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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Air Vice-Marshal (Acting Air Marshal) H. L. PATCH, C.B., C.B.E., is appointed Commander-in-Chief, Middle East Air Force, in succession to Air Marshal Sir Claude B. R. PELLY, K.C.B., C.B.E., M.C. 24th Sept. 1956.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

As Flight Lieutenant (Branch List):—
 Edward Charles PRYER (183207). 1st June 1956.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—
 1st June 1956.
 Ronald ORRICK (180491).
 Henry Albert James POLLOCK (187029).
 Maurice DANABER (184298). 18th July 1956
 (and transferred to the Secretarial Branch. 18th July 1956 (seniority 28th Aug. 1950)).

Transfer to a permanent direct commission (scheme A).

As Flight Lieutenant:—
 James Anthony George ROSS (582112). 1st Aug. 1956.

As Flying Officers:—
 Peter Hammond THOMAS (4118557). 6th June 1956.
 Eric John SCALES (2520191). 7th June 1956.
 John SNEDDON (4070455). 25th June 1956.

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—
 Glyn Edward SIMS (189422). 19th Apr. 1956.
 Kenneth Arrand MILNER (195527). 4th May 1956.
 Robert Russell MISKIMMIN (161278). 28th May 1956.
 John SINCLAIR (81346). 29th June 1956.
 Kenneth Matthew SMITH (178534). 11th July 1956.
 Reginald Alfred John YATES, D.F.C. (169085). 12th July 1956.

As Flying Officers (Branch List):—
 Horace George SEALEY (578748). 31st Jan. 1956.
 Robert WALLACE (3022466). 12th July 1956.
 Ronald George POULTER (926759). 1st Aug. 1956.

*Transfer to a direct commission (scheme B).
 As Flying Officers (twelve years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—*

John Russell FRANCIS (2497534). 13th Feb. 1956 (period of service to count from 1st Dec. 1952).
 Gerald COAKER (3515533). 11th June 1956 (period of service to count from 25th Feb. 1953).
 Derek Ernest BERKS (4108265). 25th June 1956 (period of service to count from 3rd Sept. 1952).
 Michael James FLETCHER (3138527). 28th June 1956 (period of service to count from 5th Nov. 1952).
 Robert Joseph WARREN (4065506). 16th July 1956 (period of service to count from 9th Apr. 1952).
 James KERR (4103176). 18th July 1956 (period of service to count from 18th Nov. 1952).
 Norman DODD (4106190). 20th July 1956 (period of service to count from 5th Aug. 1952).

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Acting Pilot Officers:—
 5020597 Cadet Navigator Donald Anthony MERRIMAN (5020597). 28th Aug. 1956.
 John Charles KIERNAN (4171199). 24th Sept. 1956.

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

M. C. McCALLUM (2590237). 5th Oct. 1956 (seniority 3rd June 1956).
 18th Oct. 1956.
 R. N. HOLT (2608637).
 W. R. JACKSON-SMITH (2608722).
 A. J. LUCAS (2608686).
 A. I. M. MACMILLAN (2620608).
 D. A. MANNING (2608871).
 E. J. QUIGGIN (2608667).

*Regrading on transfer between branches.
 Acting Pilot Officer R. W. HARRINGTON (2608412) is regraded as Pilot Officer and transferred to the Education Branch as Pilot Officer. 29th Aug. 1956.*

*Extension of service.
 The period of service on the active list of Flight Lieutenant V. A. SAWKINS (195857) is extended to nine years with effect from 1st Nov. 1948.*

*Promotion.
 Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—*
 26th Sept. 1956.
 P. M. EDGE (1576799).
 R. J. S. HOLIDAY (1626960).
 P. J. H. LEWIS (2513089). 6th Oct. 1956.

10th Oct. 1956.

D. E. HERRETT (1920484).
W. G. MARSH (3508800).
F. R. PEARSON (4054404).

17th Oct. 1956.

I. K. St. C. BARTLEY (583547).
D. C. BINGHAM (2498611).
R. BLACKBURN (2496932).
D. P. CAREY (583330).
M. COULTHARD (3500346).
J. S. DOPSON (2495379).
B. T. GOULD (1893226).
J. E. F. HALLADAY (3501330).
M. JENKINS (583745).
J. C. KNELL (583724).
J. E. MEEKS (2500848).
D. B. MERIFIELD (2495077).
M. J. MILES (4055761).
A. R. MILLMAN (3130813).
I. W. PLATT (4050766).
P. A. ROBERTS (583582).
B. E. RUTHERFORD (1590711).
D. I. SCOTT (2497230).
R. L. J. SNELLING (583601).
J. S. SUCKLING (2498140).
P. J. SUNNUCKS (2498682).

W. J. MILNER (2384730). 20th Oct. 1956
(seniority 20th Oct. 1955).

23rd Oct. 1956.

T. E. CARLEY (1045742).
F. J. FRY (1606196).
K. HANKINSON (578651).
R. HOGGARTH (1675414).
I. H. PANTON (3110062).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

J. H. SLACK (4142133). 7th Sept. 1956.
R. G. BIRD (2590292). 12th Sept. 1956.
R. C. KISSANE (2620216). 12th Oct. 1956.

18th Oct. 1956.

R. ANDREWS (2608296).
B. J. DINGLE (2608964).
F. B. KIRKLAND (2608874).
R. B. LAMB (2607831).
W. E. MORGAN (2608619).
C. J. PENNYCUICK (2608405).
F. G. PRICE (2608087).
P. WALLER (2608975).
S. W. WOOD (2608981).

N. H. J. FERGUSON (2600459). 21st Oct. 1956.

22nd Oct. 1956.

K. L. BOYD (1593171).
P. J. BROWN (2601738).
R. W. DICKENS (4152958).
R. J. JONES (3518835).
R. P. McLAUGHLIN (2620135).
A. R. M. MacNAE (2620228).
J. M. NUNN (3518886).
P. J. PIPE (2515969).
E. STAFFORD (4152166).
W. STRUPP (2254233).
A. M. SUMMERS (2603582).
T. WARD (3518775).

Transfer between branches.

Acting Pilot Officer J. F. HARPER (2781831) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his rank. 12th Sept. 1956.

Acting Pilot Officer D. M. EVANS (2769357) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 19th Sept. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officers:—

N. A. THACKRAY (2570155). 8th Oct. 1956.
H. J. COLLIGAN (2530362). 9th Oct. 1956.

14th Oct. 1956.

D. H. SMITH (4112515).
J. RISBY (4111753).
L. J. S. HOUSTON (2600455). 15th Oct. 1956.
T. W. WALTERS (4112512). 17th Oct. 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officers:—

P. H. ROSE (2732602). 24th Sept. 1956.

1st Oct. 1956.

M. MARTIN (3144372).
D. L. STEVENS (4157371).

8th Oct. 1956.

L. HODGSON (4158651).
B. M. SAUNDERS (2734393).

Direct commission relinquished.

Acting Pilot Officer J. C. KIERNAN (4171199)
(on appointment to a national service commission).
24th Sept. 1956.

Extended service commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. F. PEARSON (55135) (on appointment to a short service commission). 16th July 1956.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer B. COOIL (2591425) (on appointment to the R.Aux.A.F.). 11th Sept. 1956.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.):—

D. B. JOHNS (3144051). 27th Aug. 1956.

10th Sept. 1956.

E. K. BROWN (3144183).
M. J. SELWYN (2591428).

B. A. PALMER (2607966). 11th Sept. 1956.

17th Sept. 1956.

R. K. COOKE (2732442).
F. C. HENDERSON (2591454).

T. L. SCHOFIELD (3144315). 24th Sept. 1956.

Commission terminated.

Flying Officer W. M. STARR (169213). 14th Oct. 1956.

Acting Pilot Officer E. B. PALMER (2766655) (on re-enlistment in the R.A.F.). 18th Sept. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.

As Squadron Leader (Branch List):—

Reginald Nelson PAYNE, M.B.E. (45780). 20th July 1956, and reverts to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 20th July 1956 (seniority 1st Sept. 1945).

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List):—

1st June 1956.

Maurice Edwin GRIGG (119663).
Roy Aloysius KELLY (502124).
Arthur MANLEY (46385).

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flight Lieutenant (six years on the active list):—

Douglas Cyril LAMBERT, B.E.M. (57925). 13th June 1956 (seniority 13th June 1956).

As Flight Lieutenant (five years on the active list):—

Raymond Frederick PEARSON (55135). 16th July 1956 (seniority 5th June 1947).

As Pilot Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

24th Aug. 1956.

James Oliver CLARK, B.Eng. (504842).
Keith Harry COOK, B.Sc. (504944).
Roland Herbert DAVIDSON (504898).

Confirmation of appointment.

Pilot Officer on probation E. A. MANSFIELD, B.A. (585263) is confirmed in appointment. 15th July 1956 (seniority 15th Oct. 1954).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

W. R. HEARN (52088). 18th May 1956.

I. L. MARTIN-JONES, B.Sc. (2501198). 18th Oct. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

A. AGAR (551013). 20th Sept. 1956.

20th Oct. 1956.

R. MACRAE (2760287).
G. E. WHITTAKER, B.Sc. (2761700).

21st Oct. 1956.

S. S. BROOKES (2723987).
R. G. MORRIS, B.Sc. (504559).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flying Officers:—

J. P. DAVIES, B.Sc. (Eng.) (2733066). 26th Sept. 1956.

I. P. H. MACONACHIE, B.Sc. (2733216). 30th Sept. 1956.

K. ACKROYD, B.Sc. (2734968). 17th Oct. 1956.

Pilot Officers:—

B. M. G. MELLOR (2591505). 1st Oct. 1956.

R. S. REYNOLDS (2733588). 2nd Oct. 1956.

B. J. STEAD (2733641). 3rd Oct. 1956.

Retirement.

Wing Commander G. S. J. GIBBS, O.B.E.,
A.M.I.Mech.E. (43571). 16th Oct. 1956.

Squadron Leaders :—

S. W. SEARLE (45851). 10th Oct. 1956.

P. LAMEY, M.B.E. (46979). 15th Oct. 1956.

Squadron Leader W. J. RENWICK (44013), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 12th Oct. 1956.

Flight Lieutenant W. A. LAMB (48671). 17th Oct. 1956.

Flight Lieutenant H. C. HARDY (53700), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 3rd Oct. 1956.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List) :—

1st June 1956.

Henry McENDOO (58884) (for subsequent transfer to the Secretarial Branch).

Charles Francis PLIMMER, D.F.M. (49317).

Albert Edward SULSH (58831).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

J. E. GREENAWAY (179105). 18th May 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

21st Oct. 1956.

P. R. ASH (4142028).

G. W. CARGILL (3516454).

N. F. H. HARRIES (4144547).

I. M. PHILPOTT (3517249).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant P. F. HAYES (54814) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 29th Aug. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant A. E. BELL (191724). 11th Oct. 1956.

Flying Officer R. I. BLACKALL (2818563), W.R.A.F. 22nd Sept. 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officer J. W. NOBBS (2591497). 3rd Oct. 1956.

Retirement.

Group Captain L. F. OLDRIDGE, O.B.E. 1st Oct. 1956.

Wing Commander J. J. DUTTON, O.B.E. (31268) (at own request). 20th Sept. 1956.

Flight Lieutenant J. HANDLEY (58966). 13th Oct. 1956.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.

As Flight Lieutenants (Branch List) :—

1st June 1956.

Edward James KEENAN, D.F.C. (45898).

Robert WALTON (51040).

John Michael WATTS (153890).

As Flying Officer, W.R.A.F. (Branch List) :—

Julia Margery Emily JELLIE (8697). 1st June 1956.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Pilot Officer (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Cyril David QUINTON (2697046). 23rd Aug. 1956.

As Pilot Officers (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve) :—

Christopher Charles MORRIS (4151283). 25th June 1956 (seniority 27th Apr. 1956).

Derek Frank Marmaduke PILLING (505000). 24th Aug. 1956.

Regrading.

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

R. Q. HIGNELL (4162248). 25th July 1956.

G. F. HILL (3520098). 2nd Oct. 1956.

19th Oct. 1956.

J. EARWAKER (2765348).

M. M. HOUSE (5010810).

N. MONT (2765309).

R. B. STRINGFELLOW (2777761),

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer A. McLAREN (4118081) is extended to eight years with effect from 5th July 1953.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer L. R. H. D'EATH (3140789) is extended to four years with effect from 22nd Dec. 1954.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—

R. C. RICE, D.F.C. (132963). 18th May 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

A. G. TIPPER (2608121). 28th Sept. 1956.

G. JOHNSON (503861). 30th Sept. 1956.

J. A. ERWICH (2795327). 20th Oct. 1956.

J. M. FULTON (3142071). 21st Oct. 1956.

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned to the Catering Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority :—

Flight Lieutenant R. A. KITCHENER (56918). 1st Oct. 1956.

Flying Officer A. McLAREN (4118081). 1st Oct. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officers, W.R.A.F. :—

P. A. M. DAVIES (2820312). 17th Sept. 1956.

J. R. TAYLOR (née STEWART) (2814323). 23rd Sept. 1956.

Pilot Officer A. L. HUNT (née CANN) (2816666), W.R.A.F. 19th Sept. 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officer A. H. SCOTT (2734383). 8th Oct. 1956.

Retirement.

Wing Commander H. A. FROST, A.C.A. (21185). 17th Oct. 1956.

Flight Lieutenant R. McF. FERGUSON (45877), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 12th Sept. 1956.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer C. C. MORRIS (4151283) (on appointment to a short service commission). 25th June 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.

Appointment to commission (permanent).

As Pilot Officer :—

2732597 Sandhurst Cadet Keith REYNER (2732597). 26th July 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Pilot Officers :—

T. J. BUCHANAN (2738087). 7th Sept. 1956.

N. M. BATES (2591510). 1st Oct. 1956.

J. S. MORRIS (2591495). 2nd Oct. 1956.

Emergency list commission relinquished.

Flying Officer L. MILNE (2494715) (on enlistment in the Territorial Army). 2nd June 1956.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.215/55.

As Flying Officer (Branch List) :—

John Thomas FRANKLIN (2699520). 1st June 1956 (since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant).

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

Ronald William MOORE, B.Eng. (504939). 24th Aug. 1956.

Appointment to commission (temporary).

As Flight Lieutenant :—

James Edward Eric JONES, B.Sc. (Eng.), A.M.I.C.E. (504763). 5th Apr. 1956.

Promotion.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—

G. C. DICKINSON (3144690). 27th July 1956.

20th Oct. 1956.

R. J. BURNS, B.Sc. (2600524).

R. G. KINNEAR, B.Sc. (2761708).

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant J. D. CAMPLING (2580861).
14th Oct. 1956.
Flight Lieutenant D. W. BARRON, B.Sc. (3133816),
retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 13th Oct.
1956.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).**Flying Officers:—*

D. G. ANDREWS, A.R.I.C.S., M.R.San.I.
(2726221). 24th Sept. 1956.

26th Sept. 1956.

A. J. BONHAM, B.Sc. (Eng.) (2733046).

B. COPLEY, B.Sc. (Eng.) (2733071).

M. A. F. RUSH, B.Sc. (Eng.) (2733053).

H. MALLINSON, B.Sc. (2608471). 16th Oct. 1956.

Temporary commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant R. S. BRADSHAW, B.Sc.,
A.C.G.I. (146397), retaining the rank of Squadron
Leader. 4th Oct. 1956.

MEDICAL BRANCH.*Appointment to commission.**Notification amended.*

7th Aug. 1956 (p. 4545, col. 2) concerning
Lincoln James LAWSON, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S.,
L.R.C.P. (504850) for F.R.C.S. read M.R.C.S. and
concerning Kingsley Peter ROBINSON, M.B., B.S.,
M.R.C.S., L.R.C.S. (504866) for L.R.C.S. read
L.R.C.P.

*Promotion.**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

K. R. J. de BELDER, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S.,
L.R.C.P. (502613). 1st Sept. 1956 (seniority 3rd
Aug. 1956).

W. M. S. THOMSON, M.B., Ch. B. (500600). 27th
Sept. 1956.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Flight Lieutenant P. SLEIGHT, M.B., B.Ch.
(503813). 22nd Sept. 1956

National service commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant T. J. LEES, M.B., Ch.B.
(503790) (on account of medical unfitness for air
force service). 16th Oct. 1956

MEDICAL TECHNICIAN BRANCH.*Promotion.**Squadron Leader to Wing Commander:—*

J. R. MACDONALD, M.B.E. (54888). 15th Oct.
1956.

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

*As Chaplains (three years on the active list) with
the relative rank of Flight Lieutenant:—*

1st Sept. 1956.

Rev. Robert HAMILL, B.A. (505011).

Rev. Donald David Hart HARPER, B.A. (911684).

Rev. John David PAWSON, B.A., B.Sc. (504981).

Rev. Donald John RABSON, B.A. (1895691).

Appointment to commission (honorary).

*As Chaplain, with the relative rank of Squadron
Leader:—*

Rev. John Rudesind BROOKES, M.C. (503475).
4th June 1956.

Promotion.

Rev. B. G. HESELTINE (500769) is granted the
relative rank of Wing Commander. 20th Oct.
1956.

Rev. D. G. W. GREEN, B.A. (504546) is granted
the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 20th Oct.
1956.

EDUCATION BRANCH.*Extension of service.*

The period of service on the active list of Flight
Lieutenant P. N. WEST, B.A., B.Litt. (503524) is
extended until 3rd Sept. 1957.

*Promotion.**Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—*

C. W. COX, M.A. (500703). 2nd Oct. 1956.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

S. MOODY, B.Sc. (2578966). 26th Sept. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

G. JONES, B.Sc. (2742103). 19th Oct. 1956.

20th Oct. 1956.

J. D. ASHCROFT, B.A. (2761693).

B. W. DARBY, B.A. (2761701).

J. W. DERRY, B.A. (2761697).

J. MARTIN, B.A. (2761688).

P. J. MILLETT, B.A. (2761698).

P. THOMAS, B.Sc. (2761696).

P. WALCOT, B.A., Ph.D. (2761690).

P. F. WHITELEY, B.A. (2761695).

H. L. JUKES, B.Sc., A.R.I.C. (504553). 21st Oct.
1956.

*Transfer to reserve.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

I. M. CLARKE, B.A. (2407951). 1st Oct. 1956.

15th Oct. 1965.

R. J. W. HAMMOND, B.A. (502736).

R. WALKER, B.Sc. (502653).

Flying Officers:—

G. D. CRAINE, B.A. (503391). 18th Sept. 1956.

G. SUMMERFIELD, B.A. (502710). 15th Oct. 1956.

*Transfer to reserve (national service list).**Flying Officers:—*

A. B. STOKOE, B.A. (2736906). 11th Sept. 1956.

26th Sept. 1956.

A. BAKER, B.Sc. (2733059).

S. G. BECKENSALL, B.A. (2733047).

M. T. BROOK, B.Sc. (2733073).

C. J. GILSON, B.Sc. (2733048).

D. J. GRIMSLEY, B.Sc. (2733060).

J. HAWKINS, B.Sc. (2733063).

B. T. HUGHES, B.Sc. (2733056).

J. E. McK. LUCIE-SMITH, B.A. (2733072).

E. NAYLOR, B.Sc. (2733044).

B. D. SEVILLE, B.Sc. (2733057).

D. J. WITHNALL, B.Sc. (2733049).

R. BARHAM, B.Sc. (2734970). 27th Sept. 1956.

G. D. MITCHELL, B.Sc. (2734956). 2nd Oct.
1956.

A. COLLIER, B.Sc., A.R.I.C. (2726234). 7th Oct.
1956.

Pilot Officer R. H. DYER, B.Sc. (2732835). 25th
Sept. 1956.

Notification amended.

2nd Oct. 1956 (p. 5567, col. 1) concerning I. L.
RUSHTON, B.Sc. (503326) should have appeared
under the heading TECHNICAL BRANCH and not
EDUCATION BRANCH.

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

R. E. MAY (198589). 18th May 1956.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.*Appointment to commission (short service).*

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

Dennis THOMPSON, D.Phys.Ed. (504972). 29th
Aug. 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer J. A. GRAY (2568922). 12th Oct.
1956.

Commission resigned.

Flight Lieutenant J. L. PETRIE (180616). 17th
Oct. 1956.

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

The period of service on the active list of Flying
Officer E. M. WALTON (407104) is extended by
two years with effect from 14th Oct. 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.***Transfer between branches.*

Flying Officer M. A. HOBSON (4105156) to the
Secretarial Branch, retaining his rank. 5th Aug.
1956 (seniority 14th Oct. 1955).

*Commission relinquished.**Flight Lieutenants:—*

S. E. C. JUDD, D.F.C. (173931) (on account of
medical unfitness for air force service). 20th Aug.
1956.

B. C. LEWIS (47084). 18th Oct. 1956.

Commission relinquished (national service list).

Flying Officer P. P. COURTIENAY (2709991) (on
appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 8th Aug. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 R. A. HERRING (501680). 17th Apr. 1956.
 R. A. SPERRY (501824). 18th July 1956.
 G. T. ROBINSON, B.Sc. (2507390). 24th Aug. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 F. R. COOKE (2703911). 11th Aug. 1956.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 A. E. WALSH (56074). 29th Nov. 1955.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer F. A. GLADDEN (54717) to the Technical Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 22nd Aug. 1956.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 B. M. CHAMBERS (4071182). 20th Mar. 1955.
 D. J. WARD (3134857). 4th Dec. 1955.
 A. A. DUCKWORTH (3133980). 3rd Aug. 1956.
 R. E. TRAVERS (2529635). 4th Aug. 1956.
 M. GILLIES (2529609). 5th Aug. 1956.
 R. C. FILE (2590573). 6th Aug. 1956.
 D. SPENCER (2594545). 7th Aug. 1956.
 M. ROBERTS (2705267). 11th Aug. 1956.
 R. FOX (2568561). 12th Aug. 1956.
 K. HOLDING (2703118). 17th Aug. 1956.
 A. K. ROBSON (2711401). 22nd Aug. 1956.
 R. S. HUGHES (2573612). 25th Aug. 1956.
 M. JONES (2566241). 28th Aug. 1956.

Commission relinquished (national service list).

Flying Officer O. E. DYER (2548911) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 8th May 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 W. G. BROWN (2590157). 4th Aug. 1956.
 J. D. ADAMS (2571014). 13th Sept. 1956.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.**Commission relinquished (national service list).**

Flying Officer G. T. BENNETT, B.A. (2574521) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 24th July 1956.

EDUCATION BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 D. G. LYNE, B.Sc. (501038). 30th July 1956.
 J. W. APPELBY, B.A. (501057). 3rd Sept. 1956.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

(Reconstituted.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Pilot Officer (until 17th Feb. 1960) :—
 Basil COOIL (2591425). 11th Sept. 1956.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flying Officer J. B. C. HEALY (2684021) is extended by one year with effect from 3rd Oct. 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 J. A. SPINKS (172109). 24th Oct. 1955.
 J. T. PAGE, D.F.M. (174068). 22nd Feb. 1956.
 P. C. SHONE (91381). 15th Sept. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 R. DAVIES (2597624). 25th Nov. 1955.
 W. F. COLE (2694607). 1st Apr. 1956.
 G. S. HYAM (2708944). 21st Apr. 1956.

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

Flying Officer E. R. LLOYD (159362), for five years. 28th Aug. 1956.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer C. G. P. ALDERSON (3132109) to the Secretarial Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 26th June 1956.

Transfer to reserve.**Flying Officers** :—

G. D. PARTRIDGE (3123595). 25th Apr. 1956.
 E. J. BELL (2491628). 26th Aug. 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer J. D. HARRIS (2576802) (on appointment to the R.A.F.V.R.). 9th Aug. 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 W. CROKALL (173713). 17th July 1956.
 W. H. COOKE (172896). 1st Sept. 1956.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 B. J. N. BELTON (199220). 26th Apr. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 W. A. SCOTT (2709393). 26th Aug. 1956.

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

Flight Lieutenant L. A. KITSON (146407), until 10th Dec. 1958. 20th July 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officer C. D. QUINTON (2697046) (on appointment to a short service commission in the R.A.F.). 23rd Aug. 1956.

ROYAL AUXILIARY AIR FORCE REGIMENT.**Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant G. P. ADAMS (205483) is extended by five years with effect from 1st Oct. 1956.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant W. C. A. HARRIS (147685) is extended by two years with effect from 1st Aug. 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 J. I. ROSE (3065662). 1st July 1956.

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officer M. COULSON (3117588). 25th Sept. 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(EMERGENCY LIST.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH**Commission relinquished.**

Flying Officer B. A. WHITE (196946) (on enrolment in the Royal Canadian Air Force (Primary Reserve)). 15th June 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

(Reconstituted section.)

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer (five years) :—
 Percy Phillip COURTENAY (2709991). 8th Aug. 1956.

As Flying Officer (until 3rd May 1958) :—
 John Douglas HARRIS (2576802). 9th Aug. 1956.

As Pilot Officer (until 23rd Jan. 1957) :—
 Roland FITTON (2524653). 5th Sept. 1956.

As Pilot Officer (until 2nd Feb. 1960) :—
 David Brian JOHNS (3144051). 27th Aug. 1956.

As Pilot Officers (until 16th Feb. 1960) :—

10th Sept. 1956.

Edward Keith BROWN (3144183).

Michael John SELWYN (2591428).

As Pilot Officer (until 17th Feb. 1960) :—

Bryan Albert PALMER (2607966). 11th Sept. 1956.

As Pilot Officers (until 23rd Feb. 1960) :—

17th Sept. 1956.

Roger Keith COOKE (2732442).

Francis Colin HENDERSON (2591454).

As Pilot Officer (until 29th Feb. 1960) :—

Trevor Lorraine SCHOFIELD (3144315). 24th Sept. 1956.

Extension of service.

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

Flight Lieutenant J. W. SHELLARD (195072). 18th Oct. 1956.

Pilot Officer N. G. BROMILEY (2602652). 12th Oct. 1956.

The period of service of Acting Pilot Officer P. J. G. HETZEL (2600778) is extended by one year or for period of tenure at University of Birmingham, whichever is shorter, with effect from 1st Aug. 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

V. D. VALENTINE (186163). 23rd Nov. 1955 (substituted for notification of 11th Sept. 1956 (p. 5163, col. 2)).

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

J. V. CAMPBELL (2512424). 19th Aug. 1953.

K. P. BOON (2528744). 3rd Nov. 1953.

E. H. FORD (2489850). 16th Jan. 1954 (substituted for notification of 11th Sept. 1956 (p. 5163, col. 2)).

B. BURY (2559235). 25th Nov. 1954.

D. BROOKS (2556378). 20th Dec. 1954.

I. R. BROCK (2547879). 3rd Mar. 1955.

R. G. FORTEY (3136993). 21st Mar. 1955.

B. J. WHITING (2548262). 2nd Apr. 1955.

T. H. WARBURTON (2575075). 14th June 1955.

J. E. BURNS (2563566). 11th July 1955.

A. C. HEAD (2614631). 18th Jan. 1956.

V. G. MORTON SMITH (2579877). 24th Feb. 1956.

B. CHILVER (2567484). 25th Apr. 1956.

B. G. LUKER (2590479). 28th July 1956.

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officer A. J. MCLAY, B.Sc. (2607960), to the Airfield Construction Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 20th Aug. 1956.

Notification amended.

4th Sept. 1956 (p. 5043, col 1) concerning R. WATSON (172490) add D.F.M.

Commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer A. W. ROSS (2607967). 17th Oct. 1956.

TECHNICAL 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. H. BUCKINGHAM (159179). 21st Aug. 1956.
18th Oct. 1956.

P. R. ALLISON, A.F.R.Ae.S. (81748).

V. VIVIS (116649).

Commission relinquished.**Notification amended.**

18th Sept. 1956 (p. 5299, col. 2), concerning J. H. EVANS (565505) add A.M.I.E.E.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

S. S. LEGGATT (195500). 20th Mar. 1955.

E. E. WATKINS (190496). 9th Dec. 1955.

R. M. CHESTER (1121963). 7th Apr. 1956.

D. A. W. HASTINGS (1113998). 23rd July 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

W. T. L. EDWARDS (2603660). 5th July 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. S. A. OLLIS (72205). 18th Oct. 1956.

SECRETARIAL BRANCH.**Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officer (until 9th June 1958):—

Owen Edward DYER (25489111). 8th May. 1956.

Extension of service.

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant W. L. HARRISON (109627) is extended by five years with effect from 21st Oct. 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

T. E. FANNON (201167). 16th Jan. 1956.

J. CHADWICK (1123090). 11th July 1956.

A. H. DOWDEN (162754). 20th July 1956.

P. R. WATSON (170232). 18th Aug. 1956.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

P. H. D. HAYES (2550743). 6th Dec. 1955.

R. J. TEATHER (2523043). 1st July 1956.

5th July 1956.

K. B. HYDE (2674192).

D. K. WATTS-JONES (2615566).

Transfer between branches.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to the General Duties Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—

E. J. CADY (166609). 24th July 1956.

C. H. STARKE (2607621). 31st Aug. 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant E. W. KITCHENER (107610). 21st Oct. 1956.

AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

N. A. SADLEIR (174493). 2nd June 1956.

PROVOST BRANCH.**Extension of service.**

The period of service of Flight Lieutenant G. F. J. CRAVEN (205753) is extended by five years with effect from 27th July 1956.

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

A. F. RIGGS (205647). 23rd July 1956.

METEOROLOGICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

A. SHAW (163006). 17th Oct. 1955.

J. M. MULVEY (140270). 11th June 1956.

ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**TRAINING BRANCH.****Appointment to commission.**

As Flying Officers (four years):—

Derek SPRUCE (2708739). 17th Feb. 1956.

Herbert Rex HARVEY (502762). 25th July 1956.

As Pilot Officers (four years):—

Ian Donald MCKELLAR (206375). 20th June 1956.

Cyril James MOREMAN (206376). 30th June 1956.

Thomas Gregor SCOTT (4114574). 3rd July 1956.

9th July 1956.

Ernest Edwin Legard OWENS (1523537).

Basil William John PRING (2604017).

Charles Richard WHITCOMB (982724). 16th July 1956.

Frank Harrison KING (2608220). 24th July 1956.

Gerald Stanley SIMONDS (3088073). 28th July 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. J. LINTERN (205879). 27th June 1956.

1st Oct. 1956.

L. BOWMAN (348830).

W. J. WALTON (205926).

2nd Oct. 1956.

D. M. BENGE (3509786).

D. B. B. NAYLOR (1608824).

V. J. VELLACOTT (1411725). 11th Oct. 1956.

C. J. BUTLER (49797). 20th Oct. 1956.

R. J. W. HUGGINS (143301). 22nd Oct. 1956.

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

H. NEWALL (202049). 4th Oct. 1956.
E. B. GREAVES (118158). 10th Oct. 1956.

Commission relinquished.

Flying Officers:—

D. H. A. LODGE (3107309). 15th Oct. 1956.
J. L. BRIGHT (46050). 22nd Oct. 1956.

Flying Officer G. ATACK (122610) retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 19th Oct. 1956.

Pilot Officer K. J. RUDGE (3123393). 2nd May 1956.

Commission resigned.

Flying Officers:—

B. F. BROWNING (1498210). 19th June 1956.
10th Aug. 1956.

R. J. H. COX (1640920).

J. F. STEPTOE (2210991).

B. MASTERS (205181). 11th Aug. 1956.

J. D. MORTIMER (1230442). 29th Aug. 1956.

P. A. LANG (976850). 7th Sept. 1956.

Flying Officers, retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

W. H. THORNING (204896). 31st Dec. 1955.

H. FRANCIS (203122). 10th July 1956.

T. H. DAVENPORT (101976). 31st July 1956.

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