Vyse Millard (77494). Louis Ernest PIERRARD (77495). John Ebenezer Matt Stubbings (77496).

6th Feb. 1940.

John Norman King Le Fleming SHEPHERD (77497).

7th Feb. 1940.

William Mortimer Lanyon (77498). Albert Rogerson, D.F.C. (77499).

Honourable Lord George Right WELLESLEY, M.C. (77500).

8th Feb. 1940.

Charles Peter Joseph Gilroy (77501). John Scott Steele (77502). Andrew Sutherland (77503). Stanley George Toby (77504). Ralph Andrew Paul Vallee (77505).

9th Feb. 1940.

James Spinks (77506). Philip Brereton Townsend (77507). William Arthur VICKERS (77508). James Norman WALKER (77509). Thomas Roden WHITE (77510).

12th Feb. 1940.

Donald Charles Swinton BLAND (77511). James Edwin BUCKLAND (13189). Edward Hubert Lascelles HADWEN (77512). Reginald Charles Lawes (77513). Bernard James Rutty (77514). John Whattam (77515). John Frank Lionel Wood (77516).

13th Feb. 1940. Cyril Minden Trower Hogg, D.S.O. (*7*75¤7).

The undermentioned are granted honorary commissions in the ranks and on the dates stated:-

Flight Lieutenants.

13th Feb. 1940. The Hon. Reginald Ailwyn Fellowes. 15th Feb. 1940.

James Francis Atherton.

Flying Officers.

15th Feb. 1940. John Alan Day Cotton.

20th Feb. 1940. Strafford Byng-Maddick.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer on the dates stated:

4th Sept. 1939. William George GOULD (73204). Reginald Ernest Geoffrey WENDT (74265). Ronald Towrass Wilkins (74268).

5th Sept. 1939. Harry Patrick SHALLARD (73393). James Arthur Donald WALLIS (73624).

9th Sept. 1939. Edward Fox Dyke ACLAND (73059). Trevor John Carswell (74009). Harold Archibald Edward Gard (73194). John Edward Colston GLIDDON (73200). Edgar McCutcheon (73278). Frederick Herbert Murray (73309). Eric Horsfield Отту (73540). William Albert Skinner (73398).

10th Sept. 1939. Aydon HALL (73681).

12th Sept. 1939 Arthur James GARSIDE, D.F.C. (73196).

17th Sept. 1939.

Colin Ernest Dall (73145).

22nd Oct. 1939. Ralph Frederick William Moore (73650).

Pilot Officer on probation Edward Denys STEVENS (74568) is transferred to the General

Duties Branch. 1st Jan. 1940. Flight Lieutenant Oliver Stoakley HINSON (75254) relinquishes his commission. Feb. 1940.

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on account of ill-health on the dates

stated: -

21st Feb. 1940. Flight Lieutenant Ronald Melbourne (75499)

22nd Feb. 1940.

Flying Officer Harry HILL (72854).

18th Nov. 1939.

Pilot Officer on probation Eric Constant

WILLIS (73672).

The commissions of the undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are terminated on cessation of duty on the dates stated:-

8th Feb. 1940.

Arthur Vere Ward Cotter (74786). 9th Feb. 1940.

William Edwin Warden, M.C. (75656). The notifications in the Gazettes of 27th Oct. 1939 and 21st Nov. 1939 concerning Flying Officer David Morris REES, M.B.E.

(R.A.F., Ret.) and Maj. George Standerwick JARMAN (Sp. U.L., I.A.), respectively, are cancelled.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Capt. George Knott (77519) (R.M., Ret.) is granted a commission as Flight Lieutenant with effect from 1st Sept. 1939 and with

seniority of 17th May 1939.

Flying Officer Robert Laurence Culley (72157) is transferred to the General Duties

Branch. 1st Jan. 1940.

Flying Officer Frederick Henry DAVIES (72184) is transferred to the Administrative and Special Duties Branch. 19th Feb. 1940.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

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

19th Jan. 1940. James Forbes (76108). Hazzard Kenneth Shersby (76124).

22nd Jan. 1940.

Henry Allan ASTBURY (76107). John Edward Fortescue (76109). Alastair Wallace HARDIE (76110).

Gordon Hawley (76111)

Edward Mackenzie Milne Henderson

(76113). Charles Albert HILL (76114). Phineas John Lea (76115).
Clement Elliott Leather (76116).

Arthur Stanhope Owen (76117). Godfrey Charles Oxley-Sidey (76118). Donald Walter Pettet (76119).

William Gray Roy (76120).

Jack Sanderson (76121). Henry Campbell Scarlett (76122). Alexander Mitchell Scott (76123).