

Arthur Henry READ, M.M.  
 Cecil Adolphus HARVERSON.  
 Percival Henry Havelock BAILEY, M.C.  
 Allan MacDonald CHALMERS.  
 George Walker MINTO.  
 Henry Andrew BONIFACE.  
 Reginald James COPLEY.  
 Austin Lloyd FLEMING, M.C.  
 William Arthur DOWNIE.  
 John Cessford Henry William MIDDLETON-  
 STEWART.  
 Thomas Charles CHAMBERLIN, A.F.C.  
 David Morris REES, M.B.E.  
 Lancelot Claude PRENDERGAST.  
 Arthur Ernest MASTERS.  
 George Ranger Campbell BROOK.  
 Henry Whitten HICKEY, D.S.O.  
 Henry Alfonso Sprague BYRNE.  
 Donald Risborough SHARMAN, M.C.  
 Edward Angas ROBERTS.  
 Guy AUSTIN.

*Flying Officer (acting Squadron Leader).*  
 Cecil Beck DOVE.

*Flying Officers (acting Flight Lieutenant).*  
 John Thomas HALL.  
 David James HUGHES-MORGAN.

*Flying Officer (Honorary Flight Lieutenant).*  
 Leonard Henry ROCHFORD, D.S.C.,  
 D.F.C.

*Flying Officers.*

John Gordon KERR.  
 Cyril Augustus MOORE.  
 William Robert KELLS.  
 Guy Wilfrid Ernest BAKER.  
 Frank Ronald ALFORD.  
 Marcus Vandeleur MOLONY.  
 William Walwin LEGH-JONES.  
 Gerald Barton SAVI.  
 Stanley John SAUNDERS.  
 Alaster Gordon FORBES.  
 Henry Escott Codrington COLLINS.  
 Derek Eyre Plunkett CHAPLIN.  
 James Alexander BARNES.  
 John Arthur PRING, M.B.E.

*Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.*

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation:—

13th Oct 1939.  
 Walter STERNE (75106).

14th Oct. 1939.  
 William Murray MACKAY (75167).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Acting Pilot Officers on probation:—

8th Oct. 1939.  
 Kenneth Montague BASTIN (75168).  
 Raymond Fletcher LUMB (75169).  
 Harold Francis WELTÉ (75170).

11th Oct. 1939.  
 Clair Neale ROBINSON (75171).

The notification in the Gazette of 10th Oct. 1939 concerning George Maxwell PITTS-TUCKER (74730) is cancelled.

Flying Officer The Rt. Hon. Viscount HANWORTH (72032) relinquishes his commission on appointment to a regular commission in the Royal Engineers. 26th July 1939.

Pilot Officer Ben EVERTON-JONES (72397) relinquishes his commission on appointment to a permanent commission in the Royal Air Force. 7th October 1939.

The notification which appeared in the Gazette of 12th Sept. 1939 concerning the undermentioned is cancelled:—

Air Vice-Marshal Reginald Percy MILLS, C.B., M.C., A.F.C. (R.A.F. Ret.).

Air Commodore Thomas Charles Reginald HIGGINS, C.B., C.M.G. (R.A.F. Ret.).

Air Commodore Andrew George BOARD, C.M.G., D.S.O. (R.A.F. Ret.).

Air Commodore Francis Knox HASKINS, D.S.C. (R.A.F. Ret.).

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Percy Robert Clifford GROVES, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Group Captain (Honorary Air Commodore) 18th Sept. 1939 (Substituted for notification in Gazette of 3rd Oct. 1939).

The undermentioned are granted commissions in the ranks stated with effect from 1st Sept. 1939 and with seniority of the dates stated:—

*Squadron Leaders.*

24th Oct. 1928.

Flight Lieutenant Maurice Henry BUTLER, D.F.C. (75172).

29th Mar. 1939.

Lt. William Robert COLLINS (75173).

6th May 1939.

Flying Officer Cecil Beck DOVE (15056) (R.A.F.O.).

8th May 1939.

Capt. Wilfrid Bettesworth HELLARD (75174).

22nd May 1939.

Flying Officer Sydney Archibald Denys LANE (75175).

30th May 1939.

Arthur Wright SHAW (75176).

Lt. Harold Charlton TALLBOY (75177).

1st June 1939

Maj. William Henry DAY (75178).

7th June 1939.

Flying Officer Gerald Arthur ATKINSON (75179).

Capt. Lindsey Spence WEEDON (75180).

12th June 1939.

John William MARTIN (75181).

21st June 1939.

Flying Officer George Frederick Embrey HARRISON (75182).

27th June 1939.

Lt. John Herbert PAGE (75183).

1st July 1939.

Lt. Brian Broadbent DOWLING (75184).

*Flight Lieutenants.*

14th Jan. 1928.

Flying Officer Thomas Courtenay HEAD (21090) (R.A.F., Ret.).