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

7th May 1938.

Claude Lyttleton Collingwood ROBERTS. Richard Nevil TODD-WHITE.

16th June 1938.

Wilfrid James Leighton STEVENSON.

18th June 1938. Frank Cunniff STIBBARD.

19th June 1938.

Robert Sidney James EDWARDS.

25th June 1938.

Reginald Neville STIDOLPH. Maxwell Francis Campbell FARRAR. Frederick John Leslie DONALDSON. Ronald George TAYLOR.

28th June 1938.

John Colverd RICHARDS. Gerald Keeble BUCKINGHAM. Robert Bentley CARR. Kenneth Howard SAVAGE.

6th July 1938.

Ian Malcolm BRODIE. Gordon Victor Lane (Acting Flying

Officer). Michael Edward REID.

Dennis Ford.

Peter Elkins BENNETT.

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

19th May 1938.

Andrew George Gordon BAIRD.

14th June 1938.

Patrick Jonathan Kenyon Pike. Eric BANTHORPE. Arthur Reginald ATKINS. Gerald ELSMIE.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are granted the acting rank of Flying Officer. 20th May 1938:—

Robert James COSGROVE. Kenneth Russell ROGERS. Harold Percival PLEASANCE. Patrick Philip TROUGHTON-SMITH.

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

13th June 1938.

Graeme Elliott HARRISON.

•9th July 1938.

Kenneth Johnson RAMPLING.

Lieut.-Comdr. John William HALE, R.N., Sqaudron Leader R.A.F., is reattached to the R.A.F. as a Squadron Leader with effect from 11th July 1938 and with seniority of 1st July 1938.

Air Commodore Alexander Duncan CUNNINGHAM, C.B.E., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 19th July 1938. Wing Commander Henry Stewart POWELL, M.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 15th July 1938.

request. 15th July 1938. Pilot. Officer Gerald Wilfred Pearson DERBYSHIRE resigns his short service commission. 10th July 1938.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Darsie Nigel Barry CORNWELL relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 16th July 1938.

The short service commissions of the undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are terminated on cessation of duty on the dates stated :—

6th July 1938.

Marcel Donald Louis Anthony BRUNDLE.

13th July 1938.

John Bankes.

15th July 1938.

Cyril Kneale NEWTON.

The notification in the Gazette of 8th Feb. 1938 concerning Pilot Officer John Theodore BOUWENS is cancelled.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Flying Officer on probation John Sentley ELEY is confirmed in his appointment. 12th Apr. 1938.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

Flying Officer William Marston LYONS (Acting Flight Lieutenant) is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Ist June 1938.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant. Ist July 1938:—

William Norman HIBBERT.

Richard Collingdon Symons ALLIN.

Alistair GOLLAN.

COMMISSIONED ENGINEER OFFICERS.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted commissions as Flying Officers on probation with effect from 7th July 1938 and with seniority of 6th Apr. 1938:—

Frank Harold MORTON. William Percival SPINKS.

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

17th June 1938.

Sidney George DEAN.

1st July 1938.

Archibald Ernest CLAYSON. Ernest Douglas JACKSON.

16th July 1938.

George Henry HARRISON. Alec Baden KENDALL.

COMMISSIONED ARMAMENT OFFICER.

Warrant Officer Raymond Hewer HOWSE is granted a commission as Flying Officer on probation with effect from 30th June 1938 and with seniority of 6th Apr. 1938.