Adjustment of period of service The period of service of Flying Officer A. S. M. DOUGLAS (4082588) is adjusted to eight years on the active list with effect from 31st Oct. 1951.

Extension of service The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer C. A. ROGERS (704330) is extended until 15th July 1962.

Promotion

- Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant: J. BATE (1576947). 28th Jan. 1959. P. C. WARNE (3513378). 3nd Mar. 1959. R. C. DAVIS (1312695). 25th Mar. 1959. J. L. W. GRESHAM (567560). 3rd May 1959.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : A. E. FETHERSTON (1819060). 16th Apr. 1959.

Grant of acting rank

Air Commodore D. R. EVANS, C.B., C.B.E., D.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal (paid). 1st May 1959.

Transfer between branches

Flight Lieutenant M. S. GEDDES (2491916) to the Equipment Branch, retaining his existing rank and seniority. 21st Apr. 1959.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to the Catering Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority, with effect from 29th Apr. 1959: A. B. G. BARCLAY (100027). A. SEDIVY, D.F.C., D.F.M. (115517).

Transfer to reserve

Flight Lieutenants : L. S. A. HOXEY, D.F.C. (125690). 23rd Apr. 1959.

D. P. DOGHERTY (3509996). 25th Apr. 1959. N. J. DAVIS (168044). 11st May 1959.

Forfeiture of seniority Flight Lieutenant K. P. KELLEHER (200912) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 5th Mar. 1959) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 10th Sept. 1954.

Retirement

Group Captains : O. A. MORRIS, D.S.O. 29th Apr. 1959. N. G. GOODMAN, C.B.E. 2nd May 1959.

Wing Commanders

- J. G. CLARIDGE, D.F.C., A.F.C. (59401) (at own request). 26th Mar. 1959. F. E. BURTON, O.B.E., D.F.C. (37623). 22nd Apr. 1959.

H. F. Cox, A.F.C. (33183). 1st May 1959.

Wing Commander G. BURGES, O.B.E., D.F.C. 3225), retaining the rank of Group Captain. 29th (33225) Apr. 1959.

Squadron Leader J. D. GRUBB, D.F.C. (59509). 1st May 1959.

A. R. S. SMITH, D.F.C. (170411). 13th Apr. 1959.

D. E. BIGNELL (159338). 23rd Apr. 1959.

Short service commission relinquished Flying Officer D. G. BARTLE (4175480) (on appointment to a permanent commission). 5th May 1959

Emergency List commission relinquished Flying Officer V. E. AMOS (2573630) (on appointment to a short service commission). 31st Mar. 1959.

Commission resigned Flight Lieutenant I. D. BULLOCH (2547039). 2nd May 1959.

. Commission terminated Acting Pilot Officer C. F. DAUKES (505799). 7th Mar. 1959.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission (short service)

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) (six years on

the active list and four years on the reserve): Robert James BROOKS (162818). 31st Mar. 1959 (seniority 31st July 1957).

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : R. A. WHEATLEY (571177). 26th Feb. 1959. N. N. THOMAS, B.A. (584578). 15th Apr. 1959. P. BRIGHTON, B.Sc. (2602679). 3rd May 1959.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :

3rd May 1959 G. D. ADAMS-LEWIS (569354). A. F. WILLIS (568672).

Transfer to reserve Flying Officer C. G. A. CLAYTON, B.Sc. (2784231). 3rd May 1959.

Forfeiture of seniority Flight Lieutenant R. G. B. BURR (49362) takes rank and precedence (with effect from 15th Jan. 1959) as if his appointment as Flight Lieutenant bore date 24th Oct. 1950.

Retirement

Wing Commander K. H. MAJOR, O.B.E. (44209). 29th Apr. 1959.

Squadron Leaders

K. B. DRING, M.B.E. (45103). 20th Apr. 1959. C. W. CHESNEY, M.B.E. (48249). 22nd Apr. 1959. D. PEARSON-KIRK (57489). 29th Apr. 1959.

Flight Lieutenant E. J. JONES (51144). 1st May 1959.

Flight Lieutenant W. L. CAREY-BROWTON (46989). retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 29th Nov. 1957 (substituted for notification of 7th Jan. 1958 (p. 150, col. 2)).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant : J. F. CARRINGTON (538039). 3rd May 1959.

Retirement

Wing Commander R. V. B. FRANKLYN (31084). 4th May 1959.

Flight Lieutenants: C. W. TURNER (162494). 22nd Apr. 1959. H. KYLE (56835). 28th Apr. 1959. L. E. RUSSON (161903). 1st May 1959.

Flying Officer R. A. KING (54762), retaining the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 17th Nov. 1958 (sub-stituted for notification of 18th Nov. 1958 (p. 7056, col. 2)).

SECRETARIAL BRANCH

Appointment to commission (short service)

As Acting Pilot Officers, W.R.A.F. (Supplementary List) (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

- 26th Mar. 1959 Sergeant Jean Myfanwy Edwards 2813331 (2813331). 2831485

Officer Cadet Pauline Hilary Jones (2831485).

As Acting Pilot Officers, W.R.A.F. (Supplementary List) (five years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Corporals

26th Mar. 1959

2827303 Eveline Mary Louisa COWDEN (2827303). 2829535 Valerie Ann Occomore (2829535).

As Acting Pilot Officers, W.R.A.F. (Supplementary List) (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Officer Cadets

26th Mar. 1959

2831488 Jean Freda CRYER (2831488). 2831483 Theresa Josephine Peggy Thompson (283/1483).

As Acting Pilot Officers, W.R.A.F. (Supplementary List) (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):

Officer Cadets

3rd May 1959

Flying Officer J. A. BRINK (4096765) to General Duties Branch, retaining his rank. 3 Mar. 1959 (seniority 23rd Dec. 1958).

the 25th

G. R. Armstrong (627854). L. BROOKE (517716).

Transfer between branches

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer : T. L. GRAY (640524). 3rd May 1959.

26th Mar. 1959 2831064 Norma Lilian GERMAIN (2831064). 2831489 Janet RAYNER (2831489). 2831484 Carol Ann Constance REID (2831484).

Promotion Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :