As Pilot Officers on probation. Warrant Officers. 17th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 4th Mar. 1941.) 352205 Clifford Stanley BRAY (45627). 18th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 18th Mar. 1941.) 506933 Thomas Frederick PIPPET (45628). Flight Sergeant. 19th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 31st Mar. 1941.) 590656 Edward Frank WILLIAMS (45629). Sergeants. 11th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 13th Mar. 1941.) 617360 William Mays CLEMENTS (45630). As Acting Pilot Officers on probation. Flight Sergeants. 25th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 27th Mar. 1941.) 590361 Edwin Cyril MILLETT (45631). 26th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 6th Mar. 1941.) 507567 Rupert JENKINS (45632). Sergeant. 25th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 11th Mar. 1941.) 539118 Bernard DILL (45633). Corporal. 25th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 24th Mar. 1941.) 644648 John Samuel James BUELS (45634). Leading Aircraftman. 19th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 12th Mar. 1941.) 25 Martin John Telles Langdon 626525 Martin (45635). Flying Officer on probation Cyril William Armstrong DAVIES (43506) is confirmed in his appointment. 22nd Apr. 1941. The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation 11th Apr. 1941:-Jack Robinson (45482). George MITCHELL (45483). James Arthur Lewis (45484). The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are promoted to the war substantive rank of Flying Officer on probation:-1st Feb. 1941. George MCKENNA (44720). 1st Mar. 1941. Frederick James DAVEY (44958). 1st Apr. 1941. Ernest Edward SMITH (44693). The undermentioned are transferred to the Technical Branch: Flying Officers on probation. 12th Jan. 1941. William Charles BURTON (44989). George James LLOYD (44990). 26th Jan. 1941. William WALSTER (45048). 10th Feb. 1941.

William Danton COLEMAN (44904). Pilot Officer.

14th Sept. 1940. Eric Thomas McCABE (44586). Pilot Officers on probation. 20th Dec. 1940. Hugh Frederick KENNEDY (44998). 12th Jan. 1941. Cyril Couzens (44862). Leonard John CRATCHLEY (44995). Harold Edward Howard (45032). Andrew PATERSON (45000). Hugh Alexander PATON (44962). James Richard PORTER (45002). Reginald William SEARLES (44993). John Kenneth McKenzie SEMPLE (44905). 23rd Jan. 1941. Robert Cuthbert SPICER (44918). 10th Feb. 1941. Ernest Douglas ANDERSON (44744). 10th Mar. 1941. Arthur MCARDLE (44961). 28th Mar. 1941. William Edward SHAW (45161). Ralph WILLIAMS (45143) Flying Officer Robert Affleck ROBERTSON (77251) relinquishes the rank of Flying Officer at his own request and is transferred to the General Duties Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer. 6th Apr. 1941. EQUIPMENT BRANCH. The undermentioned are granted commis-As Flying Officers on probation. Warrant Officers. 15th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 13th Mar. 1941.) 346673 John Henry RISTE (45637). (Seniority 28th Mar. 1941.) 346173 Edward Anthony Gilroy KIRK (45636). As Pilot Officers on probation. Warrant Officers. 25th Apr. 1941. (Seniority 14th Mar. 1941.) 354406 Edward Gordon Le MAISTRE (45639). (Seniority 28th Mar. 1941.) 352324 Joseph John LEA (45638). The undermentioned Flying Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments:-24th Apr. 1941. Edmund Frederick WATKINS (43330). 25th Apr. 1941. William Edward Tyrie (43333). Pilot Officer Charles Sturrock READE (31461) is confirmed in his appointment, 17th

and Special Duties Branch. 15th Apr. 1941. The notifications of 14th Jan. 1941 (p. 277, col. 1), 21st Jan. 1941 (p. 414, col. 1), and 28th Feb. 1941 (p. 1210, col. 2), concerning Pilot Officer Charles Sturrock READE (31461) are cancelled.

Aug. 1940, and granted the war substantive rank of Flying Officer. 1st Sept. 1940.

(79484) is transferred to the Administrative

Flying Officer Mervyn Arthur PALETHORPE

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned Acting Pilot Officers on probation are graded as Pilot Officers on probation: ----

19th Apr. 1941. Philip George Sawyer (45318). George Henry Earp (45319).