

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

16th Dec. 1936.

Robert Neville John WHITE.  
Ioan Samuel WILLIAMS.

3rd Jan. 1937.

Michael Henry de Lisle EVEREST.

Squadron Leader William Munro YOOL is granted the acting rank of Wing Commander (unpaid) with effect from 21st Dec. 1936.

Capt. Nigel Robert Mackie SKENE, R.M., Flight Lieutenant, R.A.F., ceases to be attached to the Royal Air Force on return to duty with the Royal Marines. 1st Jan. 1937.

Squadron Leader Henry COCKERELL, O.B.E., is placed on the retired list. 8th Jan. 1937.

Flight Lieutenant Arthur William Magee FINNY is transferred to the Reserve class A. 19th Dec. 1936.

Flight Lieutenant Michael Christopher LASSETTER resigns his short service commission. 1st Jan. 1937.

Flight Lieutenant Walter Robinson COX resigns his short service commission. 6th Jan. 1937.

Lieut.-Comdr. John Curthoys RICHARDS, R.N., Flight Lieutenant R.A.F., relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Naval duty. 23rd Nov. 1936.

#### EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted permanent commissions as Pilot Officers on probation with effect from and with seniority of 1st Jan. 1937:—

Roger Relton GOODBODY.  
Frederick George Cooper GILBERT.  
Alastair MacRae ABERDEIN.  
Frank Philip DAWSON.  
Robert Philip NORMAN.  
Ronald Frederick Bowden GUY.  
Alfred John GOATLY.  
Patrick Noel SOWMAN.  
Walter Ronald FORD.  
Rupert Howard Esmonde DOWSE-BRENAN.  
Roy Vernon Bolton FRANKLYN.  
Edgar Grahame FARTHING.  
Basil Robert SIMINSON.  
Dudley John BARBER.  
Charles Terry WARDMAN.  
John Pierce CODY.

Pilot Officer on probation Philip Henry STIBBS is confirmed in rank and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 6th Jan. 1937.

Flying Officer on probation Frederick Charles CROWDY is transferred to Commissioned Photography Officer with effect from 25th Dec. 1936 and with seniority of 6th Jan. 1936.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are granted permanent commissions in that rank. 8th Jan. 1937:—

Hugh BANNERMAN, M.B., B.S.  
Ian MACKAY, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H.

Flight Lieutenant Harold Stuart BARBER, M.B., B.Ch., is transferred to the Reserve class D. 8th Jan. 1937.

Flight Lieutenant Malachy Thomas O'REILLY, M.B., B.Ch., resigns his permanent commission. 4th Jan. 1937.

#### CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

The Reverend Alan Clason GATES is granted a short service commission with the relative rank of Squadron Leader with effect from and with seniority of 1st Jan. 1937.

The Reverend Patrick Joseph O'CONNELL is granted a short service commission with the relative rank of Squadron Leader with effect from and with seniority of 28th Dec. 1936.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

##### *Reserve of Air Force Officers.*

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Patrick DUNPHY is granted a commission as Pilot Officer in class AA. 12th Jan. 1937.

Flying Officer Cecil Beck DOVE is granted the honorary rank of Flight Lieutenant. 10th Dec. 1936.

Flying Officer Cyril Percy ALLEN is transferred from class AA (i) to class C. 13th Nov. 1936.

Flight Lieutenant George Rhensburg HICKS, D.F.C., is transferred from class C to class A. 18th Dec. 1936.

Flying Officer Noel FOSTER-PACKER relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the South African Air Force Special Reserve of Flying Officers. 27th Oct. 1936.

Flight Lieutenant Charles Allen ELLIOTT resigns his commission. 14th Dec. 1936.

#### AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

No. 600 (*City of London*) (*Fighter*) Squadron.

Pilot Officer David de Brassey CLARK is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 27th Nov. 1936.

No. 602 (*City of Glasgow*) (*Bomber*) Squadron.

Daniel Macfarlane JACK is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 8th Nov. 1936.

No. 603 (*City of Edinburgh*) (*Bomber*) Squadron.

Pilot Officer John Laurence Gilchrist CUNNINGHAM is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 6th Nov. 1936.

No. 605 (*County of Warwick*) (*Bomber*) Squadron.

Patrick George LEESON is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 5th Dec. 1936.