

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation:—

30th Aug. 1941.

Frank CHEATER (46069).

4th Sept. 1941.

James BAINS (46071).

Fred Milford KENDALL (46070).

Reginald Steward LADBROOK (46076).

Francis Ernest Charles ROBERTS (46075).

Arthur Edward WYATT (46074).

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

12th June 1941.

Leslie George MARKWICK (44288).

9th July 1941.

Alfred CRADOCK (43236).

17th July 1941.

Frederick NIGHTINGAL, M.B.E. (43323).

23rd July 1941.

Leslie BARRON (43746).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are granted the war substantive rank of Flying Officer:—

18th May 1941.

John Sim ORR (44743).

1st July 1941.

John WILLES (44447).

Wilfred Clement ANSELL (44388).

Pilot Officer Frank HARTNELL (42950) is transferred to the Technical Branch in his present rank and seniority. 29th June 1941.

Flying Officer on probation David SMITH (45139) is transferred to the Technical Branch in his present rank and seniority. 28th March 1941.

(Substituted for notification of 23rd May 1941 (p. 2955, col. 2).)

AMENDMENT.

The notification of 31st Dec. 1940 (p. 7298, col. 2) concerning 333869 Warrant Officer Edward James WARREN should have appeared under the heading "ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE" and not "ROYAL AIR FORCE."

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Fred SHAW (45799) is graded as Pilot Officer on probation. 20th June 1941.

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

8th July 1941.

Frederick Munroy WATTS (31495).

9th July 1941.

Ernest Maurice MAURICE (31200).

11th July 1941.

Edmund LIDIARD (43410).

Pilot Officer Walter KEMPLAY (43687) is granted the war substantive rank of Flying Officer. 21st July 1941.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the war substantive rank of Flying Officers (seniority 6th June 1941):—

13th June 1941.

Frederick Stephen STEWART (43923).

24th Aug. 1941.

Thomas Gray GALWAY (44454).

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Walter James Joseph BLYTH (45588) is graded as Pilot Officer on probation. 6th July 1941.

Flying Officer Charles Ernest BUDDIN (21288) is granted the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st July 1941.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities, for employment with the Royal Air Force, with the relative rank of Flying Officer. 25th July 1941.

Miss Cecilia Douglas MIDDLETON, M.B., Ch.B. (2240).

Miss Mary ROBERTSON, L.R.C.P. & S., L.R.F.P.S. (2236).

Flying Officer (Quartermaster) Burton Charles DRING (23350) is promoted to the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 24th Feb. 1941.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

The Rev. Matthew John ROBERTS (38093) resigns his commission. 31st Aug. 1941.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RESERVE.

Reserve of Air Force Officers.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Arthur James CAMPBELL is granted a commission in class CC as Wing Commander. 13th Aug. 1941.

Albert Edward WATTS is granted a commission in Class CC as Flight Lieutenant. 21st Aug. 1941.

Flying Officer William Robert BURTON (70893) is promoted to the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 3rd Sept. 1941.

Flying Officer John Wilson (70883) is granted the war substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st July 1941.

Flight Lieutenant William Robert Watson KELLEY (70357) is transferred to the Technical Branch in his present rank and seniority. 29th June 1941.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant John Lionel CLAYTON (90293) relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 30th Aug. 1941.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant (temporary Squadron Leader) Henry Allan SMITH (08117) relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 30th Aug. 1941.

Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities.

As Flying Officer.

5th July 1941.

Walter SCOTT (102952).

As Pilot Officers on probation.

Flight Sergeants.

26th July 1941.

741108 Geoffrey Frederick Charles DUTTON (102954).