The short service commission of Pilot Officer on probation Roland Cecil MILLER (42352) is terminated on the cessation of duty. 24th July 1940.

ERRATUM.

In the Gazette of 16th July 1940. Notification concerning 581199 Leading Aircraftman Walter James Beeston (44222) should have appeared under the heading "ROYAL AIR FORCE" instead of "ROYAL AIR FORCE VOLUNTEER RESERVE" and his personal number as Pilot Officer is as now stated.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

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

Warrant Officers. 17th July 1940. (Seniority 23rd May 1940.) 245558 Jabez Lander Thrussell (44202).

17th July 1940. (Seniority 4th July 1940.) 348794 Henry Horton (44203).

21st July 1940. (Seniority 14th Mar. 1940.) 349800 Albert Edward Foreman (44204).

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

> Warrant Officers. 18th July 1940.

(Seniority 4th July 1940.)
370030 Lloyd Jesse Strevens, D.F.M. (44205).

Flight Sergeants.

6th July 1940. (Seniority 16th May 1940.) 361982 Harold Dodimead GAITE (44206).

17th July 1940. (Seniority 3rd July 1940.) 348556 John Meredith Arthur (44207).

18th July 1940. (Seniority 16th May 1940.) 345670 Victor Arthur GITTINS (44208). 363437 Kenneth George Major (44209).

Sergeants. 11th June 1940. (Seniority 30th May 1940.) 565530 Jack Facer (44210).

15th July 1940. (Seniority 16th May 1940.) 563363 Richard Alfred PREW (44211).

In the Gazette of 16th July 1940. Notification concerning 157028 Warrant Officer Stanley Charles ROACH (44007) should have · appeared under the heading Administrative and Special Duties instead of Technical Branch.

Administrative and Special Duties Branch. The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities as Flying Officers on probation:

Warrant Officers.

22nd May 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 345224 James Addison (44212).

28th May 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 326245 Harold Frederick Knight (44213). 3rd July 1940. (Seniority 2nd May 1940.) 349060 Alexander Leslie Martin (44214).

17th July 1940. (Seniority 30th May 1940.)

354951 Horace Clifton Westwood (44215).

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

Flight Sergeants.

15th July 1940. (Seniority 25th Apr. 1940.) 35077 Thomas Douglas Atkinson, M.C. (44216).

17th July 1940. (Seniority 30th May 1940.) 352216 Sydney James HARGRAVE (44217).

18th July 1940. (Seniority 16th May 1940.) 363705 Frederick Robert Rance (44218).

22nd July 1940. (*Seniority 3rd July* 1940.) 50 Robert Bellwood Greenhow 364050 (44219).

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

Pilot Officer on probation Francis Arthur Buckingham (31309) is confirmed in his 3rd Apr. 1940. appointment.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers are promoted to the rank of Flying Officer: -

3rd_July 1940. Peter Lewis HANCOX (31321).

31st July 1940. Christopher Elliot Bradley (31383). Arthur Stanley Jesson (31395). Kenneth Wilfred Lawrence (31396). Sean McGinn (31399). Kenneth Francis Mackenzie (31400).

3rd Aug. 1940. Francis Arthur Buckingham (31309).

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

590682 Sergeant Joseph Randall SIMPSON (44220) is granted a commission for the duration of hostilities as Pilot Officer on probation 22nd July 1940 (seniority 20th June 1940).

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

21st June 1940. George Frederick Hubert Armson (79325). Maldwyn Vincent BAXTER (79326). John Charles BOYCE (79327). Donald Vernon Courtney Burgess (79329).

29th June 1940. Arthur Wormwell GARNETT (79331). Alan Dudley Goodliffe (79332). James Ralli Robertson (79336). Alexander Wallace Shand (79337). Sydney SHIELD (79338). James Edward Simpson (79339).

ıst July 1940. John Minter BaıLey (81294). Sydney Beaumont-Smith (81295). Henry Eason (81297). Robert Weir GOODBURN (81298). John Foster Humphreys (81299). George Arthur Puzey (81300).