3rd Jan. 1941. (Seniority 28th Nov. 1940.) 349650 Gerald Edward Patrick Bernal WARD (45186). As Acting Pilot Officers on probation. Acting Warrant Officer. 3rd Jan. 1941. (Seniority 28th Nov. 1940.) 513825 John Henry Cook (45187). Flight Sergeant. 24th July 1940. (Seniority 8th July 1940.) 590350 Clifford Vernon WALTERS (45188).

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

· Reserve of Air Force Officers.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

3rd Sept. 1939. Henry Havelock Ellison (22239). William Allan HAMMERTON (70276). Eric Hardy Oxley Boyle (09178).

6th January 1941. Arthur Gordon HALL (70914).

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are transferred to the Administrative and Special Duties Branch: —

14th Jan. 1941. Anthony Edward Barthrop BATEMAN (15215).

18th Jan. 1941.

Ernest James WING (70742).

The notification of 12th Dec. 1939 (p. 8254, col. 2), concerning Flying Officer Nigel Trevithick TANGYE (70661) is cancelled.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Flying Officer Walter William WHITEHEAD (08190) is promoted to the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 24th Apr. 1940.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH. Flying Officer James Anderson CRAIG, D.F.C. (70146) is transferred to the General Duties Branch. 28th Oct. 1940.

Flying Officer Thomas HERBERT (70298) is transferred to the Technical Branch. 24th April 1940.

Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

6th Dec. 1940. Albert Ernest SAUNDERS (89578).

13th Dec. 1940.

Hubert Pinkard LAVENDER (89579).

1st Jan. 1941.

Frederick John CABLE (89581).

3rd Jan. 1941. Kenneth Gomme JONAS (89582).

10th Jan. 1941.

Henry Gilbert Douglas MacFarlane PAYNE (89583).

James

(74719).

Alan

MacDonald

Henderson

Sergeants. 15th June 1940. 741074 Edgar Bernard Richard LOCKWOOD (89584). 3rd Nov. 1940. 967880 Reginald James RUMSEY (89585). 779000 Desmond Roy TAYLOR (89586). 17th Dec. 1940. (Seniority 11th Dec. 1940.) 759345 Alexander George GILL (89587). 28th Dec. 1940. (Seniority 18th Dec. 1940.) 740502 John Maurice Bentley BEARD, D.F.M. (89588). 21st Dec. 1940. (Seniority 24th Nov. 1940). 740877 Michael Duncan YOUNG (89589). 4th Jan. 1941. (Seniority 18th Dec. 1940.) 751316 Edwin GARSIDE (89590). 6th Jan. 1941. (Seniority 18th Dec. 1940.) 746723 Charles Thomas Bassage (89591) 7th Jan. 1941. (Seniority 1st Jan. 1941.) 740018 George Arthur DAY (89592). 16th Jan. 1941. (Seniority 1st Jan. 1941.) 748700 Frederick Harold BOWDEN (89593). Leading Aircraftmen. oth Nov. 1940. (Seniority 27th Oct. 1940.) 937415 John Douglas WRIGHT (89594). • 17th Nov. 1940. 980441 Kenneth John RICH (89595). 1st Dec. 1940. 916070 Ernest Edward ELLNER (89596). 14th Dec. 1940. (Seniority 3rd Dec. 1940.) 938103 Sidney John BEARD (89597). 918616 John William Thomas BROMHAM (89598). 15th Dec. 1940. 935680 Douglas Richard Samuel SCRIVEN (89599). 957979 Alfred Victor SNELLING (89600). 21st Dec. 1940. (Seniority 24th Nov. 1940.) 959568 Sidney BIRCH (89601). 4th Jan. 1941. (Seniority 29th Dec. 1940.) 908403 John Somers BRISTER (89602). 922902 John Malcolm GRAHAM (89603). 914183 Robert KEE (89604). 922679 John Busby Gordon King (89605). 907018 Harry Clifford Tonge (89606). 922324 Antony De Quincey Walker (89607) 983682 Stanley WOOD Le Vesconte (89608). 912739 David Brian PEACE (89609). The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the war substantive rank of Flying Officer:-18th Sept. 1940. Robert BRUCE (74715).

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