

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Pilot Officer on probation Richard WILLIAMS (31300) is confirmed in his appointment. 23rd Jan. 1940.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Quartermasters and Flying Officers on probation. 19th Dec. 1939:—

341068 Benjamin FELLOWS (23428).
334185 Harry Edmund VINCENT (23429).
333135 William Dillarstone RICHARDSON (23430).
343612 Thomas Henry Arthur LEAVER (23431).

Flying Officer Samuel Montague BIEBER, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23379), is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant on the 9th Jan. 1940 with seniority of 9th July 1939.

The commission of Flying Officer Ernest Hope LAMB, M.B., Ch.B., is antedated to 6th Mar. 1939 and he ceases to be seconded to the London Homoeopathic Hospital with effect from 1st Mar. 1940.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Staff Nurses are confirmed in their appointments on the dates stated:—

17th Jan. 1940.
Miss Elizabeth Margorie PIKESLEY.

24th Jan. 1940.
Miss Betty SLADER.

31st Jan. 1940.
Miss Kathleen SMITH.
Miss Muriel Ethel HALE.

1st Feb. 1940.
Miss Lila Marguerite MURDOCH-BROWN.

4th Feb. 1940.
Miss Kathleen Florence NIBLOCK.

21st Feb. 1940.
Miss Elizabeth Mary MACKENZIE.

Sister Miss Ethel Kate HUMPHRYS resigns her appointment 17th Jan. 1940. (Substituted for notification in the Gazette of 13th Feb. 1940.)

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

Reserve of Air Force Officers.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Griffith Llewellyn Christmas JENKINS is granted a commission in class CC as Flight-Lieutenant. 26th Feb. 1940.

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

23rd Dec. 1938.
William Ball WILSON (70742).

3rd Sept. 1939.

William BENTLEY, D.F.C. (06216).
Sydney HERBERT (07142).
David James STEWART (70649).
Alan Ross MACDONALD (70422).
Dring Leslie FORESTIER-WALKER (70219).
Mortimer Nugent HANCOCKS (70279).
Robert Lester PALMER (15195).
Barrington Calver MASON (17112).
James Gordon BUTT-REED (70105).
Henry Douglas MITCHELMORE (18023).
Walter Lawrence McLAREN (18250).
Alline Patrick WAYTE (22010).
William Cecil McNEIL (22048).
Herbert Cecil Douglas HAYTER (24025).
Geoffrey Good DIXON (28130).
Arthur Edmond CLOUSTON, A.F.C. (29162).

22nd Oct. 1939.

Michael Arthur SMITH (70776).

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

30th Nov. 1939.

Basil Percy WALLIS (70710).
John Reginald Cass YOUNG (70766).

6th Jan. 1940.

Arthur Gordon HALL (70914).
Richard George BURKE (70912).
Jack Audrey NEWTON (70913).
Thomas William HAMLIN (70911).
William Hugh Laird DUDLEY (70910).

The undermentioned Flying Officers are transferred to the Administrative and Special Duties Branch on the dates stated:—

26th Nov. 1939.

Douglas Harry Cecil HULL (37286).

6th Feb. 1940.

David BEEVERS (70055).

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on cessation of duty on the dates stated:—

Squadron Leader.

5th Feb. 1940.

Maurice BENNETTS, M.C.

Flight Lieutenants.

18th Nov. 1939.

Thomas Harold GLEDHILL.

8th Jan. 1940.

John Arthur Joseph FARRELL, D.S.O.

27th Feb. 1940.

Thomas FORRESTER.

Squadron Leader Joseph KEMPER, M.B.E., relinquishes his commission in class CC. 1st Feb. 1940.

The notifications in the Gazette of 21st Nov. 1939, concerning Flight Lieutenants Arthur Gwyther ADAMS and Geoffrey Leonard SHIPTON are cancelled.

The notification in the Gazette of 5th Mar. 1940, concerning Flight Lieutenant Archibald Harold GOLDIE is cancelled.