3rd July 1939.

John St. John Thomson.

17th July 1939.

George Hugh Nichols Gibson.

Flying Officer Neil Martin McElligott is granted the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant (unpaid). 18th July 1939.

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

11th Apr. 1939.

Boris Romanoff (since promoted).

11th May 1939.

Donald Hector Mackay.

1st June 1939.

Russell Faulkner AITKEN.

12th June 1939.

John Frederick DILWORTH.

29th June 1939.

Robert Addison Towgood.

1st July 1939.

Vivian Gordon Bamber. Henry Walter BARNARD.

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

19th June 1939.

George Laurence Bazett Hull.

14th July 1939.

Arthur Richard Hugh BEAUMAN.

23rd July 1939.

Albert Norman Jones.

Group Captain Ivor Thomas LLOYD, C.B.E., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 31st July 1939. request.

Leader Squadron Alfred Hardwicke MARSACK, M.B.E., is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 1st Aug. 1939.

Squadron Leader Herbert Leonard Rough, D.F.C., is placed on the retired list at his own request. 1st Aug. 1939.

Flight Lieutenant Graham Routh Canavan is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 30th July 1939.

Flying Officer Matthew Wilson Donaldson is transferred to the Reserve, class C. 14th July 1939.

Pilot Officer Desmond Cecil Ross relin-quishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 1st Aug. 1939.

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Joseph Henry Kimber relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 29th July 1939.

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation Oliver William Steele is terminated on cessation of duty. 25th July 1939.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

· The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Aug. 1939:--

Wilfred Thomas Lewis. Bernard George Pool. Frederick Charles READ. James Ernest Reynolds. Roland George Seymour. Alfred John Howell. William John Bertram Elliott. Harold Henry Hilliam. Gordon Charles Allen. Henry Edward Freeston. John Wilfred Carus REVILL. George Blinman.

Harold Arthur Sudbury.

Edgar Noel Lowe.

William Arthur Lee.

Bryan Spencer CARTMEL. Lionel Hubert Anness, A.F.C.

Arnold WALL.

Edward Reoch BERRY.

Ernest Edward COPPER.

Clarence Herbert BAKER, M.B.E.

William Eccles.

Percy Simpson STEWART.

Sidney Walter THOMAS. George Joseph Edward Parsons.

Frank Ben Coaten Fundrey.

Richard Edwin Pendarvis PAYNTER, D.C.M.

Charles William GOODCHILD, M.B.E. Ronald James WILLIAMS.

George Thornton, M.M.

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

14th Apr. 1939.

Lionel Arthur Jackson. Frederick George METCALF. Frederick George Carle. Edgar Grahame FARTHING. Roy Vernon Bolton Franklyn.

7th June 1939.

Alfred John GOATLY.

The short service commission of Acting Pilot Officer on probation Reginald George Lambie is terminated on cessation of duty. 22nd June 1939.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader. 1st Aug. 1939:~

Albert William Younghusband.

Kenneth England Maxwell Holmes. William Frederick QUILLIAM.

James Lambie.

Richard Stewart Sweet.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are granted the acting rank of Flight Lieutenant. 11th June 1939:

Leslie Triscott Starling. Herbert William SEEAR.

DENTAL BRANCH.

Flight Lieutenant Laurence Cecil Bellsham-Revell is transferred to the Reserve, class D. 1st Aug. 1939.