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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

*Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.111/55.*

*As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List):—*

Harold James ROWE (161413). 1st Dec. 1955.

*Transfer to a permanent direct commission (scheme A).*

*As Flight Lieutenant:—*

John Kenneth MCLEAN (3507127). 17th Apr. 1956.

*As Flying Officers:—*

Reginald George CASTLE (4034654). 9th Feb. 1956.

Michael John Atha BRYETT (3515126). 11th Apr. 1956.

John Fisher CHOWN, B.E.M. (2532308). 24th Apr. 1956.

Olaf William ALDERSON (4049157). 4th May 1956.

*As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—*

George Alastair AKED (2211642). 14th Feb. 1956.

Raymond George HUDSON (201300). 7th Mar. 1956.

*As Flying Officers (Branch List):—*

Marian JANKIEWICZ (704305). 9th Nov. 1955.

Charles Roy BULL (3214036). 5th Apr. 1956.

Albert John EDWARDS, D.F.M. (1572781). 9th May 1956.

*Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B).*

*As Flight Lieutenants (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

John Victor JONES (3504498). 21st Mar. 1956

(period of service to count from 15th June 1948).

Peter Christopher EDEN (2600821). 17th Apr. 1956

(period of service to count from 8th Apr. 1953).

*As Flying Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

William Donald Brian ANDREWS (4043995). 2nd

Aug. 1955 (period of service to count from 17th

June 1953).

Brian Clifford FARRER (3514617). 9th Mar.

1956 (period of service to count from 26th Nov.

1952).

Roger Frederick William MANSFIELD (3511974). 16th Mar. 1956 (period of service to count from 18th Mar. 1952).

John CLEGG (3134738). 3rd Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 20th Oct. 1953).

Alan CHAPMAN (2557265). 4th Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 1st July 1952).

Geoffrey Ronald JACKSON (3504864). 5th Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 21st Feb. 1949).

Frederick Campbell REID (3507362). 17th Apr. 1956 (period of service to count from 28th Jan. 1950).

Peter KENYON (2557285). 1st May 1956 (period of service to count from 15th Oct. 1952).

John George KEMP (3130347). 2nd May 1956

(period of service to count from 15th Sept. 1951).

Brian Harry COOK (4088921). 9th May 1956

(period of service to count from 16th Jan. 1952).

*Appointment to commission (short service).*

*As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

Harold John WESTWOOD (504622). 4th June 1956.

*Appointment to commission (national service).*

*As Pilot Officer:—*

2774679 Aircraftman 2nd class Malcolm Richard HICK (2774679). 17th May 1956 (substituted for notification of 19th June 1956 (p. 3582, col. 1)).

*Regrading.*

*The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers are regraded as Pilot Officers:—*

24th Mar. 1956.

R. ALEXANDER (2765719).

M. R. BOWLEY (2770080).

J. M. MANSFIELD (2757408).

M. A. MANSFIELD (2752882).

R. J. MARJORIBANKS (2608394).

J. D. WILSON (2770097).

9th June 1956.

D. G. BARTLE (4175480).

M. BEAMAN (2761749).

T. A. C. DULLEY (2768296).

J. E. J. FERGUSON (2769957).

D. R. MCCALL (2770183).

J. R. SIMPSON (2767293).

**Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned is extended to twelve years with effect from the dates stated:—

**Flight Lieutenants:—**

G. LORD (2205819). 15th Dec. 1948.  
R. M. WILKINSON (135092). 29th Jan. 1951.

Flying Officer J. E. F. HALLADAY (3501330). 17th Jan. 1951.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer A. G. H. FERGUSON (4100173) is extended to seven years with effect from 21st May 1952.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer D. W. O'GRADY (2533302) is extended to six years with effect from 30th Jan. 1952.

The period of service on the active list of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended to five years with effect from the dates stated:—

C. J. FORD (2539869). 22nd July 1952.  
N. W. BLANCHARD (4108286). 3rd Sept. 1952.

**Promotion.****Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**

D. E. HARRIS (583514). 11th July 1956.  
W. F. TESTER (190553). 12th July 1956.  
H. DAVIDSON (2458185). 14th July 1956.

16th July 1956.

D. F. MOFFAT (2600539).  
W. P. SHEPPARD (4043401).

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—**

14th July 1956.  
J. M. ALCOCK (4147998).  
P. J. BROCKSOM (4149107).  
T. G. R. OSBORN (4148878).  
I. SEMPLE (4148872).  
R. N. WAITE (4119218).  
P. F. ZIMBER (3102508).

**Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Lieutenant P. P. PALMER (163176). 17th June 1956.

**Flying Officers:—**

R. S. HODSON (4054406). 28th June 1956.  
D. J. SANDCRAFT (4093959). 5th July 1956.

**Retirement.**

Group Captain E. J. P. DAVY. 1st July 1956.  
Squadron Leader M. KELLETT, D.F.C. (86630), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 19th June 1956.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.****Confirming and regrading.**

Acting Pilot Officer on probation M. J. PETTET (609012) is confirmed in appointment and regraded as Pilot Officer. 29th Mar. 1956 (seniority 22nd July 1955).

**Promotion.**

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—**  
G. WALMSLEY-MOSS (569772). 29th June 1956.

12th July 1956.

J. M. ALFORD (567986).  
C. W. HODGKIN (571404).  
B. C. PARTRIDGE (577406).  
D. W. TAYLOR (2743505). 13th July 1956.

15th July 1956.

A. E. HAFKOST (566812).  
J. A. W. McDONALD (503705).  
A. MOLLISON (570807).  
D. A. SEAR (572693).

**Retirement.**

Wing Commander J. R. C. LANE A.F.R.Ae.S. (44091). 21st June 1956.  
Squadron Leader C. F. SPILLARD (47464). 30th June 1956.  
Squadron Leader W. G. AHERN (44235), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 5th July 1956.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (national service).****As Pilot Officers:—****Aircraftmen 2nd class.**

31st May 1956.  
2772026 Douglas John Morris CAFFYN (2772026).  
2772789 David Ellis EVANS (2772789).

**Removal.**

Squadron Leader R. J. HEALEY (89620). 26th Oct. 1955.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.****Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer J. W. ORAM (2815382), W.R.A.F. is extended to six years with effect from 5th July 1951.

**Promotion.**

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**  
P. A. HAUGHEY (1454494). 29th June 1956.

**Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Lieutenant A. C. HARPER (81821). 11th July 1956.  
Flight Officer F. H. MARX (5828), W.R.A.F. 8th July 1956.  
Flying Officer P. J. SMITH (501972). 9th July 1956.

**Flying Officers, W.R.A.F.:—**

J. M. T. THOMAS (née CLARKE) (2824285). 31st May 1956.

5th July 1956.

R. M. LEARNER (2813512).

B. E. WILLIAMS (2147667).

**ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.****Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.****As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List):—**

Neville Read HEARN (204259). 1st Dec. 1955 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 22nd Feb. 1956 (seniority 19th Mar. 1953)).

**Promotion.**

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**  
W. M. SHEVLIN (502135). 18th May 1956.

**AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.****Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Lieutenant R. HUNTINGTON, B.Sc. (2576389). 21st June 1956.

**MEDICAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (short service).**

**As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—**  
Thomas Murray BAMFORD, M.B., B.Ch. (504723). 8th Apr. 1956.

**Promotion.**

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**  
C. G. H. NEWMAN, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (504275). 22nd May 1956.  
P. N. KNIGHT, M.B., B.S. (504305). 26th June 1956.  
C. D. FARRIER, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (504258). 12th July 1956.

**Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Lieutenant A. C. K. LAWRENCE, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (503065), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st July 1956.

**DENTAL BRANCH.****Appointment to commission (short service).**

**As Flying Officer (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—**  
Harry SONI, L.D.S. (504795). 6th May 1956.

**EDUCATION BRANCH.****Extension of service.**

The period of service on the active list of Squadron Leader F. BANAHAN, B.A. (201539), is extended to eight years with effect from 12th Apr. 1950.

The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant R. J. TROWELL, B.A. (2567486), is extended to four years with effect from 9th July 1953.

**Promotion.**

**Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—**  
T. L. DAVIDSON, M.A. (3138217). 23rd June 1956.  
D. G. PRICE, B.A. (503193). 6th July 1956.

**Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—**

M. A. BROWN, B.Sc. (504326). 14th July 1956.

**CATERING BRANCH.****Transfer to reserve.**

Flight Officer K. HAMMETT (8658), W.R.A.F. 11th July 1956.

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

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer B. A. SAMPSON (407069) is extended by two years with effect from 1st July 1956.

*Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Officer* :—  
B. A. SAMPSON (407069). 1st July 1956.

*Commission resigned.*

Flight Officer J. M. LEAVERS (née TARBUCK) (406874). 31st May 1956.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.****GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer W. M. McDONALD (53200) is extended by five years with effect from 12th July 1956.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flying Officer R. K. SLATTER (57709) is extended by five years with effect from 13th July 1956.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Commissions relinquished (class CC).**The undermentioned on cessation of duty.**Squadron Leaders* :—

P. D. BAKER (173096). 7th Aug. 1954.  
E. A. SULLOCK (192422). 10th Sept. 1954.

*Flight Lieutenants* :—

C. M. CROWE (192460). 27th May 1954.  
E. O. WHITAMORE (192388). 17th Aug. 1954.  
E. DRUDGE, M.B.E. (192373). 25th Jan. 1955.  
E. J. DILNUTT (192863). 9th Mar. 1955.  
W. D. PORTER (192366). 1st Dec. 1955.

*Flying Officers* :—

J. W. FRASER (192762). 15th Dec. 1953.  
H. E. WOOD (192334). 27th July 1954.  
F. W. BROWN (192410). 31st July 1954.  
A. A. FRASER-HARRIS (192765). 31st Mar. 1955.  
P. H. SHEIL (76043). 31st Aug. 1955.

**MARINE BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant S. J. G. BANNISTER (148975) is extended by five years with effect from 3rd Apr. 1956.

**PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.***Transfer between branches.*

Flight Lieutenant S. J. G. BANNISTER (148975) to the Marine Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 30th Jan. 1956.

**ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.**

(Reconstituted.)

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant* :—  
J. A. JONES (2689047). 30th Oct. 1955.  
E. MCADAM (148462). 1st May 1956.  
R. R. GEE (112388). 1st June 1956.

*Pilot Officer to Flying Officer* :—

P. PEREIRA (3142296). 21st Apr. 1956.  
9th May 1956.

S. R. BELL (2701214).  
A. G. C. PAISH (2590515).  
P. T. B. TERNAN (2591102). 21st May 1956.  
H. WILKINSON (2685622). 30th May 1956.

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

Flying Officer M. N. MORSS (2600484) for five years. 4th Apr. 1956.

*Commission relinquished.*

Pilot Officer J. E. BARBER (2658400), W.R.Aux.A.F. 14th Mar. 1956.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Promotion.*

*Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant* :—  
H. LOUDEN (179292). 7th Mar. 1956.

*Transfer to reserve.*

Flying Officer C. M. KUPSA (2657512), W.R.Aux.A.F. 30th Jan. 1956.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Emergency commission section.)

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer A. McLEISH (195827) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 31st Dec. 1948.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

EMERGENCY LIST.

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

(Flying Officer E. A. CRAIGHEAD, D.F.M. (173735) (on appointment to the Royal Canadian Air Force (Primary Reserve)). 20th Dec. 1955.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

(Reconstituted section.)

**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

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

*Flight Lieutenants* :—

P. T. WAREING, D.C.M. (155258). 1st Feb. 1956.  
D. O. WILLIAMS (169394). 16th July 1956.

*Flying Officers* :—

14th July 1956.  
J. G. GREEN (2601368).  
P. J. HENSON (2605006).  
C. S. LOMAS (2601320).  
J. R. PARSONS (2606143).  
J. WILSON (191148). 16th July 1956.

*Pilot Officers* :—

14th July 1956.  
E. JOBLING (2606043).  
R. J. NICHOL (2603410).

The period of service of Flying Officer A. B. J. MILLER-WILLIAMS (3117550) is extended by one year or for period of tenure at the University of London, whichever is shorter, with effect from 12th July 1956.

The period of service of Flying Officer S. J. HOWARD (205547) is extended until 10th June 1956.

*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer W. R. TRAVELL, D.F.C. (116983). 13th July 1956.

*Pilot Officers* :—

14th July 1956.  
G. HEILIG (2602305).  
R. P. HICKS (2606027).  
P. H. ORCHARD (2603548).  
Acting Pilot Officer H. SPOEL (2608371). 16th July 1956.

**TECHNICAL BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer J. R. POPE (205398). 15th July 1956.

**EQUIPMENT BRANCH.***Commission relinquished.*

Flight Lieutenant B. P. HODGES (103328). 13th July 1956.

**SECRETARIAL BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

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

14th July 1956.  
W. E. H. BROWN (2607635).  
W. F. MAXFIELD (2607619).  
E. H. JAMESON (188023). 16th July 1956.

The period of service of Flying Officer E. J. CADY (166609) is extended by two years with effect from 3rd May 1956.

*Commission relinquished.*

Flying Officer B. D. COOK (2675158). 14th July 1956.

Pilot Officer F. J. DEAKIN (2606721). 14th July 1956.

**AIRCRAFT CONTROL BRANCH.***Extension of service.**Notification amended.*

4th Jan. 1955 (p. 89, col. 1) concerning J. J. CARTER (141339) for Flying Officer read Flight Lieutenant.

**METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.***Extension of service.*

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant F. S. FORDE (157591) is extended by one year with effect from 16th July 1956.

**ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.****TRAINING BRANCH.***Appointment to commission.**As Flying Officers (four years):—*

Kenneth Harry THOMAS (3129463). 27th Mar. 1956.

1st May 1956.

Norman William SCRAGG (1098288).

Arthur Robert STILL (1332070).

*As Pilot Officer (four years):—*

Derek Anthony WALKER (2561426). 1st Apr. 1956.

*Extension of service.*

The period of service of the undermentioned Flying Officers is extended by four years with effect from the dates stated:—

H. GLOVER (1078352). 7th June 1956.

L. J. HOWELL (203710). 13th June 1956.

R. BAXTER (2207043). 11th July 1956.

F. R. STACE (551947). 14th July 1956.

P. P. BULL (1576099). 17th July 1956.

The period of service of Flying Officer M. D. KIPPEN (139893) is extended by one year with effect from 7th July 1956.

*Commission relinquished.**Flying Officers:—*

G. J. A. GRIERSON (205444). 10th June 1956.

G. BAXTER, D.S.O., D.F.C. (133453). 19th June 1956.

*Commission resigned.**Flying Officers:—*

A. B. J. WINN (52710). 23rd Apr. 1956.

J. J. F. WATKINS (1456988). 1st May 1956.

A. E. HARMSWORTH (204164). 11th May 1956.

B. Y. EDGEELL (52260). 16th May 1956.

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