

Retirement.

Flight Lieutenant H. ARNOLD (50628) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 9th Mar. 1954.

FIGHTER CONTROL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.

As Flying Officers:—

29th Dec. 1953.

Malcolm BEACH (154084).

Francis Lumley SMITH (191080).

As Pilot Officer:—

Colin Puntan LEWIS (2692023). 29th Dec. 1953.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flying Officers (six years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Paul Douglas Arthur BAIRD (164243). 1st Feb. 1954 (seniority 30th June 1953).

Eric George WINTER, D.F.C. (162594). 8th Feb. 1954 (seniority 18th Aug. 1953).

Transfer between branches.

Flying Officers to the Secretarial Branch, retaining their existing rank and seniority:—

H. A. SETH (171506). 10th Feb. 1954.

F. G. SULLY (104020). 11th Feb. 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

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

J. M. WALKER (3134037). 5th Oct. 1953.

R. G. NEWBERY (2542439). 4th Jan. 1954.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flight Lieutenant (three years on the active list and four years on the reserve):—

Wilfred Thompson FOTHERGILL, M.B., B.S. (2607861). 17th Nov. 1953 (seniority 10th Sept. 1953).

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

Michael Colston BATCHELDOR, M.B., B.S., L.M.S.S.A. (180103). 1st Feb. 1954.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Flying Officer:—

Brian Fyffe ROBINSON, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.P. (503502). 1st Feb. 1954.

Promotion.

Flight Lieutenant to Squadron Leader:—

S. J. KRISTER, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203700). 3rd Mar. 1954.

R. E. WOOLLEY, G.M., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (203483). 6th Mar. 1954.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

R. STALKER, M.B., Ch.B. (503004). 2nd Feb. 1954 (seniority 30th Jan. 1953).

M. H. GOUGH, M.B., B.S. (502986). 2nd Mar. 1954 (seniority 15th Aug. 1952).

2nd Mar. 1954.

E. B. D. HAMILTON, M.B., B.Ch. (502985).

D. HARRETT, M.B., B.Ch. (503036).

R. D. HUNTER, M.B., Ch.B. (503048).

National service commission relinquished.

Flying Officer W. T. FOTHERGILL, M.B., B.S. (2607861) (on appointment to a short service commission). 17th Nov. 1953.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Flying Officers:—

1st Feb. 1954.

David Colin BARNES, B.D.S., L.D.S. (503508).

John Harry FLEMING, L.D.S. (503509).

Richard Godfrey GOODRICHE, L.D.S. (503504).

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Chaplain (three years on the active list) with the relative rank of Squadron Leader:—

Rev. John Alexander MILLICAN, M.A. (503437). 1st Feb. 1954 (seniority 6th Mar. 1950).

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

Rev. John MADDOCK (503411). 2nd Dec. 1953.

Promotion.

The Rev. W. R. WILLIAMS, B.A. (979660), is granted the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 4th Mar. 1954.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Appointment to commission (short service).

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

Raymond Leonard WILLSMER, B.A. (2700057).

14th Jan. 1954.

Richard Charles SHEAD, B.A. (503465). 20th Jan. 1954.

21st Jan. 1954.

William Eric CRAKER, B.Sc., Ph.D. (503488).

Archibald Cook MCEWAN, Ph.D., A.R.I.C. (503495).

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

Michael John SMITH, B.Sc. (2607928). 21st Jan. 1954.

11th Feb. 1954.

Iain Sillars Stuart McGLASHAN, B.A. (2590886).

John Stanton SHIRLEY-QUIRK, B.Sc. (2709960).

Appointment to commission (national service).

As Pilot Officer:—

2590726 Aircraftman 2nd class Anthony BARR, B.A. (2590726). 21st Jan. 1954.

Notification amended.

26th Jan. 1954 (p. 567, col. 2) concerning 2702785 Vivian WILLIAMS, B.A. (2702785) for (2702785) read (2702789).

Promotion.

Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant:—

J. J. McCAFFERTY, B.Sc. (502043). 5th Mar. 1954.

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer:—

5th Mar. 1954.

J. E. HALE, B.Sc. (2570472).

D. A. WOOD, B.A. (2577470).

Transfer to reserve.

Flying Officers:—

T. FRANCE (500553). 16th Feb. 1954.

W. GRASON, B.Sc. (501728). 21st Feb. 1954.

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

Notification amended.

10th Nov. 1953 (p. 5997, col. 1) concerning B. M. M. WATSON, B.Sc. (2536347) for (2536347) read (2535347).

Short service commission relinquished.

Flight Lieutenant G. WATSON, B.Sc. (2416946) (on appointment to a permanent commission in the Technical Branch). 30th Dec. 1953.

Commission terminated.

Flying Officer L. E. ASHWORTH, M.Sc. (503377). 12th Feb. 1954.

CATERING BRANCH.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant K. LAIRD (112386). 16th Feb. 1954.

Flight Lieutenant P. M. HEFFERNAN (83075) retaining the rank of Squadron Leader. 12th Feb. 1954.

PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.

Extension of service.

The period of service on the active list of Flying Officer N. D. JOHNSTONE (2446131) is extended to five years with effect from 12th Apr. 1951.

Transfer to reserve.

Flight Lieutenant W. F. LAND (122577). 21st Feb. 1954.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

Appointment to commission (short service).

As Flight Officer (four years):—

Betty Joy COCKLE (407275). 1st Feb. 1954 (seniority 1st Feb. 1954).