

23rd Oct. 1939.

Noel John Victor BENSON (33485).
 Richard Malzard HOGG (33486).
 Robert Hugh HOLLAND (33487).
 Patrick Alexander George LEARMOND
 (33490).
 Allan Richard WRIGHT (33499).
 Robert Duncan YULE (33502).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments on the dates stated.

20th Feb. 1939.

Leonard John Webb FELGATE (70213).

10th July 1939.

The Hon. Robert Alexander Greville BAIRD (70789).

John Guthrie FLETCHER (70798).
 Raymond Henry KEWISH (70807).
 Alan Gatenby WILSON (70831).

7th Oct. 1939.

Arthur William ELLIS (70203).
 Thomas Raymond TURNBULL (70687).
 Ronald Walter WALLENS (70708).

19th Oct. 1939.

Brian van MENTZ (70826).

30th Oct. 1939.

John Meredith HOGSTON (70858).

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation and confirmed in their appointments on the dates stated:—

6th Oct. 1939.

Alan Graham DOUGLAS (41387).
 Stanley William GRIFFITHS (41400).
 Francis Sutherland RICHARDSON (41466).
 Kenneth Bernard WATKINS (41537).

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation on the dates stated:—

3rd Sept. 1939.

Arthur Raymond GREVSTAD (41580).
 Cyril Paul De Lacy HULTON-HARROP
 (41585).

Albert Charles MANATON (41600).
 Gordon Parker ROBERTSON (41618).
 Reginald Jack BAILEY (41540).
 Patrick Peter Colin BARTHOFF (41542).
 Arthur James BRADLEY (41547).
 Sidney Robert McNAMARA (41599).
 Guy Jerrold MENZIES (41604).

31st Oct. 1939.

Harry James HEAL (41583).

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

3rd Mar. 1939.

(Seniority 3rd June 1938.)

William Oswald Victor BENNETT (70059).
 James Wilkinson Bell WILKINSON-BELL
 (70737).

3rd Mar. 1939.

(Seniority 3rd Dec. 1938.)

Francis James FENTON (36166).
 John Joseph LOWE (72001).
 Denis Geach PARNALL (70522).
 Arthur Richard Brian TEDDER (70666).

6th Mar. 1939.

(Seniority 6th Dec. 1938.)

Joseph Frederick FRASER (70229).

14th Mar. 1939.

Robert Higson SMITH (36161).

26th Mar. 1939.

(Seniority 26th June 1938.)

Christopher John MOUNT (36162).

Air Vice-Marshal Richard Edmund Charles PEIRSE, C.B., D.S.O., A.F.C., is granted the acting rank of Air Marshal on appointment as an additional member of the Air Council. 30th Oct. 1939.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments. 12th Sept. 1939:—

Norman Bonnison SILK (41135).
 Thomas Ivor PLANT (41130).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 12th Sept. 1939:—

John O'NEILL (31197).
 Cecil Stanley Worringham HARTE (31178).
 Peter John LUTLEY (31192).
 Colin Raynor BURSTALL (31173).
 Alexander MARR (31199).
 Maurice DEAN (31177).

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation Donald Cooper WARREN (31252) is terminated on cessation of duty. 28th June 1939.

The notification in the Gazette of 31st Oct. 1939 concerning Acting Pilot Officer on probation Godfrey Minchin Digby ROBERTS (40261) is cancelled.

MEDICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are granted permanent commissions in that rank. 7th Sept. 1939:—

Clifford Cockcroft BARKER, M.B., Ch.B. (23304).
 James Rintoul CELLARS, M.B., Ch.B. (23309).
 David John DAWSON, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. (23310).
 George Buchanan MACGIBBON, M.B., Ch.B. (23312).
 Donald Frederick Stuart SHAW, M.B., Ch.B. (23313).

ERRATUM.

In the Gazette of 10th Oct. 1939. For Desmond William GAYLAND read Desmond William GARLAND.

PRINCESS MARY'S ROYAL AIR FORCE NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned Staff Nurses are confirmed in their appointments on the dates stated:—

1st Sept. 1939.
 Miss Irene Mary CHAPMAN.

6th Sept. 1939.
 Miss Dorothy Elizabeth WOOD.