

PROVOST BRANCH.

- Wing Commander to Group Captain* :—
 B. W. S. SMITH (79619). 1st July 1952.
Squadron Leader to Wing Commander :—
 J. R. COULSON (151439). 1st July 1952.
Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader :—
 1st July 1952.
 C. W. HOBGEN (171703).
 A. G. BULLEN, M.B.E. (186967).
 S. W. K. HART (167819).
Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :—
 1st July 1952.
 J. R. F. RUDLAND (176214).
 E. T. INIONS (200621).
 P. GREEN (502145).
 R. R. B. TRUSCOTT (501040).

CATERING BRANCH.

- Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader* :—
 L. J. MORRIS (56978). 1st July 1952.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

- Squadron Officer to Wing Officer* :—
 1st July 1952.
 E. M. TILBROOK, R.R.C. (5058).
 M. R. GALL, A.R.R.C. (5057).

Air Ministry, 1st July, 1952.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.**GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.**

- Appointment to commission.*
As Flight Lieutenant, permanent (A.M.Q.)
 A.628/51) :—

Alexander MORRISON, D.F.C. (170180). 5th Mar. 1952 (and transferred to the Technical Branch. 5th Mar. 1952 (seniority 7th June 1947)).

- As Flying Officer, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve)* :—
 John Blake McKenzie DEMPSTER (502366). 28th May 1952 (seniority 13th Feb. 1951).

- As Pilot Officer, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve)* :—
 Raymond Eric William LOVERSEED (2471048). 10th Mar. 1952 (seniority 26th Sept. 1951).

- As Acting Pilot Officers on probation, short service (eight years on the active list and four years on the reserve)* :—

9th Apr. 1952.

1892110 Cadet Pilot George Sidney MORLEY (1892110) (period of service to count from 21st Nov. 1951).

592197 Cadet Navigator William Edward KIRK (592197) (period of service to count from 21st Nov. 1951).

Colin Charles David DINGLE (2531389). 6th May 1952.

- As Acting Pilot Officers on probation, short service (four years on the active list and four years on the reserve)* :—

Cadet Pilots.

4084127 Ian George Meager JARVIS (4084127). 9th Apr. 1952 (period of service to count from 21st Nov. 1951).

4085366 Michael John SILVANI (4085366). 1st May 1952 (period of service to count from 5th Dec. 1951).

3511757 William Eric Fletcher OSTROM (3511757). 7th May 1952 (period of service to count from 5th Dec. 1951).

Promotion.

- Pilot Officer to Flying Officer* :—
 F. C. REID (3507362). 12th June 1952.
 E. A. TAYLOR (4050771). 26th June 1952 (seniority 26th Mar. 1951).

27th June 1952.

R. J. S. HUDSON (3092613) (seniority 27th Mar. 1951).

- R. D. ALEXANDER (1333627).
 C. V. ATKINS (3502810).
 P. M. AUSTIN (3124626).
 J. O. BAKER (4040458).
 W. F. G. DORMAN (582513).
 B. P. H. LACEY (3500580).
 C. T. LAKE (3118990).
 G. E. LORD (2204489).
 D. McCLUGHEN (1813619).

- L. R. MOXON (2458978)
 A. G. S. PATTINSON (3125912).
 K. S. POVEY (4040456).
 J. V. RADICE (3507289).
 C. SPOONER (3034032).
 J. A. SPREADBURY (4040475).
 J. B. STEPHENS (3031483).
 A. J. STONE (3507433).
 P. T. STOWELL (3124632).
 G. A. H. THOMAS (3507282).
 P. J. WILSON (575581).
 A. W. A. WRIGHT (2455329)

28th June 1952.

- C. M. F. CAILLARD (2235013).
 G. SMITH (2200030).

Transfer between branches.

Flight Lieutenant A. W. D. WOODCOCK (195193) to the Technical Branch, retaining his rank. 4th June 1952 (seniority 20th Aug. 1948).

The undermentioned to the Fighter Control Branch :—

Flight Lieutenant E. O. MACKAY (162586), retaining his rank. 26th May 1952 (seniority 15th Nov. 1949).

Pilot Officer T. W. CLARY (2499457), retaining his existing rank and seniority. 7th Apr. 1952.

Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant G. B. DUNNING, D.F.C. (186482). 26th June 1952.

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant J. R. D. COWELL (55125) (at own request). 31st May 1952.

Squadron Leader J. R. D. BRAHAM, D.S.O., D.F.C., A.F.C. (40667) (at own request), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 11th May 1952.

Short service commission relinquished.

Acting Pilot Officers (on account of medical unfitness for air force service) :—

M. G. REVANS (583564). 27th June 1952.

K. V. H. RAYNOR (4056602). 30th June 1952.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officer R. L. ELLIOTT (3127042) (on appointment to the reconstituted R.A.F.V.R.). 1st June 1952.

The undermentioned (on appointment to short service commissions) :—

Pilot Officer R. E. W. LOVERSEED (2471048). 10th Mar. 1952.

Acting Pilot Officer C. C. D. DINGLE (2531389). 6th May 1952.

Emergency commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant N. C. GAUNTLETT (55152) on appointment to the R.A.F.R.O.) retaining his rank. 29th Dec. 1951.

Dismissal by sentence of General Court Martial.

Flight Lieutenant E. A. WHITLOCK (56601). 5th May 1952.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.**Promotion.**

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :—
 A. M. RAWLINGS (501653). 27th June 1952.

Reversion to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant M. W. N. ABBOTT (86135), retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st July 1952.

Retirement.

Squadron Leaders retaining the rank of Wing Commander :—

W. K. RICHARDS, M.B.E. (35241). 27th June 1952.

A. R. PEARCE, M.B.E. (35239). 1st July 1952.

Permanent commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. E. THOMAS (53699). 24th May 1952.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.**Transfer to reserve.**

Squadron Leader E. P. PARKES-DAVIS (89998) (and called up for air force service). 27th June 1952.

Retirement.

Wing Commander G. ROBINSON (31303) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 27th June 1952.

Squadron Leader A. R. WILLIAMS, M.B.E. (31169), retaining the rank of Wing Commander. 28th May 1952.