

*Extension of Commission*

The service on the Active List of Flight Lieutenant John Felix de LISLE, M.Sc. (74240), is further extended for a period of eight months to expire on 28 April 1956.

## CHAPLAINS BRANCH

*Appointment*

The Rev. Herbert Edward WHITTEN (75137) is granted a commission for a period of three years with the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 14 January 1953.

## TERRITORIAL AIR FORCE

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Transfer*

Flying Officer Rex Howard EMBLING (132701) is transferred from the Air Force Reserve to the Territorial Air Force for a period of five years with the temporary rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from 22 August 1951, to be followed by a period of four years in the Air Force Reserve. Dated 22 January 1953.

## AIR TRAINING CORPS

*Appointment*

John BROWNING is granted a commission with the rank of Pilot Officer (*on prob.*). Dated 16 January 1953.

*Promotion*

Flying Officer Ronald Henry SWAIN is granted the temporary rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 27 January 1953.

## AIR FORCE RESERVE

## ACTIVE RESERVE

*Appointments*

James Gregory NORMAN, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.) (133707) is granted a commission in the Medical Branch for a period of four years with the temporary rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from 14 October 1950. Dated 14 October 1952.

Clement Arthur Cornelius WIGGINS, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P. (Lond.), (133851) is granted a commission in the Medical Branch for a period of four years with the temporary rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from 12 January 1951. Dated 12 January 1953.

*Transfers*

Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Peter Donald McNEIL (130681) is transferred from the Territorial Air Force to the Technical Branch, Engineering Division, for a period of four years. Dated 5 February 1953.

Flying Officer Herbert James DALZELL, D.F.M. (70177), is transferred from the Active List to the General Duties Branch for a period of four years. Dated 29 December 1952.

## CORRIGENDUM

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, dated 15 January 1953, page 36, under the heading "Air Training Corps—Appointment" for "Raymond Trevor BOYES", substitute "Raymond Trevor BOWES".

Dated at Wellington, this 26th day of February 1953.

T. L. MACDONALD, Minister of Defence.

*Promotions and Transfer of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force*

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following promotions and transfer of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

## REGULAR AIR FORCE

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Promotions*

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers (*on prob.*) are confirmed in the rank of Pilot Officer:—

James Hirst BAYLISS (76073)  
David Manson CROOKS (300083)  
Barrie Jansen DUDING (300775)  
David Russell Auckland EDEN (708383)  
Maynard Roger HAWKINS (814792)  
Ian Albert HUTCHINS (457833)  
Leon Thomas MCCREADY (621304)  
Francis Manuel MAGUIRE (816239)  
Graeme Stuart POTTS (578398)  
John Beavis RANDLE (527170)  
Barrie James REID (621016)  
Brian STANLEY-HUNT (327103)  
Norwood Brian USSHER (76076)  
Edward Charles WILKINSON (76077)  
Neil John WOOD (458456)

Dated 7 November 1952.

*Transfer*

Acting Pilot Officer (*on prob.*) David Russell Auckland EDEN (708383) is transferred from the Territorial Air Force to the Regular Air Force for a period of eight years, with his present rank and seniority, to be followed by a period of four years in the Air Force Reserve. Dated 7 January 1952.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of February 1953.

T. L. MACDONALD, Minister of Defence.

*Appointments, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirement of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force*

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, transfers, resignations, and retirement of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

## REGULAR AIR FORCE

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPLY BRANCH

*Transfer and Appointment*

## Secretarial Division—

Flying Officer Clayton Dickson WILLIAMS (133090) is transferred from the Air Force Reserve to the Active List, and is granted a short-service commission for a period of five years with the rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from date of appointment. Dated 14 January 1953.

*Adjustment of Seniority*

## Special Duties Division—

The seniority of Laurence Binet BROWN, M.A. (74221) in the rank of Flying Officer is to date from 28 March 1950 in lieu of 28 March 1951.

## EDUCATION BRANCH

*Transfer and Appointment*

Pilot Officer Andrew Sword SCOTT, B.A. (131849), is transferred from the Air Training Corps to the Regular Air Force, and is granted a short-service commission for a period of five years with the rank of Flying Officer (*on prob.*) and with seniority as from date of appointment. Dated 10 December 1952.

## TERRITORIAL AIR FORCE

## GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Appointment*

James COWPER (133822) is granted a commission for a period of five years with the temporary rank of Flight Lieutenant and with seniority as from 4 December 1951, to be followed by a period of four years in the Air Force Reserve. Dated 4 December 1952.

*Transfers*

Flight Lieutenant Allan Graham MOFFIT (133081) is transferred from the Air Force Reserve to the Territorial Air Force for a period of five years with the temporary rank of Flight Lieutenant and with seniority as from 20 April 1952, to be followed by a period of four years in the Air Force Reserve. Dated 20 December 1952.

Flying Officer Malcolm Albert PETERSON, D.F.C. (132528), is transferred from the Air Force Reserve to the Territorial Air Force for a period of three years with the temporary rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from 4 October 1951, to be followed by a period of four years in the Air Force Reserve. Dated 4 December 1952.

## AIR TRAINING CORPS

*Appointment*

The Rev. John Gilbert RODGERS, B.A., is granted a commission with the temporary rank of Pilot Officer (*on prob.*). Dated 3 November 1952.

*Resignations*

Flying Officer John Francois McDONALD resigns his commission. Dated 15 December 1952.

Flying Officer William Josiah LOVE resigns his commission. Dated 31 December 1952.

## AIR FORCE RESERVE

## ACTIVE RESERVE

*Appointment*

John Joseph BRUNT, M.B., Ch.B. (133638), is granted a commission for a period of four years in the Medical Branch, with the temporary rank of Flying Officer and with seniority as from 4 December 1950. Dated 4 December 1952.

*Transfers*

Squadron Leader John Ronald DAY, M.B.E. (130118), is transferred from the Territorial Air Force to the Air Force Reserve for a period of four years, with his present rank and seniority. Dated 1 December 1952.

Flight Lieutenant Alan Herbert CHAPMAN (73639) is transferred from the Active List to the Air Force Reserve for a period of four years. Dated 5 November 1952.

*Retirement*

Wing Commander Alfred Morton Seafeld MANHIRE, O.B.E., A.M.I.E.E. (70191), is retired. Dated 2 October 1952.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of February 1953.

T. L. MACDONALD, Minister of Defence.