

## ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation:—

Warrant Officers.

18th May 1940.

(Seniority 7th Mar. 1940.)

337212 Bert James SKINNER (44285).

22nd July 1940.

(Seniority 20th June 1940.)

329656 MICHAEL BUCKLEY (44286).

24th July 1940.

(Seniority 15th July 1940.)

333422 Thomas HATCHER (44287).

1st Aug. 1940.

(Seniority 15th July 1940.)

337157 Leslie George MARKWICK (44288).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation:—

Warrant Officer.

24th July 1940.

(Seniority 15th July 1940.)

332870 Nicholas Charles JACOBS (44289).

Flight Sergeants.

26th July 1940.

(Seniority 1st July 1940.)

365235 Victor Clarence EWENS (44290).

26th July 1940.

(Seniority 10th July 1940.)

590031 William Charles ARMSTRONG (44291).

30th July 1940.

(Seniority 3rd July 1940.)

366432 William Arthur THORPE (44292).

30th July 1940.

(Seniority 12th July 1940.)

590427 Donald James Burleigh MANN (44293).

31st July 1940.

(Seniority 12th July 1940.)

350307 Thomas Knighton FITT (44294).

2nd Aug. 1940.

(Seniority 12th July 1940.)

356927 Ernest Edward OVERINGTON (44295).

Sergeants.

25th July 1940.

(Seniority 12th July 1940.)

590569 Alan Ridgard TOWERS (44296).

29th July 1940.

(Seniority 3rd July 1940.)

364700 James Taylor MAIN (44297).

560375 John Griffin PORTLOCK (44298).

Flying Officer on probation Ambrose MADDISON (43598) is transferred to the Balloon Branch. 17th May 1940.

## EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation:—

Warrant Officers.

22nd June 1940.

(Seniority 29th Feb. 1940.)

353840 James Edward WARD (44299).

11th July 1940.

(Seniority 2nd May 1940.)

350202 Stanley Wallace GEER, M.M. (44300).

349482 Flight Sergeant Thomas Edward EKINS (44301) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation. 22nd July 1940 (seniority 2nd May 1940).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments. 1st May 1940:—

Gerald William COKER (31387).

Dion Paul MATTHEWS (31401).

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

17th July 1940.

Brian ARMIGER (31364).

Austin Edmund JACKSON (31333).

Michael Goodman TEALE (31379).

Douglas Alexander De Singleton YOUNG-JAMES (31363).

24th July 1940.

Peter ATKINSON (31365).

31st July 1940.

Gerald William COKER (31387).

Dion Paul MATTHEWS (31401).

William Joseph WAUGH (31408).

Group Captain Basil Winstanley Michael WILLIAMS is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 13th Aug. 1940.

## ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

338146 Warrant Officer Francis Charles HARVEY (44302) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officer on probation. 23rd July 1940 (seniority 18th Apr. 1940).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation:—

Warrant Officers.

1st Aug. 1940.

(Seniority 26th July 1940.)

353465 William Alfred CRAMPTON (44303).

5th Aug. 1940.

(Seniority 26th July 1940.)

330541 Frederick John FOX (44304).

Flight Sergeant.

27th July 1940.

(Seniority 6th June 1940.)

511322 Maurice Joseph TOBY (44305).

Pilot Officer on probation Alec LEES (21300) is confirmed in his appointment 17th Apr. 1940 and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 1st June 1940.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 10th June 1940 and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 31st July 1940:—

Richard Valentine CARROLL (21326).

Marcus Maxwell GARDHAM (21328).

Edward Millar GREENWOOD (21329).

Philip Ronald GREY (21330).

Charles Elon HARRISON (21331).

Lionel Richard PENTBELOW (21336).

Leonard ROYLE (21339).

Reginald Herbert SIMPSON (21340).

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 12th June 1940:—

Kenneth Maynard CRICK (21226).

Stewart Morison MACILDOWIE (21228).

Peter Withers HILL (21230).