The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Ist July 1940. (Seniority 18th May 1940.) Alec Marks (35079). 15th July 1940. (Seniority 18th May 1940.) Archibald George Williams (35099). 15th July 1940. (Seniority 15th July 1940.) Alfred Ernest HESTER (35094). 2nd Aug. 1940. (Seniority 18th May 1940.) Walter MOORE (35110). Administrative and Special Duties Branch. The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation :----Warrant Officers. 18th May 1940. (Seniority 7th Mar. 1940.) 340698 William Herbert Moyles (44240). 22nd May 1940. (Seniority 7th Mar. 1940.) 340200 Allen Smith (44241). 15th July 1940. (Seniority 10th July 1940.) 333147 Edward James WARE (44242). 23rd July 1940. (Seniority 15th July 1940.) 333197 John Braithwaite (44243). 332785 Charles Henry Palmer (44244).

24th July 1940. (Seniority 15th July 1940.) 32 William Walmsley 332782 WATSON (44245).

31st July 1940. (Seniority 2nd May, 1940.) 353684 George William LOMBARDI, M.M. (44246).

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

Flight Sergeants.

22nd July 1940. (Seniority 3rd July 1940) 364132 Cecil Ernest MITCHELL (44247)

22nd July 1940. (Seniority 12th July 1940.) 590225 James Martin Rowe (44248).

23rd July 1940. (Seniority 12th July 1940.) 590172 Geoffrey Francis Rogers (44249). 26th July 1940. (Seniority 12th July 1940.)

365989 Raymond John Millington (44250).

Sergeant.

19th July 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 590452 George Arthur POTTER (44251).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

337022 Warrant Officer Leonard Herbert WATSON (44257) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officer on probation. 23rd July 1940 (seniority 21st Mar. 1940).

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officers on probation (seniority 10th July 1940):-

Warrant Officers.

19th July 1940.

349611 Reginald Ernest WALKERDINE (44252).

22nd July 1940.

350031 John Tod Cramb (44253). 351355 Frank Martin (44254).

Temporary Flight Sergeant.

18th July 1940. 340081 Louis Harry PALMER (44255). The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 1st May 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 31st July 1940:-

John Edward BUTLAND (31385). George Edward Joseph HORAN (31393). The undermentioned Pilot Officers are pro-

moted to the rank of Flying Officer :----

1st May 1940.

Benjamin Britton JOHNSON (31280).

3rd July 1940. William Arthur Тномаs (31352).

Jack Gow GEARY (31319). Robert David Graham WHITE (31360). Norman Walter KEARON (31334).

Laurence WEBLEY (31356).

1st Aug. 1940.

Leslie Hydar CLEMAS (31262).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

507243 Flight Sergeant Norman GIBSON (44256) is granted a commission for the dura-tion of hostilities as Pilot Officer on proba-23rd July 1940 (seniority 6th June tion. 1940).

Flying Officer on probation Guy Sydney John PRATT (21287) is confirmed in his appointment. 27th Mar. 1940. The undermentioned Pilot Officers on

probation are confirmed in their appointments :--

17th Apr. 1940. John Alfred BRYDEN (21293).

Frank Davies HOLMES (21298).

Ralph Robinson JACK (21299).

Paul RABY (21304). Samuel Charles TAPLEY (21307).

10th June 1940.

Harry BAMFORTH (21347).

Pilot Officer on probation Stanley Edwin Druce MILLS (21351) is confirmed in his appointment and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 10th June 1940.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 10th June 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 31st July 1940:-

Dennis Arthur BIRKETT (21320). Robert Harold BRADLEY (21321).

Robert Pryde BREEN (21322).

John BUCKLEY (21324).

John Erwin CAMPBELL (21325).

James Farley (21327). William Kenneth Griffin Kenneth NICHOLLS (21335).

Flying Officer Alfred Francis Baillie WALLER (21258) is promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. 2nd Aug. 1940 (seniority 14th June 1940).