ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Commission relinquished.

Squadron Leader M. O. TAYLOR (104109), on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.) retaining his rank. 15th Dec. 1951.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE, (Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officers (five years):—

Norman Ernest Cragg Dear (195453). 6th Oct.

Michael John Harris (205794). 11th Oct. 1951. Frank Clafton (157057). 8th Nov. 1951. Norman Walter Alec Barfoot (162325). 16t

16th Nov. 1951.

Sidney Leslie GERRELLI (196870). 20th Nov. 1951

William Thomas Dunn (191896). 29th Nov. 1951.

Ernest Smithies (198856). 20th Dec. 1951. Alfred Peake (176424). 31st Dec. 1951.

As Pilot Officers (five years):—
Leslie Stephen Moore (2600660). 17th Sent 1951.

19th Nov. 1951 Robert William Allen (2600563). Anthony Birchenall Fielding (2600569).

15th Dec. 1951.

John Glyn Burgan (2600001).

Peter John Edward Hodgkinson (2614463). John Ernest Waltham (2601479).

As Pilot Officer (two years):—
Peter Michael BRADLEY (205793). 2nd Jan. 1952.

As Pilot Officers (until 6th Oct. 1954):—
Arthur Roger McKenzie (205792). 6th Nov. 1951.

John Barraclough (205796). 15th Nov. 1951.

Extension of service.

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended to five years with effect from the dates

Flight Lieutenant I. F. R. DICKINSON (169068). 20th Feb. 1952.

Flying Officers:— S. R. GILLANDERS (53077). 11th Jan. 1952.

20th Feb. 1952.

W. V. BLAKEY (204234). H. M. HOWARD (187156).

The period of service of the undermentioned is extended to three years with effect from the dates stated :

Flight Lieutenant T. N. RISK (130959). 11th Jan. 1952.

Flying Officers:

J. SKERRY (163473). 5th Feb. 1952.J. M. Burch (163349). 24th Feb. 1952.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant I. U. M. Gallaway (39416) is extended by one year with effect from 10th Jan. 1952.

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-

1st Mar. 1951.

J. G. Astbury (66000) (seniority 1st Oct. 1947).

W. O. Fortune (125662) (seniority 1st Feb. 1948).

T. R. Rust (152327) (seniority 1st Mar. 1948). R. Bibby (150509) (seniority 12th May 1948). R. N. Rostance (66578) (seniority 21st June

1948).

A. S. DOLEY (159509) (seniority 28th June 1948). W. M. TAYLOR (156945) (seniority 22nd Aug.

1949).
A. E. BRAMSON (150694) (seniority 12th Apr.

1950).
R. J. MORGAN (180468) (seniority 11th June

B. R. WILSON (130809) (seniority 1st Oct. 1950).

J. CONROY (179284) (seniority 2nd Oct. 1950).

D. McQuillan (189449) (seniority 25th Jan. 1951).

D. C. Mills (55293). 24th Mar. 1951. S. T. Wingham (156389). 28th Mar. 1951. G. E. Banwell (171746). 22nd June 1951. R. T. Champion, D.F.C. (171219). 11th July

1951.

F. BELFIELD (181260). 16th July 1951. R. T. LITTLEWOOD, D.F.M. (199527). 17th July

1951.

A. H. M. STEWART (155241). 21st July 1951. H. M. HARGREAVES (162833). 1st Aug. 1951. J. J. PARKER (187906). 12th Aug. 1951. E. C. HARRIS, D.F.C. (205054). 15th

15th Aug. 1951.

W. M. MARK, D.F.C. (204819). 28th A. E. W. WILLIAMS (162178). 15th Sept. T. J. PUGH (141861). 20th Sept. 1951. 28th Aug. 1951. 15th Sept. 1951.

4th Oct. 1951

J. E. Franey, D.F.C. (148468). J. C. Minto, D.F.C. (119579).

P. E. HUTCHINGS (164847). 4th Nov. 1951. R. HUTTON (145729). 8th Dec. 1951. L. J. TOWNSEND (193483). 29th Dec. 1951.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—
D. J. A. DORRITY (2606041). 1st Mar. 19 (seniority 1st Feb. 1951).
H. H. MILLIGAN (2600122). 9th Sept. 1951.
J. H. JAMES (1803685). 13th Nov. 1951. 1st Mar. 1951

Notification amended.

16th Oct. 1951 (p. 5367, col. 2) concerning G. N. KNOWLES, D.F.C. (157427) for (seniority 27th Aug. 1951) read (seniority 1st Aug. 1951).

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer A. G. H. Hoare (205489) (on appointment to the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Air Squadron). 22nd Oct. 1951.

Flying Officers (on appointment to short service commissions in the R.A.F.):—
R. L. H. DENCH (155495). 1st Jan. 1952.
T. J. Pugh (141861). 4th Feb. 1952.

Pilot Officer G. A. WILLIAMSON (205022) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 29th Sept. 1951.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer B. F. F. Ely (1809061). 5th Jan. 1952.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (five years):—
Denis Coram (151485). 27th Nov. 1951.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
G. B. TAIT, B.Sc. (113811). 16th May 1951.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.

As Flying Officer (five years):—

Mark Osbond Taylor (104109). 15th Dec. 1951.

As Pilot Officers (five years) Leslie Reed BLACKING (205798). 6th Oct. 1951.

15th Dec. 1951. John Michael Geoffrey BELL (2602475). John Stewart HAWORTH (2601489).

Notification cancelled.
11th Jan. 1952 (p. 256, col. 1) concerning Leslie Mellor (205755).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— J. M. LAYTON (111419). 17th May 1951.

Commission resigned.
Flying Officer F. A. Dixon (135968). 14th Aug.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Commission relinquished.
Flying Officer K. E. SHARDLOW (174967) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.Aux.A.F.). 9th Jan. 1952.

AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission.
As Flying Officers (five years):—
Thomas Fernie McMahon (178243). 24th Nov. 1951

Paul Derek Taylor (143081). 29th Nov. 1951.