Gerald Alfred Wellesley Saunders. Kenneth Howard Savage. John Stanley Scott. Kenneth Goulding Sharp. Brian Stirling Tomlin. Wilfred Lawrence Warner. John Paul Madox Woolley.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Arthur Beale Greenaway is graded as Pilot Officer on probation, 10th Aug. 1936.

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Acting Pilot Officer on probation David Gordon Warren is graded as Pilot Officer on probation. 7th Oct. 1936.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer on the dates stated:—

lst Apr. 1936. (Seniority 2nd Jan. 1936). Walter Peter Whitworth.

Joseph Somerton O'BRIEN.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted permanent commissions in that rank on completion of probationary service:—

5th Sept. 1935. John Gerard Brendan O'HAGAN.

19th Sept. 1935.

Cuthbert Dumaresque Paul Franklin.

COMMISSIONED ENGINEER OFFICER.

Warrant Officer Samuel Wyatt BLIGHT is granted a permanent commission as Flying Officer on probation with effect from 18th Nov. 1936 and with seniority of 26th Oct. 1936.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

Reserve of Air Force Officers.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions as Pilot Officers in class AA. 8th Dec. 1936:—

Charles George Buchanan McClure. Denis Geach Parnall.

Pilot Officer John Lowry Courtenay NEWTON is transferred from class C to class A. 10th Oct. 1936.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Flying Officer Henry Charles SMITH, M.B.. Ch.B., is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 4th June 1933.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

No. 501 (County of Gloucester) (Bomber) Squadron.

Alastair Rennoldson Ross is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 18th Sept. 1936.

No. 504 (County of Nottingham) (Bomber) Squadron.

John Michael Godfree Browne is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 25th July 1936. Civil Service Commission,

December 8, 1936.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS RESPECTING OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR SITUATIONS IN THE JUNIOR GRADE OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE CLASS.

Competitions under these Regulations are open both to men and women.

These regulations are liable to alteration from time to time.

1. Candidates must have attained the age of 21 and must not have attained the age of 24 on the first day of August in the year in which the examination is held.

In reckoning age for competition the following allowances will be made, viz.:—

(a) Candidates who have served or are serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force may deduct from their actual age any time during which they have so served.

(b) Candidates who have served in any established civil situation to which they were admitted with the Certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding two years which they may have spent in such service.

2. Every candidate must be a natural-born British subject, the child of a person who is or was at the time of death a British subject. Provided that exception may be made in the case of natural-born British subjects who have satisfactorily completed a period of not less than five years' service on full pay in His Majesty's Regular Forces.

Provided also that if the Civil Service Commissioners are satisfied in the case of any candidate who is a British subject but does not fulfil all the requirements of the rule as to nationality and descent, that the candidate is so closely connected by ancestry and upbringing with His Majesty's dominions that an exception may properly be made to that rule, they may accept such candidate as eligible provided that this discretion shall not be exercisable unless (a) the father or the paternal grandfather of the candidate was a natural-born British subject, and (b) neither the father nor the paternal grandfather had acquired any other nationality by naturalization or by any other voluntary and formal Act.

3. No person actually serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force will be eligible for admission to the examination unless he produces to the Civil Service Commissioners, when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to attend the examination, dated before the commencement of the competition, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the examination before the commencement of the competition.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the