

26th May 1939.

Vincent Alvan POPE.

27th May 1939.

Douglas John Horatio LAY, D.F.C.

29th May 1939.

Harry St. George TURNER.

1st June 1939.

Reginald Norman COOK.
 Roland WILLIAMS.
 Charles George MASTERS.
 Patrick George Dudley TAYLOR.
 Peter Robert WOODWARD.
 David Fergus Hamilton BROWN.

16th June 1939.

William TOWNSON.
 John William ALLSOP.

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

1st June 1939.

Guy TANNER.

22nd June 1939.

Philip Frederick MURCH.

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

1st June 1939.

John Bernard FLOWERDEW.

15th June 1939.

Patrick George Dudley TAYLOR.

27th June 1939.

Robert Sidney James EDWARDS.

4th July 1939.

Alan Leonard PITFIELD.

Squadron Leader Clifford Arthur Bernard Bowman WILCOCK, A.F.C. (R.A.F. Ret.) is granted the honorary rank of Wing Commander. 11th May 1939.

Group Captain John Benjamin GRAHAM, M.C., A.F.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 1st July 1939.

Squadron Leader Colin BOUMPHREY, D.F.C., is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 8th July 1939.

Pilot Officer Charles Sidney KEAREY resigns his short service commission. 25th June 1939.

Flying Officer Aubrey Arthur Ninnis BRECKON relinquishes his short service commission on transfer to the Royal New Zealand Air Force. 17th June 1939.

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation Emanuel GALITZINE is terminated on cessation of duty. 11th July 1939.

Pilot Officer James TUDOR-EVANS is removed from the Royal Air Force. 6th Dec. 1938.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 14th Apr. 1939:—

Reginald Arthur HOWES, M.B.E.
 Albert Edward HARBOT, M.B.E.
 Herbert Clifford ADAMS.
 Herbert William Callum SPRINGHAM.
 Ralph William WALLACE (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Charles Harold Ervin L'YSTER, M.B.E. (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Edwin James SMITH (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Robert Clifford Vacy ASH (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Derek Frank SYDER (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Henry Edward BETHELL.
 Harry WOOD, M.B.E.
 William George Reginald JARMAN.
 Thomas John KINNA.
 Thomas KING (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Walter MacIan KING (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Alan SELBY (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Arthur Hubert McMath HELY (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Gilbert Ifor REES (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Paul Gillespie BULLEN (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 John Gerard Brendan O'HAGAN (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Edward Harry FREE.
 Lawrence DOYLE.
 Bertram Harold ALDER.
 Arthur Cleeve DIBBEN.
 Cuthbert Dumaresque Paul FRANKLIN (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Sidney George WALKER (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Herbert Mead Culham HARWOOD (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Harry STONES (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Leonard Claude DENNIS (Acting Flight Lieutenant).
 Kenneth Dudley STANION.

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

14th Apr. 1939.

Cyril John SALMON.
 Kenneth Thomas NICKLIN.
 Robert Francis FOLLEY.
 Douglas Hamilton Myles GRAHAM.
 Frederick George Cooper GILBERT.

28th Apr. 1939.

Frederick Baden KING.

1st May 1939.

Frank Philip DAWSON.

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation John Henry INGRAM is terminated on cessation of duty. 17th Apr. 1939.