### ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.
As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List):—
Edward Arthur Brace, M.B.E. (188033). 1st Dec. 1955 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 25th Apr. 1956).

Appointment to commission (short service).
As Pilot Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—
3147417 Aircraftman 2nd class Hugh JACKSON (3147417). 29th Mar. 1956 (period of service to count from 29th Mar. 1956).

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer A. Shepphard (2504664) is extended to eight years with effect from 26th Oct. 1954.

Transfer between branches.
Flying Officer A. SHEPPHARD (2504664) to the General Duties Branch, retaining his rank. 14th Mar. 1956 (seniority 22nd Dec. 1955).

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant J. H. H. Whybrow (500681). 20th May 1956. Flight Lieutenant A. A. Waller (59068), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 27th May 1956.

### MARINE BRANCH.

Retirement.

Squadron Leader W. F. Austin (44107). 23rd May 1956.

### AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Flying Officer A. H. M. Bever, B.Sc. (2722311).
15th May 1956.

### MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent).
as Flight Lieutenant:—
John Martin Wilson, M.B., B.S.,
L.R.C.P. (502992). 2nd Mar. 1956. B.S., M.R.C.S.,

As Flying Officer:—
Roy Fraser Stark, M.B., Ch.B. (158750). 8th
Apr. 1956.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Desmond Joseph Duffy, M.B., B.Ch., D.M.R.T. (504705). 8th Apr. 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—
R. F. STARK, M.B., Ch.B. (158750). 8th Apr. 1956 (seniority 8th Nov. 1951).
G. GILRAY, M.B., Ch.B. (504260). 1st May 1956.

22nd May 1956. J. D. Busfield, M.B., Ch.B. (504299). J. S. Lawson, M.B., Ch.B. (504262).

## DENTAL BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).
Flight Lieutenant D. W. MARTIN, B.D.S., L.D.S.
(503541). 19th May 1956.

## CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Extension of service.

Notification amended. 6th Apr. 1956 (p. 1997, col. 2) concerning Rev. W. A. Williams, B.A., B.D. (503192), for W. A. Williams read W. H. Williams.

Promotion

The undermentioned Chaplains are granted the relative rank of Wing Commander:—

2nd June 1956. Rev. E. W. Daly, O.B.E. (122297). Rev. J. Marquis (122298).

## EDUCATION BRANCH.

Extension of service. The period of service on the active list of Flight Officer K. M. HALL, M.A. (8613), W.R.A.F. is extended until 29th Aug. 1957.

Notification amended.

24th Apr. 1956 (p. 2404, col. 1) concerning G. WALKER, B.A. (503206) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

### Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:— J. M. A. COURT, B.Sc. (500151). 1st June 1956.

### PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:— J. N. Perry (502301). 4th June 1956.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer B. WETTON (4022021) to the Royal Air Force Regiment, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 30th Apr. 1956.

#### Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant A. R. CHASTON (48087). 23rd

May 1956.
Flight Lieutenant R. Hopper (43739), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 23rd May 1956.

#### MARY'S ROYAL NURSING SERVICE.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flight Officer (four years on the active list):-Helen Kearon (407036). 23rd Apr. 1 (seniority 23rd Apr. 1956).

Short service commission relinquished.
Flying Officer G. M. SHERMAN (407062). 26th May 1956.

Commission resigned.

Flight Officer N. Hughes (406917). 28th Apr. 1956.

Flying Officers:—
J. WHALE (407127). 30th Apr. 1956.
E. M. B. Hurt (407237). 1st May 1956.

# ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Extension of service.

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

Squadron Leader G. HARRIS (37677). 31st May 1956.

Flight Lieutenants:

29th May 1956.

A. E. BULL (131687) W. Morrell (191469).

Flying Officer J. W. FIRKIN (55935). 20th Mar.

## Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenants:—
D. P. Dixon (181722). 5th June 1955.
A. J. Fraser (59373) (on enrolment in the Royal Canadian Air Force). 22nd Sept. 1955.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer B. F. W.R.A.F.R.O. 6th Mar. 1956. WALLACE

## DENTAL BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Squadron Leader H. M. PHILLIPS, L.D.S. (6288), is extended by five years with effect from 3rd June 1956.

## ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE. (Reconstituted).

# GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. D. MACCARTHY (2688575) is extended by five years with effect from 1st June 1956.

Transfer to the General List of the R.Aux.A.F.

Flight Lieutenant G. J. Dolman (141423), for five years. 13th May 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer D. W. SERGEANT (3115513). 3rd Feb. 1956.
Pilot Officer J. G. Woolhouse (205788). 11th Mar. 1956.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officer G. NOTON (née TAIT) (2661681), W.R.Aux.A.F. 23rd Mar. 1956.