alan Rogers (189266) (seniority 23rd May 1948).

John Herron Gordon Whitby (189621) (seniority 27th June 1948).

Robert Alastair KEMP, D.F.C., D.F.M. (177974). 11th Nov. 1948 (seniority 8th July 1948). John Dobson WHEELER (131628). 9th Dec. 1948 (seniority 25th Aug. 1946).

As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the active list):-

1st July 1948. Leslie Arthur Mason (199891) (seniority 25th July 1946). Frederick Bryan Garwoop (200965) (seniority

14th Aug. 1946).
Ronald Leslie Green (200802) (seniority 21st

Aug. 1946).

Philip Morton Marsh (199395). 1st Aug. 1948 (seniority 9th June 1946).

Robert Mac Delves (196585). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 8th May 1946).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the

Ernest Frank Sully Tarling, D.F.C. (188162).

1st Aug. 1948 (seniority 30th Apr. 1948).

Donald Queenborough (201673). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 17th Aug. 1948).

Ronald Walsh (151888). 15th Sept. 1948 (seniority 26th Sept. 1947).

Frank Reginald Wickham (175046). 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 11th Nov. 1947).

As Flying Officer, temporary (one year on the

active list):—
John Horrobin Elliott (168168).
1948 (seniority 29th Mar. 1946). 1st Oct.

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Notification cancelled.
     26th Oct. 1948 (р. 5677, соl. 2) concerning Basil James Sметнам (201643).
Extension of Service.
The period of Active List service of the under-
mentioned is extended to eight years with effect
from the dates stated:
     Squadron Leaders:-
          A. H. SIMMONDS, D.F.C. (39396).
                                                                                                  12th Feb.
     1946.
          W. D. SMITH (115803). 27th June 1946.
    Flight Lieutenants:-
         H. A. J. ALLDRED (59755). 19th Dec. 1947.
S. D. BALDOCK, D.F.M. (148100). 28tl
                                                                                                  28th Feb.
     1946.
          A. BARRELL (152797). 6th June 1946.
D. A. BOARDS, D.F.M. (156327).
                                                                                                  18th Dec.
     1945
          J. Cafferty, D.F.C. (136041). 24th Oct. 1946.
K. J. Campbell, D.F.C. (59810). 2nd 1
                                                                                                  2nd Feb.
     1948.
         M. H. Castle (163172). 24th May 1948.
E. A. Clerk (127219). 9th Jan. 1947.
H. D. Costain (143384). 5th Sept. 1946.
M. R. S. Cunningham (156277). 6th June 1946.
R. Currie (49683). 1st May 1947.
F. R. Davidson, D.F.C. (155121). 18th Ju
                                                                                                  18th June
    1946.

D. P. Dixon (181722). 5th June 1947.

W. Dodd (132956). 18th Nov. 1946.

E. Evans (124786). 3rd Dec. 1946.

D. J. Furner, D.F.C. (127259). 23rd Jan. 1946.

F. A. Garrad (181694). 27th June 1946.

D. Gray (181128). 24th Oct. 1946.

A. A. Green, D.F.C. (144317). 9th May 1946.

A. A. Griffiths (156932). 14th Apr. 1948.

M. P. Haling (164686). 17th Apr. 1947.

R. H. Hardy, D.F.C., D.F.M. (48418). 18

Dec. 1945

K. G. Hodson (145106). 12th Feb. 1946.
     1946.
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Dec. 1945
K. G. Hodson (145106). 12th Feb. 1946.
R. A. Kirkland (154951). 12th Dec. 1946.
H. B. F. Lymna, D.S.O., D.F.C., D.F.M. (51511).
18th Dec. 1945.
J. L. Lilburn (156634). 17th Sept. 1946.
D. F. M. Mackarness (42244). 18th June 1948.
C. G. McGlone (172137). 1st May 1947.
N. P. Michie (121323). 9th Aug. 1948.
T. M. Ormiston, D.F.C. (172606). 22nd Aug. 1946. 1946.

H. A. D. Palfrey (152712). 29th May 1947. F. H. Silk, D.F.C. (111979). 18th Apr. 1946. R. S. Smyth, (166978). 17th July 1947. L. G. Tancred (59478). 6th Aug. 1947. D. R. W. Viner (166081). 4th Mar. 1948. B. Watford (190857). 16th Oct. 1947. S. Weightman (174946). 10th May 1948.

Flying Officers:-

S. A. CRAIGIE, D.F.C. (183340). 30th June 1947.

J. Fry, D.F.C. (195775). 10th Oct. 1946. J. K. Holt (197863). 28th Oct. 1947. R. G. Hudson (201300). 1st Mar. 1948. P. A. Leeds (168420). 7th Nov. 1946.

Pilot Officer J. A. Penny (1345892). 5th Sept. 1946.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: M. FELDMAN (59347). 21st Feb. 1948.
P. D. MENZIES (198414). 2nd Sept. 1948.
H. G. ARTHUR (56028). 3rd Sept. 1948.
F. E. WOOD (191262). 8th Sept. 1948.
K. FANTHORPE (193198). 10th Sept. 1948.
B. W. ROBERTS (196484). 18th Sept. 1948.
R. A. PARFITT (199062). 22nd Sept. 1948.
B. J. FRY, D.F.C. (195775). 24th Sept. 1948.

27th Sept. 1948. J. Ellerington (56684). D. J. Flood, D.F.C. (56681). J. R. Tanner (196290).

29th Sept. 1948.
R. D. BOOKER (57084).
J. A. BROWN (168306).
W. E. HAMER (168299).
J. W. J. INGRAM (168268).
R. D. ROE (168233).

30th Sept. 1948. M. T. Bartlett (196125). R. B. Robinson (56766).

1st Oct. 1948. K. N. J. Parsons (180533). R. A. Pike (196225).

2nd Oct. 1948

D. N. H. PARROTT (165350). 2nd Oct. (seniority 18th Sept. 1948).

J. F. SHEPPARD (196911). 3rd Oct. 1948.
G. A. MURRAY (56802). 13th Oct. 1948.
B. L. COLLINGS (56754). 16th Oct. 1948.
A. E. GREGORY (55482). 19th Oct. 1948.

21st Oct. 1948. M. F. Crow (163426). M. D. Marshall (193336).

J. F. H. Scott (56823). 22nd Oct. 1948. J. K. HOLT (197863). 24th Oct. 1948.

27th Oct. 1948. P. W. Devine (197954). P. A. Leeds (168420).

J. F. A. FISHER (199172). 28th Oct. 1948.P. J. McMonagle, D.F.M. (187163). 31st Oct.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—6th Nov. 1948.

A. DICK (2600475).
I. F. McGinty (2600208).
E. Prince (2607752).
M. A. F. Woodley (2600022).
G. A. Boston (3035025) (seniority 22nd Feb.

1948).

6th Nov. 1948 (seniority 21st Mar. 1948). M. A. T. Bubb (3039163). D. J. Lomas (3038891). J. W. Pascoe-Watson (3038489).

Relinquishment of acting rank.

Notification amended.

13th Feb. 1945 (p. 867, col. 2) concerning Air Commodore (acting Air Vice-Marshal) A. Gray for 22nd Dec. 1944 read 4th Dec. 1944.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer A. BAINBRIDGE (197935) to the Aircraft Control Branch retaining his rank. 18th Nov. 1948 (seniority 13th Apr. 1947).

Retirement.

Group Captain F. WRIGHT. 20th Nov. 1948.
Squadron Leader A. G. PAGE, D.S.O., D.F.C.
(74709) (on account of medical unfitness for Air
Force service). 1st Dec. 1948.
Flight Lieutenant E. J. PRICE (169043). 22nd

Nov. 1948.

Commission relinquished.
Flight Lieutenant E. L. Nelson (56023) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 28th Aug. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—
Pilot Officer B. W. White (2600828). 9th Oct.

1948.

Flight Lieutenant F. A. Nokes (51387) retaining his rank. 22nd Sept. 1948.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant J. L. E. Ball (57608) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 18th Nov. 1948.

Cashiering by sentence of General Court Martial.
Flight Lieutenant G. V. DELAROY-HALL, D.F.C.
(174343). 13th Nov. 1948.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—
Cyril George Miles (40005). 23rd Aug. 194
William Cunniffe (44341). 2nd Oct. 1948. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):— 30th July 1948 Richard Henry Beeching (50053). Arthur Sidney Harman (46600).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):-

Thomas Samuel BECKETT (50200). 15th Nov. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

24th Nov. 1948. William Thomas Baker (54013) (seniority 20th July 1946).

Maurice William White (53026) (seniority 23rd

Mar. 1947).
Frederick James Dellbridge (56971) (seniority 2nd Feb. 1948).

Ernest Lewis Clarke (49927). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 30th June 1946).

Flying Officers, short service (A.M.O.As Fly A.899/47):

24th Nov. 1948.

Kenneth James Cuninghame (57612) (seniority 20th Dec. 1946).

Fred Hirst (57865) (seniority 28th Feb. 1947).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):

Nicholas Victor Webber, M.C. (76964). 9th Dec. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

#### Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
C. F. Wilkinson (56565). 1st Sept. 1948.
J. W. Pettigrew (54573). 3rd Sept. 1948.
H. D. Robertson (54260). 6th Oct. 1948.

11th Oct. 1948. G. J. Darlington (57991). D. A. Reynolds (53382).

T. C. E. HATCHER (56789). 23rd Oct. 194 R. Idiens (57993). 25th Oct. 1948. D. R. Spilsbury (53325). 9th Nov. 1948. 23rd Oct. 1948.

# Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:— 20th Nov. 1948. J. M. BENNETT (3108421). D. C. BILLING (3108409). A. J. R. BRUCE (3108410). C. B. BUDD (3108425). J. DALBY (2600560). M. A. R. DAVIS (3108406). G. EVANS (2368261). B. W. FIRTH (3108415).

G. Evans (2368261).
B. W. Firth (3108415).
P. H. Haslam (3108416).
D. R. Knowles (3108417).
P. R. Langford (2600570).
I. H. Lynham (3108424).
P. H. U. Magure (3108419).
H. M. S. Nelll (2368264).
A. M. Patterson (3108414).
T. R. Walsh (2368262).
D. J. Weeks (3108407).
R. C. Wray (3108411).

Retirement.
Flight Lieutenant R. E. Brook (53296). 13th

Flight Lieutenant J. D. Murphy (44788) (at own request) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 9th Dec. 1948.

#### Notification amended.

7th Sept. 1948 (p. 4860, col. 1) concerning H. T. Nicholls (52388) for 13th Aug. 1948 read 8th Nov. 1948.

#### BALLOON BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Cecil Edward Porcher BLAKE (85036). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 16th Sept. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE** ANDSPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant, short service (five years on

the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Eric James Kennedy (65689). 9th Nov. 1948 (seniority 17th Sept. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
George Alfred Daniels (130769). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 6th Feb. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (A.M.O. A. 899/47):—

William Lawson Roy Young (51524). 8th Nov. 1948 (seniority 4th June 1948) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Francis John Cressy (52385). 15th Nov. 1948 (seniority 13th Mar. 1948) (and transferred to the

Equipment Branch on appointment).

25th Nov. 1948.
Eric Sidney Musselwhite (44584) (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).
Sydney Albert Conrad (52173) (seniority 10th Jan. 1947) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment)

Branch on appointment).

Flying As Officer, short service A. 899/47):-

Leon Joseph CAWLEY (56078). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 12th Oct. 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):-

Alistair John Boldero (110495). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) (and transferred to the Equipment Branch on appointment).

As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the active list):

Harry Robert HERRIOTT (177788). 1st July 1948 (seniority 7th Sept. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Eric Albert DICK (155096). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 27th June 1945) (and transferred to the Aircraft Control Branch on appointment).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (one year on the active list):

1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).
Reginald John Brooks (113517) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).
Joseph Colin WARDILL (112390) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

As Flying Officers, temporary (one year on the active list):

Willie DRACUP (166730). 1st Aug. 1948 (seniority 6th Oct. 1946) (and transferred to the Secretarial

Walter Stanley Knowles (143307). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 29th Apr. 1945) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

Notification amended.
10th June 1947 (p. 2622, col. 1) concerning
Patrick Charles Ibbetson Elderton (16244) for
(seniority 1st Jan. 1940) read (seniority 1st Mar. 1945).

Forfeiture of seniority.

Flight Lieutenant F. A. Winson (46155) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 22nd July 1948) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 22nd July 1948.

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent):-

Leslie Baume (113206). 15th June 1948. John Edward Dew-Parry (143245). 23rd Aug.

8th Sept. 1948. Reginald Charles Shapcott Bevan (79860). Richard John Jenkins (44732).

George Valentine CARNE, B.E.M. (561493). 16th Sept. 1948.

As Pilot Officers, short service (five years on the

As Phot Officers, short service (the years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Leonard Marren (203887). 11th Nov. 1948 (seniority 13th June 1947).

Dennis Victor Bick (204367). 24th Nov. 1948 (seniority 17th Apr. 1947).

Rene Beamont Craggs (204460). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 15th May 1947).

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (A.M.O. A.899/47):—

Horace Edward Little (52207). 12th Nov. 1948 (seniority 8th Apr. 1948).
Archibald John Dicker (56395). 25th Nov. 1948

(seniority 11th July 1948).

Officers, short service Flying A.899/47):

Robert Arthur Bulloch (573638). 15th Nov. 1948 (seniority 9th Aug. 1948).

24th Nov. 1948. George Austin Farrell (59018) (seniority 13th Mar. 1948). Roy Sykes (59166) (seniority 17th Apr. 1948).

Morgan Evan Theodore WATTS (59235) (seniority 21st May 1948).
Albert Wickson (59251) (seniority 27th May 1948).

25th Nov. 1948. Herbert Frank Godden (59019) (seniority 13th Mar. 1947).

Raymond Hubert Butler (58402) (seniority 12th Sept. 1947).

As Flight Lieutenants, temporary (two years on the active list):

Vivian Raymond Digby-Worsley (103266).

Aug. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945) Norman Ross Dick (61101). 1 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945). 1st Sept. 1948

As Flying Officers, temporary (two years on the

active list) :-

1st Dec. 1948.
Frank Perrin (58650) (seniority 14th Nov. 1948).
John Peers Pirie (58652) (seniority 14th Nov. 1948).

As Pilot Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):—

Harold James McGarvie (204084). 1948 (seniority 30th Jan. 1947). 1st Sept.

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (one year on the

active list):—
Leslie Alfred Johnson (125988). 1st Sept. 1948 (seniority 3rd July 1948).

**Promotion** 

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
J. W. Edwards (54808). 15th June 1948.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—14th Nov. 1948.
F. PERRIN (58650).

J. P. PIRIE (58652).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer P. E. A. STEVENSON (58518) to the Technical Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 26th Nov. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned Flying Officers (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):— 1st Dec. 1948. F. Perrin (58650). J. P. Pirie (58652).

Retirement.

Pilot Officer W. R. PEARCE (565134) (at own request). 9th Dec. 1948.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leaders (permanent):—
Frederick Stephen STEWART (43923). 15th Apr.

1948. John Walter Chubb (76596). 7th Aug. 1948. Geoffrey Broadhurst (74302). 23rd Aug. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants (permanent)

Herbert Arthur Penny (139204). 30th July 1948

Charles Merrick (138937). 16th Aug. 1948. Robert Patrick Cummins (50565). 10th Sept.

Frederick De Courcy Gribble Morton (68957). 16th Sept. 1948.

30th July

As Flying Officers (permanent):— Sidney Edward ATTREE (199593).

7th Aug. 1948. Lawrence Edgar Bartlett (57327). Arthur Henry Norris (50777).

Andrew Murdoch (56877). 23rd Aug. 1948.

As Pilot Officers (permanent):

William Arthur CUMMINS (59135). 8th Sept. 1948.

Kenneth Voisey Craig (591280). 1948.

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Jerzy Glebocki (500385). 8th Nov. 1948 (seniority 1st Mar. 1947).

Jozef Sergiusz Ostrowski, O.B.E. (500268). 9th Nov. 1948 (seniority 1st Mar. 1947).

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Herbert Edwards (182717). 15th Nov. 1948. (seniority 25th Feb. 1947).

Flying (A.M.O.Officers. short service A.899/47):

Thomas McGrath (591263). (seniority 2nd Oct. 1948). 18th Nov. 1948

Dan Albert Maynew (58782). 24th Nov. 1948

(seniority 21st Jan. 1948).

Derek Alan Godfrey (54386).
(seniority 29th May 1947). 25th Nov. 1948 As Flying Officer, temporary (one year on the

Norman Aubrey Boycott, D.F.C. (179154). 15th Oct. 1948 (seniority 16th Aug. 1947).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
J. W. Birch (53327). 9th Sept. 1948.
H. C. Robinson (55526). 18th Sept. 1948.
J. H. Etchells (54643). 17th Nov. 1948.

Relinquishment of war substantive rank.

Flight Lieutenant P. L. Dakeyne (39068) relinquishes the war substantive rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Jan. 1948.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial.
Flying Officer G. H. HENSON (167499). 20th Nov. 1948.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—
Maitland Hassall Cole FRANCE (500351).
Nov. 1948 (seniority 1st June 1947). 15th

As Flying Officer (permanent):— Kenneth Frederick PLOWMAN (203019). 10th Sept. 1948.

· As Flying Officer (short service):—
· William Howard John PARKER (500260).
Nov. 1948 (seniority 18th July 1948). 15th

As Flight Lieutenants, short service (seven years on the active list):—

15th Nov. 1948.

Martin Joseph Territt,
(seniority 27th June 1946). M.B.E. (500162)

James Arthur Basil Reid (500172) (seniority 23rd Oct. 1946). John Francis FENTON (500294) (seniority 27th Jan. 1947).

As Flying Officer, short service (seven years on the active list):

Robert Henson Killoran (500293). 15th Nov. 1948 (seniority 15th Jan. 1946).

As Flight Lieutenants short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):-15th Nov. 1948.

James Shuttleworth HOLDEN (500379) (seniority 3rd Sept. 1945).

Charles Arthur JEFFREYS (500347) (seniority 22nd Feb. 1947).

Joseph Berkeley Cubey (500170) (seniority 22nd Mar. 1947

John Henry Stuart Jones (500325) (seniority 27th June 1947).
Denys Trevor Smith, M.C. (500279) (seniority 6th Sept. 1947).
George William English (500321) (seniority

George William English (500321) (seniority 27th Oct. 1947).
Christopher Henry James Parsons (500326) (seniority 31st Oct. 1947). James Parsons (500326)

As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

15th Nov. 1948.
Vernon Sampson Liddicoat (500336) (seniority 28th Nov. 1944).
Ralph Frank Duncombe (500352) (seniority 26th

Feb. 1945).

John Turland, M.C. (500282) (seniority 3rd Apr.

George Alfred Frederick Minnigin, D.C.M., M.M. (500353) (seniority 9th Nov. 1945).
Raymond William Johnstone (500354) (seniority 20th Nov. 1945).
Dennis Stephen Baker (500305) (seniority 27th

Ford (500316)TROUNSON

Michael Villiers John Shardlow (500304) (seniority 20th Feb. 1948). Harold John Bromley (500355) (seniority 9th June 1948).

As Pilot Officers, short service (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

15th Nov. 1948.
Phil May (500378) (seniority 28th Nov. 1946).
Frederick Harold Thomas Warren (500324)

(seniority 15th Dec. 1946).
Sean Gerard Mulcary (500175) (seniority 1st Mar. 1947).
Kenenth William CAMERON (500280) (seniority

. 25th Oct. 1947).

Leslie Charles Turnham (500281) (seniority 16th Nov. 1947). Nicol Stevenson (1793109). 24th Nov. 1948 (seniority 2nd July 1947).

Flying Officer, short service (A.M.O.A.899/47):

Alec Arthur Waller (59068). 24th Nov. 1948 (seniority 19th Mar. 1948).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the

active list):—

John Arthur Senior (57376). 8th Dec. 1948 (seniority 29th Aug. 1948).

Notification amended.

Isth July 1948 (p. 4026, col. 2) concerning Patrick Dennis Lee (59882) after "short service" add (seven years on the active list).

20th July 1948 (p. 4147, col. 1) concerning Jesse Frank Wallace, M.C. (59945) should have appeared under the heading "As Flying Officer, short service (seven years on the active list)" and not "As Flying Officers, short service (six years on the active list)."

27th July 1948 (p. 4243, col. 1) concerning Godfrey Percival Chapman, D.S.O., M.C. (59939), delete M.C.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. A. Senior (57376) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 8th Dec. 1948.

#### AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
Harold Vertican, D.F.C., C.G.M. (52435). 2nd Sept. 1948.

As Flying Officer (permanent):-Peter Jermyn (147065). 2nd Sept. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant, temporary (two years on the active list):

BARTLETT Alan (104152).1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flying Officer, temporary (two years on the active list):

David Marshall Hyman (173952). 1948 (seniority 25th Mar. 1946). 22nd Sept.

As Flying Officer, temporary (one year on the

active list):—
Roy Weller (185926). 1st Oct. 1948 (seniority 16th Oct. 1947).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
A. C. Powell, D.F.C. (54794). 19th Nov. 1948.

#### MARINE BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):— Nicholas Morse (46876). 23rd Sept, 1948.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Squadron Leader (permanent):—
Philip Arthur Wilkinson, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23326). 7th Aug. 1948.

As Flight Lieutenant (permanent):—
Samuel Eric Cupples, M.B., B.Ch. (117326). 8th Sept. 1948.

Promotion

D. A. WATSON, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (59682). 18th Nov. 1948.

#### CHAPLAINS' BRANCH.

ppointment to commission.

Notification cancelled.
18th May 1948 (p. 3018, col. 1) concerning Rev.
Thomas Gerard Dullehan (155467).

Rev. G. W. N. Groves, A.L.C.D. (38011), to the relative rank of Wing Commander. 1st Nov. 1948.

The undermentioned to the relative rank of Squadron Leader :-

Rev. A. M. MACLEOD, M.A. (59645). 18th Nov. 1948.

Rev. P. Byrne (59690). 21st Nov. 1948. Rev. J. A. Wynne (59692). 1st Dec. 1948.

#### METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Ronald Julian Moss Baron (201363). 25th Nov. 1948 (seniority 15th Nov. 1947) (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch on appointment).

#### EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Denis John Ward (3034069). 11th Aug. 1948 (substituted for notification of 19th Oct. 1948 (p. 5516, col. 1)).

#### Notification amended.

Ist Apr. 1947 (p. 1492, col. 2) concerning Aubrey Franklin Jones (73750) for Aubrey Franklin Jones read Aubrey Franklin-Jones and for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947, Joshua Kenneth Silver (75303) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947 and Charles Edward Pulham Suttle (75306) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947.

15th Apr. 1947 (p. 1673, col. 1) concerning Leslie Trimble Rea (73362) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947.

29th Apr. 1947 (p. 1604)

June 1947.

29th Apr. 1947 (p. 1904, col. 1) concerning Herbert Ewart Beardshaw (73075) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947 and concerning Thomas George Whitlock (75378) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st July 1947.

20th May 1947 (p. 2246, col. 1) concerning Arthur George Abel (73056) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st July 1947 and concerning Edgar Knowles, M.B.E. (73264) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947.

27th May 1947 (p. 2395, col. 1) concerning James Sidney Crisfield (202390) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st July 1947.

1st July 1947.

17th June 1947.

17th June 1947 (p. 2720, col. 1) concerning Arthur Theobald MATHEWS (74371) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st Aug. 1947.

16th Sept. 1947 (p. 4337, col. 1) concerning David Jordan Addis, A.C.G.I., A.M.I.Mech.E. (73061) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st Oct. 1947.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: -H. Oxley, B.Sc. (64109). 19th Nov. 1948.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:-

20th Nov. 1948.

J. K. BOUD, B.A. (3108418).
D. J. COCKRELL, B.Sc. (Eng.). (3108408).
C. J. T. COOMBS, B.Sc. (3108420).
S. J. DIAMOND, B.Sc. (2368263).
E. G. LAW, B.Sc. (3108382).
J. B. SPENCER, B.Sc. (3108375).

#### PROVOST BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flying Officer (permanent):— Robert Thomson Laing (190628). 13th Sept 1948.

#### Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:-J. R. COULSON (151439). 5th Mar. 1948.

#### CATERING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer, short service (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
Hugh Charles Burdoff (203507). 24th Nov. 1948 (seniority 3rd Oct. 1948).

### PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Appointment to Commission.

As Flying Officer (permanent): –

Donald Ernest Oxborrow (188926). 15th Sept. 1948.

#### RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) H. F. TRUSCOTT (41223) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 4th Nov. 1948.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

#### TRAINING BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Pilot Officers:

Sydney THOMAS (64659). 18th May 1948.

8th June 1948. Harold Gordon Beech (3050452). Harold Turner (2205355).

Frederick Howell Abraham (701210). 9th June

22nd June 1948. James Frederick Raymond GLOVER (1040677). Ronald James Sullivan (3000957).

Royston Alfred Jones (1180546). 23rd June 1948. Ernest James Shaw (1815692). 1st July 1948. William Edwin Eric Hanson (1653490). 4th July 1948.

6th July 1948. Ernest John Davies (845433). Leonard Alan Ward (1277061).

William Henry LASHBROOKE (1860772). 8th July

17th July 1948. Harry Reginald Curtis (1579781). Richard Jack WOOSNAM (1804303).

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. Speirs (127718) (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force Service). 17th Nov.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Emergency commission section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: -

K. E. Hellings (199054). 4th Sept. 1948. R. F. Etherington (196313). 25th Sept. 1948. R. S. Laurie (197271). 28th Oct. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):— Flight Lieutenants:-

J. A. MORRISON (181501). 1st July 1948.

1st Aug. 1948. E. W. Bartlett, A.F.C. (139599). H. G. D. M. Payne (89583). E. F. S. Tarling, D.F.C. (188162)

L. A. N. HOLLAND (144285). 19th Aug. 1948. 1st Sept. 1948.

J. W. Burns, D.F.C. (174562).

P. C. Gore (158125).

T. H. James (181517).

D. QUEENBOROUGH (201673).

K. TEMPERO (191498).

R. WALSH (151888). 15th Sept. 1948.

1st Oct. 1948.
J. Liddell (137211).
A. Rogers (189266).
R. H. Stubbs (167228).
J. H. G. Whitby (189621).
F. R. Wickham (175046).

R. A. KEMP, D.F.C., D.FM. (177974). Nov. 1948. J. D. WHEELER (131628). 9th Dec. 1948. Flying Officers:—

Ist July 1948.
F. B. Garwood (200965).
R. L. Green (200802).
L. A. Mason (199891).

P. M. Marsh (199395). 1st Aug. 1948. R. M. Delves (196585). 1st Sept. 1948. J. H. Elliott (168168). 1st Oct. 1948.

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining their rank:— Flight Lieutenants:

20th Sept. 1948. E. R. Perry, D.F.C. (174337). N. B. Underhill (171315). R. S. Wambeek, D.F.C. (138668). A. S. Younger (141712).

J. T. SWANN (163657). 22nd Sept. 1948. G. C. Purvis (150375). 6th Oct. 1948.

Flying Officers:—

20th Sept. 1948.

H. R. SEARLE, D.F.C. (186229).

G. P. SMITH (166902).

W. L. SOWTER (197874).

Commission resigned.
Flight Lieutenant J. A. Johnston (185547). 6th June 1948.

Flight Lieutenant B. M. A. Hynes (164694). 30th Aug. 1948.

Flying Officers:—
A. E. F. BAKER, D.F.C. (195991). 17th June 1948.

H. C. C. PHILLIPS (166583). 21st June 1948.

Flight Lieutenant I. R. MACINTYRE (88719) retaining his rank. 28th Nov. 1948.

The undermentioned retaining their rank:

Flight Lieutenants (war subs.):—
J. A. RICHARDS (120868). 9th Oct. 1948.
S. J MOORE (146637). 31st Oct. 1948.
T. S. MABON (153711). 9th Nov. 1948.
J. W. ROLFE (144322). 13th Nov. 1948.
W. C. PRICE (169706). 16th Nov. 1948.

18th Nov. 1948. P. H. Brooks (121959). W. A. Simmons (149609)

Flying Officers (war subs.):—
M. D. BISHOP (203534). 11th Nov. 1948.
M. F. MAGUIRE (197966). 18th Nov. 1948.

Flying Officer R. L. BARTRUM (183447). Nov. 1948. 4th

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant N. V. Webber, M.C. (76964) on appointment to a temporary commission in the 9th Dec. 1948. R.A.F.).

The undermentioned (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.):—

Squadron Leader G. P. RAWLINGS, O.B.E. (83387), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 20th Sept. 1948.

Flying Officer D. N. VANN (201557) retaining his rank. 20th Sept. 1948.

Notification amended

20th May 1947 (p. 2247, col. 1) concerning A. G. ABEL (73056) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st July 1947.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on account of medical unfitness for Air Force service):-

Flight Lieutenant R. L. Bradford, M.C. (89860), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 27th Nov. 1948.

Flight Lieutenant A. M. Carrie (83842) retaining his rank. 6th Dec. 1948
Flying Officer H. S. Mather (109644) retaining his rank. 25th Nov 1948.

· The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenants:

1st Sept. 1948.

A. J. BOLDERO (110495).

R. J. BROOKS (113517).

J. C. WARDILL (112390)

Flying Officers:—
H. R. HERRIOTT (177788). 1st July 1948.
W. DRACUP (166730). 1st Aug. 1948.

1st Sept. 1948. E. A. DICK (155096). W. S. KNOWLES (143307).

Flying Officer W. L. TRACY (105611) (on appointment to the reconstituted RA.F.V.R.) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 20th Sept. 1948.

Notification amended.

1st Apr. 1947 (p. 1493, col. 2) concerning A. F. Jones (73750) for A. F. Jones read A. Franklin-Jones and for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947, T. S Preston (73350) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947, J. K. Silver (75303) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947, and concerning C. E. P. Suttle (75306) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947. June 1947.

15th Apr. 1947 (p. 1673, col. 2) concerning L. T. REA (73362) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947. 29th Apr. 1947 (p. 1905, col. 1) concerning H. E. BEARDSHAW (73075) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947, and concerning T. G. WHITLOCK (75378) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st July 1947. 20th May 1947 (p. 2247, col. 1) concerning E. KNOWLES, M.B.E. (73264) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st June 1947. 27th May 1947 (p. 2396, col. 2) concerning

27th May 1947 (p. 2396, col. 2) concerning S. CRISFIELD (202390) for 1st Oct. 1946 read

1st July 1947.
17th June 1947 (p. 2720, col. 2) concerning A. T.
MATHEWS (74371) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st Aug.

16th Sept. 1947 (p. 4337, col. 2) concerning D. J. Addis, A.C.G.I., A.M.I.Mech.E. (73061) for 1st Oct. 1946 read 1st Oct. 1947.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer D. D. MAYMAN (51175). 1st Nov. 1948

Flight Lieutenant C. S. TRIBE (84057) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 10th Dec. 1948.
Flying Officer (war subs.) H. N. NEALE-RAND (188842) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 13th Nov. 1948.

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—

Flight Lieutenants:— V. R. DIGBY-WORSLEY (103266). 1st Aug. 1948.

1st Sept. 1948. N. R. DICK (61101). L. A. JOHNSON (125988).

Pilot Officer H. J. McGarvie (204084). Sept. 1948. 1st

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer N. A. BOYCOTT, D.F.C. (179154) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.). 15th Oct. 1948.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
A. F. FORSTER (127594). 28th Aug. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

Notification amended.

2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5778, col. 2) concerning R. Collier (145133) for 27th Aug. 1948 read 1st May 1948.

#### AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on appointment to a temporary commission in the R.A.F.):—
Flight Lieutenant A. BARTLETT (104152). 1st Oct. 1948.

Flying Officers:—
D. M. HYMAN (173952). 22nd Sept. 1948.
R. WELLER (185926). 1st Oct. 1948.

#### DENTAL BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flight undermentioned Lieutenants account of medical unfitness for Air Force service) retaining their rank:—

A. Kilgour-Green, L.D.S. (120906). 25th Nov. 1948.

G. WOOTLIFF, L.D.S. (203119). 2nd Dec. 1948.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section.)

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

ppointment to commission.

As Flying Officers:—
20th Sept. 1948.
Edwin Reginald PERRY, D.F.C. (174337).
Horace Raynold SEARLE, D.F.C. (186229).
George Phillip SMITH (166902).
William Logan Sowter (197874).
Norman Boyce Underhill (171315).
Ronald Stuart WAMBEEK, D.F.C. (138668).
Alexander Seers Younger (141712).

22nd Sept. 1948. Frank Alan Nokes (51387). John Timothy Swann (163657).

George Chartres Purvis (150375). 6th Oct. 1948.

As Pilot Officer:— Bruce William White (2600828). 9th Oct. 1948.

Notification amended.

2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5778, col. 2) concerning Alexander Holmes RUSSELL (151706) for Holmes 2) concerning read Holms.

#### TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flight Lieutenant:—
Grahame Pryce RAWLINGS, O.B.E. (83387). 20th

As Flying Officer:—
Derek Norman Vann (201557). 20th Sept. 1948.

#### SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
As Flying Officer:—
William Leonard TRACY (105611). 20th Sept. 1948

# ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission.

Notification amended.

2nd Nov. 1948 (p. 5779, col. 2) concerning Ronald Collier (145133) for 27th Aug. 1948 read 1st May 1948.

#### WOMEN'S FORCES.

NCESS MARY'S R NURSING SERVICE. PRINCESS ROYAL AIR FORCE

Retirement.

Senior Sister K. F. WOODCOCK, A.R.R.C. (5048) (at own request). 11th Dec. 1948.

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