Robert Hugh HOLLAND (33487). Allan Richard WRIGHT (33499). Robert Duncan YULE (33502).

31st Oct. 1940. Harry James HEAL (41583).

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation. 10th Aug. 1940:---

Hugh William REILLEY (43043). Brian Lawless DUIGAN (43377).

William Blair PATTULLO (43379).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers relinquish their temporary commissions on return to Army duty :-

28th Sept: 1940.

William Henry STABBACK, 2nd Lt., R.A. Francis Keith HOWARD, 2nd Lt., R.E.

30th Sept. 1940. Gerald Rigby WHITMORE, 2nd Lt., R.A. Pilot Officer John Anthony POULSEN relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 12th Nov. 1940.

ERRATUM.

Notification of 3rd Sept. 1940 (p. 5344, col. 1) concerning Warrant Officer Bignell (44368) for 14th June 1940, read 28th June 1940.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commis-sions for the duration of hostilities : ____

As Flying Officer on probation. Warrant Officer. Ist Oct. 1940. (Seniority 15th Aug. 1940.) 2039 John Henry SHONE (44762).

As Pilot Officers on probation. Flight Sergeant. 23rd Oct. 1940. (Seniority 16th May 1940.) 363995 Albert George William King (44763).

Corporal. 17th Oct. 1940. (Seniority 24th Sept. 1940.) 629439 John MacLeOD (44764). Acting Filot Officer on probation Harry FAULKNER (44284) is graded as Pilot Officer on probation. 9th Sept. 1940.

Administrative and Special Duties Branch. The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities :-

As Flying Officers on probation. Warrant Officers. 20th Sept. 1940. (Seniority 4th Sept. 1940.) 206678 Herbert MEACHEM (44765). 18th Oct. 1940. (Seniority 15th July 1940.) 341273 George Vernon ATKINSON (44766). As Pilot Officers on probation. Flight Sergeants. 25th Sept. 1940. (Seniority 2nd Sept. 1940.) 328952 George Alfred TANSLEY, A.F.M. (44767)**.** · . . 21st Oct. 1940. (Seniority 15th Oct. 1940.) 590340 Raymond Maurice WHITE (44768).

Sergeant.

14th Oct. 1940.

(Seniority 30th Aug. 1940.) 366256 Harold Vincent BENNETT (44769).

Corporal.

12th Sept. 1940.

(Seniority 27th Aug. 1940.)

563788 Douglas Alan SINCLAIR (44770).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

506360 Flight Sergeant Percival John MADDAFORD (44771) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation. 6th Sept. 1940. (Seniority 20th June 1940.)

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 17th Aug. 1940 and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer:

6th Sept. 1940.

William John NIGHTINGALE (31456). 14th Sept. 1940.

Eric John Garthon SYMONDS (31468).

15th Sept. 1940.

Peter Clifford BARLOW (31420).

26th Sept. 1940. James Patrick CONWAY (31428).

14th Oct. 1940. James Truman Giddings Christopher James (31435).

19th Oct. 1940.

Richard Herbert AIRD (31414).

22nd Oct. 1940.

Montague Clifford HART (31441).

Pilot Officer on probation Idris John Selvin HEMMING (31478) is confirmed in his appointment and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 18th Sept. 1940.

Flight Lieutenant Herbert Pelham SIMPSON (31098) is transferred to the General

Duties Branch. 13th July 1940. Flying Officer Peter John Hilton PERKIN relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health. 12th Nov. 1940.

ACCOUNTANT.

The undermientioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 29th July 1940 and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer:-

3rd Sept. 1940.

Terry Montague MASTERS (21374).

7th Sept. 1940.

Thomas Pringle ABBOTT (21365).

William Ronald DAVIDSON (21366). Edward Stanley DIXON (21358). Cyril Gordon Thomas LINDSAY-WHITE

(21360).

Kenneth Lister MACDONALD (21361). William MACKIRDY (21362).

12th Sept. 1940.

Charles Goodall STRACHAN (21384).

13th Sept. 1940. Charles Andrew PITT (21379).

20th Sept. 1940.

William Newton SARGINSON (21383).

27th Sept. 1940. John Rushworth PULLAN (21380).

Acting Pilot Officer on probation Charles William CORLESS (44117) is graded as Pilot Officer on probation 17th Aug. 1940.