

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 J. E. G. ROGERS (4028917). 28th Jan. 1956.
 18th Feb. 1956.
 P. COOK (4112529).
 G. A. HICKEY (4128047).

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve.
 Flight Lieutenant D. E. W. SARGENT, B.Sc. (3138998). 12th Feb. 1956.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Flight Lieutenant (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—
 Wilfred Lochiel AKMAN, M.B., Ch.B. (180027).
 8th Jan. 1956 (seniority 2nd July 1954).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant E. STOKOE, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (502606), is extended to four years with effect from 6th May 1953.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 6th Feb. 1956.
 D. R. CHAMBERS, M.B., B.S. (504084).
 J. W. MOSS, M.B., Ch.B. (504139).
 G. A. REED, M.B., B.Ch. (504132).
 C. E. SIMPSON, M.B., Ch.B. (504191). 9th Feb. 1956.
 A. D. THURSZ, M.B., B.Ch., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (504048). 21st Feb. 1956.

Notification amended.

18th Sept. 1951 (p. 4877, col. 1) concerning F. LATHAM, M.B., Ch.B., B.Sc. (202834) for (seniority 23rd May 1951) read (seniority 23rd Jan. 1951).

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant G. LIVINGSTON, M.B., Ch.B. (502790). 2nd Feb. 1956.

Retirement.

Air Vice-Marshal R. H. STANBRIDGE, O.B.E., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.M., D.I.H., Q.H.P. 4th Feb. 1956.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—
 Thomas Francis MURRAY, L.D.S. (504548). 18th Sept. 1955.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
 W. B. WILLIAMS, L.D.S. (204544). 14th Feb. 1956.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 6th Feb. 1956.
 J. H. HALLIWELL, L.D.S. (504155).
 D. H. ROBERTS, L.D.S. (504124).
 D. W. SEALBY, B.D.S., L.D.S. (504125).
 S. B. WHITLEY, B.D.S., L.D.S. (504156).

National service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer D. J. BROOKMAN, B.D.S., L.D.S. (504222) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 10th Feb. 1956.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of the Rev. E. A. C. CANNAN (51619) is extended to six years with effect from 1st July 1953.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—
 Thomas Hutchison MASTERTON, M.A. (2717345).
 15th Dec. 1955.

Adjustment of period of service on transfer between branches.

The period of service of Flying Officer P. G. HEARN, B.A. (504414), is adjusted to five years on the active list and four years on the reserve (on transfer to the Physical Fitness Branch) with effect from 25th Aug. 1955.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 A. WILLIAMS, B.Sc. (503964). 10th Nov. 1955.
 19th Feb. 1956.
 J. D. HAILSTONE, B.Sc. (503211).
 N. J. LONGBONE, B.A. (503216).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 27th Jan. 1956.

H. N. BARBER, B.A. (2736897).
 C. C. BIGGAR, B.A. (2726259).
 W. J. SLEATER, M.A. (2736909).
 A. T. STILL, M.A. (2600382).
 W. G. THOMAS, B.Sc. (504329). 9th Feb. 1956.
 W. D. HEDGECOCK, B.Sc. (3147053). 13th Feb. 1956.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer P. G. HEARN, B.A. (504414) to the Physical Fitness Branch, retaining his rank. 14th Dec. 1955 (seniority 25th Aug. 1955).

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenants :—
 D. E. TAIT, B.A. (501297). 8th Feb. 1956.
 F. HARGREAVES, B.A. (502935). 11th Feb. 1956.
 Flying Officer R. FULTON, B.Sc. (502934). 11th Feb. 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officers :—
 6th Feb. 1956.
 A. S. CAMPBELL, B.Sc. (2715039).
 R. R. CORI, B.Sc. (2715042).
 C. G. McMILLAN, B.Com. (3142546).
 J. SMALL, B.A. (2715036).

National service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer T. H. MASTERTON, M.A. (2717345), (on appointment to a short service commission). 15th Dec. 1955.

PROVOST BRANCH.*Commission resigned.*

Flying Officer A. S. JACKSON, D.F.M. (182788). 9th Feb. 1956.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Transfer to reserve.*

Flying Officer M. R. CHANNER (160285). 12th Feb. 1956.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer M. RAYNER (407027) is extended by two years with effect from 11th Feb. 1956.

Short service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer M. J. ODLUM (406832). 14th Feb. 1956.
 Flying Officer B. C. ROBINSON (407028). 11th Feb. 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.*Commission relinquished (class J).*

Flight Lieutenant J. W. MITCHELL (21079) (on cessation of duty). 19th Feb. 1956.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended by five years with effect from the dates stated :—

A. J. H. AMES, D.F.M. (53741). 15th Feb. 1956.
 P. A. NICHOLAS, D.F.C. (39257). 17th Feb. 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. A. FRANKLAND (57017). 13th Feb. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 J. W. F. HENDERY (2701675). 12th Dec. 1955.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant T. G. DAVIS (44702) is extended by five years with effect from 21st Feb. 1956.