CLASS A.

Flying Officers

C.B.E., Frederick Frank MINCHIN, D.S.O., M.C.

Arthur George Loton.

Pilot Officer.

William Vesey PIGGOTT.

CLASS A.A.

Pilot Officer.

William Richardson BAILEY.

The undermentioned officers are confirmed rank, with effect from the dates indicated:

Flying Officers.

Roderick Charles Armstrong, D.F.C. 9th Dec. 1923.

David Arthur Hughes. 17th Jan. 1924.

Pilot Officers.

Joseph Fielden Greenwood. 11th Dec.

Frederick Ashton Ledgard. 3rd Jan. 1924.

Claude William DAGGETT. 17th Jan. 1924.

Flying Officer William Waldron Saunders relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and is permitted to retain his rank. 20th Dec. 1923.

Princess Mary's Royal Air Force Nursing SERVICE.

The undermentioned promotions are made. 1st Jan. 1924:-

Senior Sisters to be acting Matrons.

Miss Muriel Beatrice Botwood. Miss Mary Wilson CAMPBELL.

Sister to be acting Senior Sister.

Miss Maggie Moddrell.

Staff Nurses to be acting Sisters.

Miss Mildred Grace Wiseman. Mrs. Louisa Learmouth Mackenzie.

Miss Mary Anne MacVicar.

Miss Elizabeth Sisman Browbank.

Mrs. Gwendolen Mary Rutledge.

Miss Ethel Lilla Margaret Graham.

Miss Anna Barbara O'NIELL.

Miss Gertie Inman, A.R.R.C. Miss Evelyn Kate Griffin.

Miss Elsie Agnes Nunn.

Miss Marjorie Elizabeth Hards.

Miss Maud Harriette Adamson.

Miss Esther Wilson Hunter.

Miss Clementina McLachlan Youngson.

Miss Mona Simpson.

MEMORANDA.

The grant of an honorary commission as a Flying Officer to Archibald Reginald Thomas Smith, as notified in the Gazette of 12th June 1923, is cancelled.

The permission granted to 2nd Lt. Ernest Roy Davis to retain his rank is withdrawn June 1923 on his enlistment.

India Office, 18 January, 1924.

The Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed Mr. Thomas Cuthill Mitchell to superintend the transfer of lascars or other persons and to grant the certificate required under Section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic., cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such certificate is applied for is limited to three shillings and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect

of one crew to exceed five pounds.

NEWPORT.

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Newport (hereinafter called the Corporation) being the Urban Sanitary Authority for the said Borough, have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, alter or amend the Newport Corporation Act, 1914, so as:—

- (1) To authorise the Corporation to construct the Bridge over the River Usk (Work No. 1) authorised by the said Act of a greater number of spans than the number shown on the deposited sections referred to in that Act;
- (2) To authorise the Corporation to construct the said bridge of a greater or less width than the width shown on the deposited plans referred to in that Act; and
- (3) For the several purposes of the Application, or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes, to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act, or of any other Local Act, or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, and in force in the Borough of Newport as may be necessary or desirable.

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance with the said Application:

Notice is hereby given that C. G. Mitchell, Esquire, B.Sc., A.M. Inst. C.E., one of the Inspectors of the Ministry of Health and of the Ministry of Transport, will attend at the Town Hall, Newport, on Friday, the fifteenth day of February, 1924, at ten o'clock in the forencon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

I. G. Gibbon,

Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W. 1.

18th January, 1924.