

3rd Apr. 1940.

Flight Lieutenant John Dudley Taylor REVELL (43424).

Flight Lieutenant Robert Edward SHARP (43425).

Air Commodore Harry George SMART, O.B.E., D.F.C., A.F.C. (Acting Air Vice-Marshal (unpaid)) is granted the acting rank of Air Vice-Marshal (paid). 1st Mar. 1940.

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

16th Apr. 1940.

Alec Edward PRINGLE (37299).

25th Apr. 1940.

(Seniority of 25th Jan. 1940.)
Charles Hunting SIMPSON (36117).

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

16th June 1939.

George Herbert Burgon HUTCHINSON (39233).

6th Jan. 1940.

John Howard DUNN (39813).

6th Apr. 1940.

Herber Prestyl EVANS (40377).

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

7th Jan. 1940.

Robert Lawrie LORIMER (37731). (Substituted for notification in the Gazette of 16th Apr. 1940.)

1st Apr. 1940.

John BARRETT (37341).

Edward Maurice WARE (36096).

Pilot Officer Ian PROSSER (41950) takes rank and precedence as if his appointment as Pilot Officer bore date 5th Feb. 1940. Reduction to take effect from 25th Apr. 1940.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers resign their short service commissions on the dates stated:—

7th May 1940.

Mervyn Gifford LEWIS (40122).

10th May 1940.

Richard John WHIGHT (42169).

Pilot Officer Gwynn Alderton YAPP (41644) relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 27th May 1940.

Pilot Officer Gilbert Ian THWAITES (2nd Lt., K.O.R.R.) (43002) relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Army duty. 4th May 1940.

The short service commissions of the undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are terminated on cessation of duty. 17th Apr. 1940:—

Charles Patrick MORSE (42630).

Francis Albert TITCOMB (42660).

Flying Officer Denis Charles Bushman RIDDICK (39119) is dismissed the Service by sentence of General Court Martial. 13th May 1940.

The notifications in the Gazette of 7th May 1940 concerning Pilot Officers David Herbert WARDLAW (40157) and Mervyn Gifford LEWIS (40122) are cancelled.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation with effect from the dates stated and with seniority of 15th Feb. 1940:—

Warrant Officers.

13th Apr. 1940.

239932 Albert Benjamin KNOWLES (43429).

29th Apr. 1940.

344161 George RYALL (43430).

30th Apr. 1940.

335391 Alfred William HAYES (43431).

1st May 1940.

362465 Albert George HUGGINS (43432).

Temporary Warrant Officers.

18th Apr. 1940.

356764 Leslie Alfred GROVER (43433).

9th May 1940.

363031 Herbert Arthur SINGER (43434).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation with effect from the dates stated and with seniority of 14th Mar. 1940:—

Warrant Officers.

4th Apr. 1940.

334085 James LING (43435).

2nd May 1940.

362487 Lewis Henry Charles AUYS (43436).

335903 Sydney James FIELD (43437).

6th May 1940.

370086 Hubert THOMPSON (43438).

7th May 1940.

243688 Thomas Henry ADDIS (43439).

8th May 1940.

333339 William Cecil ELWORTHY (43440).

9th May 1940.

350561 Harry CLARKE (43441).

361902 Ivor FORWARD (43442).

242611 Frederick Harry Hawkswell ROWE (43443).

10th May 1940.

327382 Leonard O'NEILL (43444).

12th May 1940.

11187 Harry Charles CUTTER (43445).

Temporary Warrant Officers.

4th May 1940.

335635 Cambell Maccabe HUDSON (43446).

10th May 1940.

358122 Leonard Frank JENNINGS (43447).

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation with effect from the dates stated and with seniority of 7th Mar. 1940:—

Warrant Officers.

7th Mar. 1940.

265000 Sidney Edward KELLAWAY (43448).