Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant H. J. GIBSON (190542) to the Airfield Construction Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 17th Nov. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

ommission relinquished. Flight Lieutenant A. M. E. J. LEMAIRE (103565). Ist Oct. 1946. Flight Lieutenant (war subs.) A. JACKSON (144951). 7th Nov. 1948. Flight Lieutenant J. P. HICKS (184342) (on appointment to a temporary commission in the **R.A.F.**). 1st Nov. 1948 (substituted for notifica-tion of 9th Nov. 1948 (p. 5877, col. 2)).

Notification cancelled.

8th Feb. 1949 (p. 683, col. 2) concerning T. H. WARREN, D.F.C. (157731).

Retention of rank.

The permission granted to Flying Officer E. D. F. HINE (171884) to retain rank, notified on 12th June 1945 (p. 3077, col. 2), is withdrawn with effect from 17th Jan. 1949.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned are transferred to the Air-field Construction Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority. 17th Nov. 1948:—

Flight Lieutenants:

- F. C. HONEY (77630). H. D. M. SEYMOUR (135164). H. JENNINGS (137066).

- Flying Officers :

 - Ing Officers: —
 G. S. Cooper (198995).
 H. SIMMONS (198993).
 J. W. CHARNLEY (198994).
 R. STRUTHERS (202023).
 P. H. T. LEWIS (202952).
 N. F. CLARK (202903).
 C. E. LOVERIDGE (204497).
- ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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Grant of higher rank. Flight Lieutenant (honorary) E. G. ACKERMANN, G.M. (71182) to be Squadron Leader (honorary). 8th Feb. 1949.

Transfer between branches. Flying Officer A. R. YOUNG (198653) to the Airfield Construction Branch retaining his existing rank and seniority. 17th Nov. 1948.

Commission relinquished.

The undermentioned (on cessation of duty): ----

- Wing Commanders (honorary):---W. E. N. GROWDON (71622). 3rd Mar. 1946. H. MURRAY (71245). 20th July 1948 (substi-tuted for notification of 30th Nov. 1948 (p. 6232,
- col. 1)). I. H. COLE (71200). 26th Jan. 1949.

 - Ust Mar. 1949. Ist Mar. 1949. W. F. CHIPP, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C. P. H. Goss.

Squadron Leaders (honorary):— T. W. Jones (71507). 1st Apr. 1947. G. L. PICKARD (71169). 17th Aug. 1947.

- - 26th Jan. 1949.
- H. L. BEARDS (71606). R. BRUCE (71129).
- E. A. LOVELL (71607).
- E. MICHELMORE, M.C. (71667). 16th Feb D. J. GARRARD (192581). 9th Mar. 1949. 16th Feb. 1949.

- Flight Lieutenants (honorary):— B. R. Thorn (71429). 5th Jan. 1945. J. D. T. TAYLOR-GILL (192619). 16th Feb. 1949.
- Flying Officer (honorary) R. H. COLLCUTT (71646). 26th Jan. 1949.
- SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission. As Flight Lieutenant (honorary):---Thomas Henry FLUDE (192660). 11th Feb. 1949.

- MEDICAL BRANCH.
- Commission relinquished. Squadron Leader (honorary) H. L. WALKER, M.D., L.M.S. (192640) (on cessation of duty). 28th Jan. 1949.

Commission resigned. Flight Lieutenant E. C. LEVINE, M.B., Ch.B. (204392). 6th Jan. 1949.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE. (Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer C. CRICHTON (182726) (on appoint-ment to the Royal Air Force). 24th Feb. 1949.

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