

2nd Jan. 1939.

Malcolm Phillips SKINNER.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are granted the acting rank of Flying Officer on the dates stated:—

5th Oct. 1938.

Francis Victor MORELLO.

1st Nov. 1938.

Harry St. George TURNER.

10th Dec. 1938.

Denis Frederic BEARDON.

19th Dec. 1938.

Albert Francis MCGHIE.

2nd Jan. 1939.

Frederick AUSTIN.

Pilot Officer Cyril Ashley VERNIEUX relinquishes the acting rank of Flying Officer. 2nd Jan. 1939.

Commander Anthony Paul COLTHURST, R.N., is re-attached to the Royal Air Force as a Wing Commander with effect from 1st Jan. 1939 and with seniority of 1st Sept. 1938.

Capt. Anthony Arthur Noel MALAN (Royal Tank Corps) is re-seconded for duty with the Royal Air Force as a Flight Lieutenant with effect from 16th Jan. 1939 and with seniority of 16th Jan. 1937.

Flying Officer James Richmond GORDON-FINLAYSON is seconded for service as Aide-de-Camp to the Governor of Kenya. 6th Jan. 1939.

Flight Lieutenant Howard Stracey LAWS is transferred to the Reserve, class A. 23rd Jan. 1939.

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation Kenneth William TRUSCOTT is terminated on cessation of duty. 23rd Jan. 1939.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Stanley Hugh LATHAM is granted a permanent commission as Pilot Officer on probation. 2nd Jan. 1939.

The undermentioned Flying Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments. 10th Jan. 1939:—

Albert William HEATH.

Alfred Stanley THOMPSON.

The undermentioned Flying Officers (Acting Flight Lieutenant) are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 8th Jan. 1939:—

Eric Gilbert AMBRIDGE.

Albert Richard MORTON.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Richard Macdonald RANKIN resigns his short service commission. 17th Jan. 1939.

CHAPLAINS BRANCH.

The Reverend John Melville SCURT, M.A., is granted a short service commission with the relative rank of Squadron Leader. 13th Jan. 1939.

COMMISSIONED ENGINEER OFFICER.

Warrant Officer Harry Walter BARKER is granted a commission as Flying Officer on probation with effect from 12th Jan. 1939 and with seniority of 6th Apr. 1938.

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GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions in class CC as Flight Lieutenants on the dates stated:—

8th Oct. 1938.

Charles William BLACK.

4th Nov. 1938.

Flight Lieutenant Rupert Chandos BRYANT, R.A.F.O.

7th Nov. 1938.

Captain Francis Martin St. Helier EVANS.

14th Nov. 1938.

Major Kenneth Sydney GROVE.

5th Dec. 1938.

Captain Arthur Tyrconnel WYNYARD-WRIGHT.

Flying Officer (now Flight Lieutenant) Edward Frederick WAIN, R.A.F.O., is granted a commission in class CC as Flying Officer with effect from 7th May 1938 and with seniority of 1st Apr. 1938, and as Flight Lieutenant with effect from 1st Oct. 1938 (Honorary Flight Lieutenant with effect from 5th Sept. 1938).

Squadron Leader (Honorary Air Commodore) Bertie Clephane Hawley DREW, C.M.G., C.V.O., C.B.E. (Air Commodore, R.A.F. Ret.), is granted the rank of Wing Commander (Honorary Air Commodore). 7th Oct. 1938.

Flying Officer Kenric Torlesse MURRAY is transferred from class AA (ii) to class C. 27th Oct. 1938.

Pilot Officer Richard Ughtred Paul KAY-SHUTTLEWORTH relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 5th Dec. 1938.

Pilot Officer Christopher Neil FOXLEY NORRIS relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 14th Dec. 1938.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant John Clifford SHAKESHAFT (R.A.F. Ret.) is granted a commission in that rank in class CC. 17th Oct. 1938.

Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Richard Ughtred Paul KAY-SHUTTLEWORTH is granted a commission as Pilot Officer with effect from 5th Dec. 1938 and with seniority of 27th July 1937.

Christopher Neil FOXLEY NORRIS is granted a commission as Pilot Officer with effect from 14th Dec. 1938 and with seniority of 22nd Dec. 1936.