5th Jan. 1939. Capt. Francis Robert BAILEY (Sp. U.L., I.A.)

Flying Officer Philip Bernard Chubb resigns his commission. 22nd Jan. 1939.

Flying Officer Clifford Claude CLARK resigns his commission and is permitted to retain the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 16th Nov. 1937. (Substituted for notification in Gazette of 28th Dec. 1937.)

Flight Lieutenant Richard Gilbert Milner APTHORP relinquishes his commission on appointment to a commission in the South African Air Force Special Reserve of Flying

Officers. 31st Oct. 1938.

Flying Officer Samuel Davidson relinquishes his commission on completion of service and is permitted to retain his rank. 3rd Feb. 1939.

Pilot Officer Roger TURNER relinquishes his commission on appointment to a short service commission in the Royal Air Force. 30th Jan. 1939.

The notification in the Gazette of 8th Mar. 1938 concerning Flight Lieutenant Howard William TAYLOR is cancelled.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Lieutenant George John MAYGOTHLING (Flight Lieutenant, R.A.F., Ret.) is transferred from class C to class CC. 7th May 1938.

Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Noël Le Chevalier AGAZARIAN is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 14th Feb. 1939

Col. Robert Henry WALSH, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C. (R.A.R.O.), is appointed Honorary Flight Lieutenant. 17th Oct. 1938.

Col. James Lumsden Colvin White, M.C. (R.A.R.O.), is appointed Honorary Flight Lieutenant. 17th Oct. 1938.

Lt.-Col. Guy Neville BUCKLAND, D.S.O., (I.A., Ret.), is granted the honorary rank of Wing Commander. 12th Dec. 1938.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions as Pilot Officers on probation. Feb. 1939:-

Gilbert Lionel COLEMAN. Frederick Ernest Bernard ELSBURY. Thomas Rawson Fox. George Edmund Johnson. Sydney Noël LINSELL. Frederic John Pope. Victor Albert Brooks Scupham. James Rounthwaite Moore SIMPSON.

AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

No. 60I (County of London) (Fighter) Squadron.

Officer the Honourable GRIMSTON is transferred to the Reserve, class C. 18th Jan. 1939.

No. 603 (City of Edinburgh) (Fighter) Squadron.

Flying Officer George Lovell DENHOLM is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 8th Jan. 1939.

No. 919 (West Lancashire) (Balloon) Squadron. George Edward ROLLESTON is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 25th Jan. 1939.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

No. 601 (County of London) (Fighter) Squadron.

James Liddell-Simpson is granted a commission as Pilot Officer. 20th Jan. 1939.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

No. 609 (West Riding) (Fighter) Squadron.

Flying Officer Thomas McMaster BOYLE, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 24th Apr. 1938.

(County of London) (Balloon) No. goi Squadron.

Lambert Martin, M.R.C.S., Ernest L.R.C.P., is granted a commission as Flight Lieutenant. 26th Sept. 1938.

ERRATUM.

In the Gazette of 13th Dec. 1938. Notification concerning Flying Officer William Charles TITHERADGE. For 28th Oct. 1938 read 5th July 1938.

Civil Service Commission, February 14, 1939.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Officer of Customs and Excise (Male) under the Board of Customs and Excise will be held, commencing on the 25th July, 1939, under the Regulations dated the 30th August, 1938, and published in the London Gazette of the same date; the first part of the Examination will be held in Aberdeen, Belfast, Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Leeds, Liverpool, London, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Plymouth and Portsmouth.

Not fewer than 50 Candidates will appointed on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found to be duly qualified.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 25th May, 1939, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, February 14, 1939.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Female Sorting Assistant in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London, commencing on the 9th May, 1939, under the Regulations dated the 11th February, 1938, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 100 of the Candidates highest on the list,