Major George Christopher Brooke Musgrave, of Glenthorne, Lower Warberry, Torquay,

Major-General Charles Richard Newman, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., of New Park, Axminster,

Major John Richard Lewis Holford Scott-Tucker, of Bowden House, near Dartmouth,

Colonel Colin Percy Tremlett, C.B.E., T.D., of Halwill Lodge, Beaworthy, Devon, Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Knowles Windeatt,

T.D., of Elmfield, Totnes, Devon.

to be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated and day of May, 1938. (161)

Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of West Lothian.

Lieutenant Colonel Percy Gordon Dalyell of the Binns, C.I.E., The Binns, Linlithgow, to be a Deputy Lieutenant.—Dated and May, 1938. (120)

> Air Ministry, 10th May, 1938.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Pilot Officer on probation Alexander Middleton CAMPBELL is confirmed in his appointment. 8th Apr. 1938.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments on the dates stated:

13th Apr. 1938. Donald Sutherland THOM.

19th Apr. 1938. Richard Pryer PLUMMER. Cecil Wardman POULTER. John David Rochfort.

26th Apr. 1938. Peter Roland Mathews WILLIAMS.

3rd May 1938. Austyn James Handley.

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and graded as Pilot Officers. 6th May 1938:-

Karl Hermann Appleton. Lionel Cecil BARTRAM. Charles Gerald FISHER. William Ronald Foster. George Archibald Wycliffe Goodwin. Olaf Rolf William HAMMERBECK. Harold James Marley. Allen Beveridge MITCHELL. John Stewart. Richard Delwyn WILLIAMS.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Joseph Cargill Stevenson is graded as Pilot Officer on probation with effect from the 15th Mar. 1938, and is confirmed in his appointment with effect from the 19th Apr. 1938.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Arthur Frederick Sunderland-Cooper is graded as Pilot Officer on probation with effect from the 8th Mar. 1938, and is confirmed in his appointment with effect from the 12th Apr. 1938.

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

6th Mar. 1938. Ernest Michael WITHY (Acting Flight Lieutenant).

22nd Apr. 1938.

Richard Lowery VIVIAN (Acting Flight Lieutenant)

Robert Vivian Lansdell PATTISON. Desmond Gerard Heath Spencer.

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

16th Apr. 1938.

John Adam. Caesar Barrand Hull.

Ralph George Hurst. Robert David Colquhoun GIBSON.

William Herbert Robert Noel Newton-Howes.

Graham Danson Jones.

21st Apr. 1938. Alan Richmond Lloyd GRIFFITHS. York Plant Wilson.

28th Apr. 1938. Richard Denis Barry MacFadden. Dudley Henderson Burnside.

7th May 1938. Wynford Ormonde Leoni Smith. Norman Maxwell Boffee. Peter Prosser Hanks.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation James Anthony Leathart is graded as Pilot Officer on probation. 1st Mar. 1938.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant on the dates stated:

5th July 1937. Eric Hugh Paul Clarke (since promoted)

28th Feb. 1938. Ronald Derek Gordon WIGHT.

1st Apr. 1938. George Morley FIDLER.

15th Apr. 1938. Reuben Pears Widdowson.

23rd Apr. 1938. William George Wells.

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

1st Mar. 1938. Denis Malachy Newman.

5th Apr. 1938. Roderick Harvey Spencer.

9th Apr. 1938. Ronald Derek Gordon WIGHT.

Flying Officer Richard Hatt Noble GRAHAM (Capt., The West Yorkshire Regt.) is granted the honorary rank of Flight Lieutenant. 1st Oct. 1937.