Ian Howie Borland (90810). Philip Edmund Davies (90832). John Franklyn VENNER (90872). Colin Patrick Bennett (90992). Gray Grayrigge (90943). Alan Ernest Armitage (91144). Maurice Sherbrooke Turpin (91219). Ruthven Hayne Burdon-Cooper (91042). Reginald Frank Gould (91151).

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned are appointed Assistant Section Officers:

27th Nov. 1940. 891915 Aircraftwoman 1st Class Mrs. Gwendoline May Fowler (1383). 881322 Corporal Miss Joan GRICE (1384). 895349 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Mrs.

Marion Sylvia HAIG (1385). 422394 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Mrs. Dorothy Martin Harding (1382).

884233 Sergeant Miss Elsie Francis Mary

Johnson (1386). 889934 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Mrs.

Lily Eleanor Longton (1387).

886031 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class

Norah Diana Taylor PENGELLEY (1388). 892625 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Mrs.

Susan Mary Stewart (1389). 888874 Corporal Miss Olga Lucia

WASSILISSIN (1390). 886517 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Beatrice WINFIELD (1391). Miss

30th Nov. 1940. 889677 Aircraftwoman 2nd Miss Class

Mary Eileen Briggs (1427). 889865 Aircraftwoman Miss Ist Class

Norah Fell Case (1428). 882230 Aircraftwoman Miss Class 2nd Margaret Mary Greeves (1429).

894527 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Miss Iris Mary Houston (1430).

883649 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Miss Mora Grill Howatson (1431).

888622 Aircraftwoman 2nd Class Miss Maureen Patricia O'Shea McCann (1432).

881782 Corporal Miss Marian Nicholl

(1433). 889592 Aircraftwoman Mary Robertson Class Miss Ist Ursula Mary Robertson (1434).

2nd Class 892007 Aircraftwoman Miss Pauline Rowand Harker (1435).

882554 Aircraftwoman 1st Barbara Margaret Smith (1436). Class Miss

889974 Aircraftwoman 2nd Mildred Swettenham (1437). Miss

889617_Aircraftwoman ist Class Yvonne Pamela Temperley (1438).

The undermentioned Assistant Section Officers relinquish their appointments:

7th Oct. 1940. Miss Mary Grace FITZGERALD (628).

12th Nov. 1940. Miss Margaret Mary CLAYTON (1031).

21st Nov. 1940. Miss Virginia Crossley Cooke (588).

27th Nov. 1940. Lady Betty Blake (369). Miss Sylvia Valerie Mary Roche (580). Air Ministry, 17th December, 1940.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

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

Flight Sergeants.

27th Sept. 1940. 560166 Kenneth Ernest Languey (44969). 364233 William Edwin Maurice Price (44970).

26th Oct. 1940. (Seniority 18th Oct. 1940.) 561232 William ABERCROMBY (44971). 561404 James Donald Wakefield WILLIS (44972).

16th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 13th Nov. 1940.) 363107 David Lewis GROUT (44973)

Temporary Flight Sergeants.

.27th Sept. 1940. 562188 Reginald Robert LAMB (44974). 565803 Geoffrey George TAYLER (44975).

Sergeants.

16th May 1940. 516360 James Joseph Grierson (44976).

27th Sept. 1940.

513967 Basil Bernard Callick (44977). 590513 Stanley Robert HYLAND (44978).

> 10th Oct. 1940. (Seniority 9th Oct. 1940.)

518361 Frederick George Nightingale (44979).

20th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 13th Nov. 1940.)

544530 Vernon Frank Evans Treherne, D.F.M. (44980).

26th Nov. 1940. (Seniority 13th Nov. 1940.) 562797 Jack Talbot Myers (44981).

2nd Dec. 1940. (Seniority 13th Nov. 1940.) 537379 Eric William APPLEBEE (44982).

The undermentioned pilot officers on probation are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the rank of flying officer:-

> 21st Oct. 1940. Gerald O'Farrell Grant Hyne (33488).

> > 18th Nov. 1940.

Derek Dudley Martin Butcher (42047).

Acting Pilot Officer on probation William Charles WIGMORE (42931) is graded as Pilot Officer on probation 1st June 1940 and confirmed in his appointment 14th Aug. 1940.

Flight Lieutenant Robert Rossiter HOLDER (37099) is promoted to the rank of Squadron Leader (temporary) 1st Dec. 1940.

The undermentioned Flying Officers are promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

6th Aug. 1940. Vincent George Lowther Davey BYRNE (37595)-