In notification of 22nd Oct. 1940 (p. 6146 col. 2) for Ian MacDonald read Iain MACDONALD.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.

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

2nd Oct. 1940. Archibald MacFarlane (88148). Arthur William Tew (88149).

7th Oct. 1940. Arthur Albert Peterken (88150).

Corporals.

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 26th Sept. 1940.) 771315 Stanley William RAE (88152).

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 30th Sept. 1940.) 874517 Andrew Dick Gaskell DENVIL (88151).

Leading Aircraftmen.

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 10th Sept. 1940.) 743866 Stephen Noel WEIGHT (88156).

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 17th Sept. 1940.) 744454 Harold Cecil Berry (88153). 263926 John William Hubbard (88154).

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 26th Sept. 1940.) McEwen Shepherd 900922 Francis (88155).

Aircraftman 2nd class.

15th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 10th Sept. 1940.) 746383 Sidney Thomas Tree (88157).

Pilot Officer on probation Lionel Farrance WESTON (75819) is confirmed in his appointment 9th Nov. 1940.

Pilot Officer on probation Kenneth Edward HOLLOM (74793) is confirmed in his appointment 28th Sept. 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 19th Nov. 1940.

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

3rd Sept. 1940. George Ernest DIMMER (74792).

29th Sept. 1940. Thomas Charles Noble (75916).

12th Oct. 1940.

Gerard Arthur CHITTOCK (75761).

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

24th July 1940. Cecil Ivan Murray (79950).

26th July 1940. Donald Baber (79854). Flight Lieutenant Albert Hugo Brain

(75915) is promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader (temporary) 1st Dec. 1940.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant (temporary) 1st Dec. 1940:-

Hereward Wilfrid Furness (72220). Maurice Victor Joseph De FAUQUE DE Jonquieres (72302). John Piers Bennett (72252).

Pilot Officer on probation William Martin SKEFFINGTON (75969) is transferred to the Administrative and Special Duties Branch 2nd Dec. 1940.

ACCOUNTANT BRANCH.

The undermentioned are granted commissions for the duration of hostilities:-

As Pilot Officer on probation.

Aircraftman 1st class.

23rd Nov. 1940. (Seniority 7th Nov. 1940.) 992193 Henry Annandale (88158). As Acting Pilot Officers on probation. Sergeants.

24th July 1940. (Seniority 8th July 1940.) 509770 John Ward Grey (88159).

26th July 1940. (Seniority 8th July 1940.) 509606 James Mortimore Wells (88160).

Corporal.

24th July 1940. (Seniority 8th July 1940.) 747346 Lewis Harold RATTENBURY (88161). Leading Aircraftman.

30th June 1940. (Seniority 6th June 1940.) 938138 Herbert Gordon North (88162). Aircraftman 1st class.

24th July 1940. (Seniority 8th July 1940.) 21030 Alan Howard NELSON (88163).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments:-

11th Sept. 1940. William Harry Brenton Carey (74303). 9th Oct. 1940.

Ronald George Cross (75119).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 1st Sept. 1940 and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer: -

10th Oct. 1940. Leslie Robert Hogg (73795). 31st Oct. 1940. Eric Francis Summers (73797).

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 11th Sept. 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer:-

10th Oct. 1940. Albert Edward Dunnill (74306).

28th Oct. 1940. David Robert Anderson (74299).

31st Oct. 1940.

Frederick John Readings (74311).

Pilot Officer on probation Neville Cooper BILLINGTON (74317) is confirmed in his appointment 12th Sept. 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 10th Oct. 1940.

Pilot Officer on probation Horace Joseph Howes (75827) is confirmed in his appointment and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 9th Oct. 1940.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments 9th Oct. 1940, and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer 26th Nov. 1940:

John Miller Brown (75113). Austin Godfrey Vivian HERBERT (75136).