Air Ministry,

17th May, 1938.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Pilot Officer on probation Walter Harry POWDRELL is confirmed in his appointment. 15th June 1937.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation James Ruscombe Leatherdale is confirmed in his appointment and graded as Pilot Officer. 26th July 1937. (Substituted for notification in Gazette of 2nd Nov. 1937.)

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant on the dates stated:—

6th Mar. 1938.

Denys Finlay Balsdon.

29th Mar. 1938. Duncan Finlayson MacDonald.

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

7th Apr. 1938.

Bernard George Dealtry NATHAN.

21st Apr. 1938.

Donald Ian McLEOD.

26th Apr. 1938.

Peter Hadfield.

7th May 1938.

Albert Edward WILLIAMSON.

Richard Paul Stanhope WYRILL.

Dermot Beaumont Millar WRIGHT.

Peter Frederick RUTTER.

James Lawrence ATKINSON.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant on the dates stated:—

14th Mar. 1938.

Wilfred Edward SURPLICE.

24th Mar. 1938.

Alan Douglas Groom.

14th Apr. 1938.

Thomas Gunn Tideman.

Flying Officer Richard John Courtney NEDWILL relinquishes the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant. Ist May 1938.

Group Captain Horace GORDON-DEAN, A.F.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 16th May 1938.

Flight Lieutenant Ian Alastair Scott is transferred to the Reserve, class B. 12th May 1938.

Flying Officer Percy Henry RICHMOND resigns his short service commission. 12th May 1938.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

Flying Officer Desmond Henry Archibald IRWIN, M.B., B.Ch., relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 14th May 1938.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

Reserve of Air Force Officers.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Lieut.-Comdr. William Allen LINDSAY-WATSON (R.N., Ret.) is granted a commission as Flight Lieutenant in class C with effect from 1st Apr. 1938.

Patrick Windsor Lynch-Blosse is granted a commission as Pilot Officer in class A with effect from 10th May 1938 and seniority of 31st Oct. 1937.

Pilot Officer on probation Ranald Logan Porteous is confirmed in his appointment. 18th May 1938.

Flight Lieutenant Walter Robinson Cox is transferred from class A to class C. 2nd May 1938.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred from class A to class C on the dates stated:—

6th Aug. 1936.

Robert Baker WHITTINGHAM.

12th Nov. 1937.

Richard James Robert Haldane MAKGILL.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred from class C to class A on the dates stated:—

13th Apr. 1937.

Guy Desmond FLEMING.

4th Jan. 1938. Arthur Reginald Sinclair Davies.

Flying Officer Arthur Wilfred Alexander WHITEHEAD is transferred from class C to class AA. 28th Mar. 1938.

Flying Officer John Anthony Tinne resigns his commission. 30th Mar. 1938.

Flying Officer James Stibbs NAPPER, D.C.M., relinquishes his commission on completion of service and is permitted to retain his rank. 2nd Sept. 1937.

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EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Gerald Reginald Mansel GARRATT is granted a commission as Flying Officer with effect from 17th May 1938 and with seniority of 12th Apr. 1938.

Edgar Morrison MILLING is granted a commission as Flying Officer with effect from 17th May 1938 and with seniority of 26th Apr. 1938.

The undermentioned are granted commissions as Acting Pilot Officers on probation with effect from 17th May 1938 and with seniority of 26th Apr. 1938:—

Richard Leslie WINTERBURN. Hereward Wilfrid FURNESS.

The undermentioned are granted commissions as Acting Pilot Officers on probation with effect from 17th May 1938 and with seniority of 3rd May 1938:—

Alfred George ETTRIDGE.
Donald Leslie KINGS.