18th May 1940.

Francis Charles Anthony LANNING (79580). Victor Burke LINTOTT (79581).

Edwin Hector Gordon BROOKES (79582).

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

21st June, 1939. David Stuart Harold BURY (72077).

18th Apr. 1940.

Archibald Douglas McNeill Boyd (72461). The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are transferred to the Administrative and Special Duties Branch on the dates stated :-

14th Apr. 1940. John Sheldon Olliff (77949).

19th Apr. 1940.

Henry George TOMKINS (77953).

Pilot Officer John Gordon McEwan (75405) relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 8th June 1940.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Alexander David STEWART (79583) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation. 3rd June 1940.

BALLOON BRANCH.

859730 Aircraftman 2nd Class Edwin William CLAYDON (79584) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation with effect from 28th May 1940 and with seniority of 1st Feb. 1940.

842062 Aircraftman 2nd Class John Herbert TYLEE (79585) is granted a commis-sion for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation with effect from 17th May 1940 and with seniority of 15th Feb. 1940.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation with effect from the dates stated, and with seniority of 25th Apr. 1940.

Sergeants.

29th Apr. 1940.

Norman William 843854 Eric Codd (79586).

11th May 1940. 844132 Ian Somerled MACDONALD (79587).

Acting Sergeant.

29th Apr. 1940.

841628 Edward Harris WOOD (79588).

Corporals.

29th Apr. 1940.

843255 Arthur William Fowles (79589). 843053 Walter Summers LOXTON (79590).

Temporary Corporals.

29th Apr. 1940.

844847 Leonard Charles CARTER (79591). 844993 Frederick Leonard DARKE (79592). 843255 Edward Frank PRESSLAND (79726). 845128 Robert Francis Galloway RAPHAEL (79593).

Leading Aircraftmen.

29th Apr. 1940.

843846 John Albert CROSSLEY (79594).

844336 Edward Walter JOSEPH (79595).

Aircraftmen 1st Class.

29th Apr. 1940.

844360 John Godfrey Owen ROBERTS (79596).

842776 Arthur Hugh Russell SELLAR (79597). 29th May 1940.

812175 Cecil Geoffrey Howard (79598).

Aircraftmen 2nd Class.

29th Apr. 1940. 843637 Wilfrid Robert LUSH (79599). 842099 Thomas Henry MORGAN (79600).

844338 Gerald Frank NUTT (79601).

13th May 1940.

843328 Clive RAYNES (79602).

Administrative and Special Duties Branch.

Capt. Douglas Erskine DEMPSTER (late I.A.) (75194) is granted a commission as Squadron Leader with effect from 1st Sept. 1939 and seniority of 29th Aug. 1939. (Substituted for notification in the Gazette of 27th Oct. 1939.)

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flight Lieutenants on the dates stated :-

2nd Jan. 1940.

Capt. Basil Francis WILLIAMS (I.A., Ret.) (79603).

6th June 1940.

(Seniority 22nd July 1939.)

Telegraphist Lieutenant Wilfred SMALL (R.N., Ret.) (79604).

6th June 1940. Capt. Thomas Gerard Berchman SUTHER-LAND (R.A.R.O.) (79605).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot

9th Jan. 1940.

Gerald Charles Ross-MUMBY (78774). (Substituted for notification in the Gazette of 14th May 1940.)

11th Apr. 1940. Stanley Albert SINNER (79607).

22nd Apr. 1940.

Gordon Taylor DAIN (79608).

11th May 1940.

Emile Bruce Mary Achille DUNIPACE (79609).

13th May 1940.

Edward Hugh TYSON (79610).

16th May 1940.

James Sharp (79611).

20th May 1940. John Edward DE KANTZOW (79612). Albert George Beresford PARLETT (79613). William Edward PARNELL (79614). Bernard STEWART-SANDEMAN (79615).

22nd May 1940. Gordon Vero CAREY (79616). Eric DANCY (79617). Albert Emile DE MANGEAT (79618).