Colin MILNER, B.A. (503730). Thomas Albert Smith, B.A. (503672). Joseph Peter STEVENS, B.A. (2608272). Reginald George Charles WARNE, B.A. (503676). Peter Cresswell Saltmarsh WHITE, B.A. (503678).

Appointment to commission (national service). As Pilot Officers :

Aircraftmen 2nd class.

27th May 1954. 2717347 Clive William Charles DAWKINS, M.Sc.

(2717347). 2717350 David Matthew Garrick WISHART, M.A., B.Sc. (2717350).

Promotion.

5642

Pilot Officer to Flying Officer :---

5th Oct. 1954. D. P. Arrol, M.A. (2572366). P. D. Jones, B.A. (503472).

- Transfer between branches and reversion to lower rank.
 - Flight Lieutenant J. W. SHARPE (500845) to the Secretarial Branch, reverting to the rank of Flying Officer. 1st Sept. 1954 (seniority 24th Aug. 1951).
- Transfer to reserve.
 - Flight Lieutenant A. P. HANWELL (500072) (and called up for air force service). 11th Aug. 1953.

Flying Officers :

- L. J. THORNTON, B.Sc. (2530656). 4th Sept. 1954. L. J. M. CALLENDER, B.Sc. (502034). 7th Sept. 1954.

 - 3rd Oct. 1954. D. BERRY, B.A. (502070).
 - A. BLACKLEDGE, B.Sc. (502069).
- B. DAVIES, B.Sc. (502033).

Transfer to reserve (national service list).

- Flying Officers :--G. L. BROOKFIELD, B.Sc. (2574513). 13th Sept.
- 1954. T. M. Arrchison, M.A. (2570421). 1954. E. Lyco. B.Sc. (2572629). 25th 14th Sept.
 - R. E. Lygo, B.Sc. (2572629). 25th Sept. 1954. 27th Sept. 1954. D. M. BROWN, M.A. (2571208). D. T. CARR, B.A. (257121). J. J. CAW, M.A. (2571209). P. HASLAM, B.A. (2571234).
- J. L. GENTLES, B.Sc. (2572042). 4th Oct. 1954.
- Reversion to reserve.
 - Flight Lieutenant A. P. HANWELL (500072). 8th Sept. 1954.

National service commission relinquished.

Pilot Officers (on appointment to short service commissions);

- G. M. BITCON, B.A. (2707223). 14th Apr. 1954. 14th July 1954. J. J. B. HICKEY, B.A. (2708713). G. LAFFERTY, M.A. (2718693).

PROVOST BRANCH.

Commission resigned

- Notification amended. 24th Aug. 1954 (p. 4880, col. 1) concerning E. C. STANLEY (501922) for 14th Aug. 1954 read 15th Aug. 1954.
- PHYSICAL FITNESS BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission (permanent) under A.M.O. A.628/51.
- As Flying Officer :---Reginald Charles BAYLY (185455). 1st June 1954. Promotion.
 - Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-P. O'K. PLUMPTON (919452). 27th Sept. 1954.

CATERING BRANCH.

- Appointment to commission (national service). As Pilot Officer :-
 - 2590655 Aircraftman 2nd class Miles Ker VAUGHAN (2590655), 27th May 1954.
- Transfer to reserve. Flight Lieutenant S. J. DAKIN (148834). 3rd Oct. 1954
 - Flight Officer F. V. LONGLEY (née PETTY) (4229), W.R.A.F. 22nd Sept. 1954.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL FORCE AIR NURSING SERVICE.

Appointment to commission (short service).

- Elizabeth Mary Brennan (seniority 13th Sept. 1952).
- Anne Jane McGee (seniority 13th Sept. 1952). Patricia Anne Elizabeth METCALFE (seniority th Oct. 1952). 29th Oct.
- Betty Lilian ROBINS (seniority 15th Apr. 1953).

Promotion

- romotion.
 Flight Officer to Squadron Officer :--C. HARDWICK (405682). 3rd July 1954.
 E. LAY (405491). 5th July 1954.
 H. M. JONES, A.R.R.C. (405800). 7th July 1954.
 N. E. JONES (405554). 13th July 1954.
 S. E. WOODS (405825). 14th July 1954.
 T. J. MCNEILL (405609). 19th July 1954.
 M. K. MONAIR (405706). 26th July 1954.
 G. HAYDOCK (405740). 15th Aug. 1954.
- Flying Officer to Flight Officer :---I. V. HAMILTON (407112). 22nd Sept. 1954. J. HARRIS (406819). 29th Sept. 1954.

Retirement.

- Flight Officer D. D. RUSSELL (406254) (on account of medical unfitness for air force service). 20th Sept. 1954.
- Short service commission relinquished. Flying Officer A. TURGOOSE (406871). 2nd Oct. 1954.
- Commission resigned.

 - Flying Officers:— J. DAVISON (406909). 25th Aug. 1954. E. J. NANKERVIS (407165). 1st Sept. 1954. T. E. J. WITT (407197). 4th Sept. 1954. 1954.
- ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.
- GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.
- Appointment to commission (class CC). As Flying Officers :
 - 9th Sept. 1954.
 - Thomas Mackay MACLACHLAN (300496). William Henry WEBB (182648).

 - Alexander George Anderson (300497). 10th Sept. 1954.
- Extension of service. The period of service of the undermentioned Flight Lieutenants is extended by five years with effect
- - M. C. LUCKHAM (44607). 1st June 1954.
- Promotion.
 - Flying Officer to Flight Lieutenant :-J. RYAN (54714). 8th July 1954.

Grant of higher rank (class CC). Squadron Leader H. WATKINS, D.F.C. (171900) to be Wing Commander. 11th Sept. 1954.

Commission relinguished.

- Flight Lieutenants:
- R. M. HUNT (57642). 21st Dec. 1953. H. M. T. HERON, A.F.C. (41700). 28th Dec. 1953.
- Flying Officer M. L. LLOYD (56663) (on appoint-ment to a commission in the R.N.V.R.). 29th May 1954.
- Commission relinquished (class CC). Flight Lieutenant D. W. SKILLMAN, D.F.C. (62250) (on cessation of duty). 25th Jan. 1953.
- Notification cancelled. 20th July 1954 (p. 4247, col. 1) concerning R. M. S. RAYNER, D.F.C. (40138)

C. W. R. SHUBROOK (85880). 26th Sept. 1954. W. J. A. PRITCHETT (31239). 3rd Oct. 1954

Flight Lieutenant W. H. HERBERT, O.B.E. 04785), 27th June 1954.

Flying Officer A. B. DAINES (58507). 29th Sept.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH

Extension of service. The period of service of the undermentioned is extended by five years with effect from the dates

Squadron Leaders :-

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