DENTAL BRANCH

Air Commodore to Air Vice-Marshal C. H. Beamish, F.D.S., R.C.S. 1st Jan. 1969.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander

1st Jan. 1969 A. E. Silvester, M.A. (2378356), E. N. Meats, B.Sc. (503265).

PROVOST BRANCH

Wing Commander to Group Captain B. C. Player (168147). 1st Jan. 1969.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander D. R. PROSSER-HIGDON (503782). 1st Jan.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader

1st Jan. 1969

C. M. Burton (506983).A. Cave (505121).R. W. RANDALL (4230211).

CATERING BRANCH

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader P. Quant (506304). 1st Jan. 1969.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader (Supplemen-

tary List)
D. W. J. BUTLER, D.F.C. (157199). 1st Jan.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH

Group Captain to Air Commodore

E. J. BRICE, O.B.E., A.F.R.Ae.S., D.Phys.Ed.
1st Jan. 1969.

Squadron Leader to Wing Commander R. McDonald (193233), 1st Jan. 1969.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader

1st Jan. 1969 J. K. Jenkins, D.Phys.Ed. (502332). E. W. Helsby, D.Phys.Ed. (2374960).

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE

Squadron Officer to Wing Officer
C. J. G. Gumley, S.R.N., S.C.M., R.N.T. (407339). 1st Jan. 1969.

7th January 1969.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

Air Commodore R. W. G. FREER, C.B.E., is appointed Aide-de-Camp to The Queen in succession to Air Commodre W. I. C. Inness, C.B., O.B.E., A.D.C., on the latter's retirement from the Royal Air Force. 22nd Oct. 1968.

Air Vice-Marshal L. H. Moulton, D.F.C., C.Eng., F.I.E.R.E., is appointed Air Officer Commanding, No. 90 (Signals) Group in succession to Air Vice-Marshal Sir Ben Ball, K.B.E., C.B., B.A. 1st Jan. 1969.

Air Commodore A. H. W. Ratt. C.B. D.S.O.

Air Commodore A. H. W. Ball, C.B., D.S.O., D.F.C., is appointed Chief of Command Control, Information Service (Automatic Data Processing Group), Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe with the Acting Rank of Air Vice-Marshal. 16th Dec. 1968.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment to Commission (Permanent) (D.E.C.(A))

As Flight Lieutenants (Supplementary List):
John Twells Brex (4188606). 9th Aug. 1968.
Paul Hartfield Gausden (5011389). 12th Sep. 1968.

Gordon Benjamin Nevin McMurray (2620152). 3rd Oct. 1968.

Appointment to Commission (Permanent)

As Flying Officer (Supplementary List) Ground

Christopher Roy Edwards (4335682) (Since promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant). Jul. 1968.

As Acting Pilot Officer (Supplementary List) Ground Branch:

Keith STROUD (8024782). 16th Dec. 1968.

Transfer to General List

The undermentioned Squadron Leaders are transferred to the General List:

1st Jan. 1969

D. C. FERGUSON (3511197). M. A. FISH (3120808).

N. A. FISH (3120808).
D. N. HODGES (4119213).
R. V. A. MUNRO, A.F.C. (584210).
L. A. ROSEVEARE (2574838).
M. J. SPARROW (4043740).
S. D. TAYLOR (2431435).
H. B. WILLIAMSON (4041419).

Transfer to General List (Ground Branch)

The undermentioned Squadron Leaders are transferred to the General List:

1st Jan. 1969

D. A. EMERY (4060876). A. J. Richardson (4036284).

Regrading

Acting Pilot Officer to Pilot Officer:
R. I. PATRICK (689428). 11th Nov. 1968.

Grant of Acting Rank
Air Commodore A. H. W. Ball, C.B., D.S.O.,
D.F.C., is granted the Acting Rank of Air ViceMarshal. 16th Dec. 1968.

Transfer between Branches

Flight Lieutenant J. S. Pudwell (2433746) is transferred to the General Duties (Ground) Branch (Supplementary List) retaining his existing rank and seniority. 4th Jan. 1969.

Transfer between Branches (Ground Branch)
Flying Officer J. L. Barrow (4335401) is transferred to the General Duties Branch (Supplementary List) retaining his existing rank (Seniority 18th Apr. 1968). 30th Apr. 1968.

Retirement Air Commodore J. O. BARNARD, C.B.E. Dec. 1968.

Wing Commanders:
P. H. CLEAVER, D.F.C., A.F.C. (103590).
Dec. 1968.
N. JONES, B.Sc. (2496980). 1st Jan. 1969.
B. N. GREVES (61295). 7th Jan. 1969.

Wing Commander G. K. N. LLOYD, A.F.C., A.F.R.Ae.S., A.M.B.I.M. (125536) (at own request). 30th Nov. 1968.

Squadron Leaders:
G. W. MILBURN, M.B.E. (169859). 27th Dec. 1968.

G. OTTEA (57032). 3rd Jan. 1969. Squadron Leader R. A. GILLAM (190945) (at own request). 31st Dec. 1968.

Flight Lieutenants: M. A. NEAL (4103994). 20th Dec. 1968. G. T. LEMON (170385). 30th Dec. 1968.

31st Dec. 1968 P. R. A. Berkeley (4107069). R. S. Feggans (1568535).

lst Jan. 1969 N. Bissell (4034768). R. Duncan (4053220).

3rd Jan. 1969 J. M. Buick (503981).

A. I. HICKLING (506607).

B. THOMAS (1817489). 7th Jan. 1969.

Flight Lieutenants (at own request):
E. M. WILLIAMS (166400). 31st Dec. 1968.
G. E. J. TREMBLING, D.F.M. (1604276).
Jan. 1969.

A. Hughes (1569835). 4th Jan. 1969.

Commission Relinquished
Acting Pilot Officer K. STROUD (8024782) (on appointment to a Permanent Commission in the General Duties/Ground Branch). 16th Dec. 1968.

Commission Terminated

Pilot Officers:
E. Dale, B.Sc. (508065). 7th Dec. 1968.
P. A. Monck (4233210). 31st Dec. 1968.

Acting Pilot Officer P. G. J. Mackley (8024733). 17th Dec. 1968.

ENGINEER BRANCH

Retirement Flight Lieutenant J. F. Story (49490).