Dated 5th June, 1942— Bernard Bedingfield Wood.

Dated 10th August, 1942— Leyon Miall Moss.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (temp.):

Dated 1st March, 1942— William Daniel Lunan.

Dated 26th March, 1942— Wilfred Hector Gill. Ronald Alfred Joblin.

Dated 1st May, 1942— Reginald George Sampson.

Dated 28th May, 1942— Herbert Russell Moss.

Dated 1st June, 1942—
Julius John Carlsen.
George John Penney.
George Gordon Atkinson.
Charles Wilson.
Lawrence Ernest Cammell.

Dated 3rd June, 1942— Alexander William Spence.

Dated 4th June, 1942— Albert Iremonger.

Dated 5th June, 1942— James Thompson.

Dated 6th June, 1942— Samuel Thomas Snushall.

Dated 9th June, 1942— Crosbie Rupert Randle.

Dated 12th June, 1942—

• Alexander Gatonby Stead.
Robert Cooper Williams.

Dated 14th June, 1942— Edward Ernest Caughey.

Dated 18th June, 1942— Jack Harden Jenkin.

Dated 19th June, 1942— Alfred Egbert Nettlingham.

Dated 20th June, 1942— Ronald Osborne MacDougall.

Dated 24th June, 1942— Richard Thomas Naylor.

Dated 25th June, 1942— Leonard John Mew.

Dated 30th June, 1942— Eric Joseph Ramson. James Desmond Ward.

Dated 1st July, 1942—
Leonard Norley Jaffray,
Leonard Rowland Hill,
Cecil Frederick Cave,
Jack Leslie White.
Victor John Langley,
Herbert Marshall Akers,
James Love Coats,
Raymond Herbert Layton,
William Martin Smale,
John Moultin Ferriday.

Dated 6th July, 1942— John Walter Gordon Caldwell.

Dated 7th July, 1942—
William Daniel Kerruish.
Leonard James Bancroft Chapple.
Eric Arthur Sharland.
Ireton Scott Gardiner.

Dated 8th July, 1942— Albert Edward Allpress.

Dated 9th July, 1942—
Edward William Nicolaus.
Stanley Dick Rogers, M.C., V.D.
Allan Hepburn (Junior).
Laurence Bernard Roberts.

Dated 10th July, 1942— Francis Wisnesky. Sydney Charles Thorpe. Harold Goldie.

Dated 12th July, 1942— Edward Singleton.

Dated 18th July, 1942— Ernest Charles Alderson.

Dated 20th July, 1942—
Alexander James Waterhouse.
Bruce Maitland Pitkethley.

Dated 22nd July, 1942— Christian Raymond Hack.

Dated 24th July, 1942— Charles Walker.

Dated 25th July, 1942— Harry Schierning. Dated 30th July, 1942— Harry Geoffrey Calvert.

Dated 4th August, 1942— Denis Rochfort Richmond.

Dated 10th August, 1942—
William Martin Olsen.
Charles Leonard Case.
Claud Frederick Anderson.

Dated 11th August, 1942— Maurice Stirling Chambers.

The undermentioned Lieutenants (temp.) to be Captains (temp.):—

Dated 29th May, 1942— C. A. Smith.

Dated 1st August, 1942— G. Peers.

E. W. Merewether.

Dated 8th August, 1942– L. C. Skemp. H. W. Brown.

Captain (temp.) K. R. G. Richardson relinquishes his commission on appointment to the N.Z. Temporary Staff. Dated 28th May, 1942.

Lieutenant (temp.) W. A. Leggett relinquishes his commission on appointment to the Territorial Force. Dated 1st June, 1942.

The undermentioned Captains (temp.) resign their commissions:—

H. Bayliss. Dated 18th May, 1942. H. J. W. Lord. Dated 16th July, 1942.

The undermentioned Lieutenants (temp.) resign their commissions on appointment to the Territorial Force. Dated 18th May, 1942:—

W. H. Corkill. R. McTavish.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments and Promotions of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Air Department, Wellington, 26th August, 1942.

IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments and promotions of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointments.

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Pilot Officer:—

As Pilots.

Dated 12th June, 1942— NZ 411888 Sergeant Donald Francis Ignatius HARDMAN.

Dated 14th August, 1942— NZ 40422 Sergeant Eric Kingsley Necklen.

As Air Observer.

Dated 8th June, 1942— NZ 403790 Flight Sergeant Barry Martin.

Promotions.

Group Captain Maurice William BUCKLEY, M.B.E., to be Acting Air Commodore. Dated 1st August, 1942.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Flight Lieutenants (temp.):—

Dated 30th April, 1942— Raymond John Newton.

Dated 28th June, 1942— Frank Albert Andrews. William Thorpe Eiby.

Dated 27th July, 1942—
Donald Belton Collie.

Donald Belton Collie. Graham Wellesley Hamlin, D.F.C.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers to be Flying Officers (temp.):—

Dated 1st May, 1942— Dallas Harley YEOMAN.

Dated 14th June, 1942— Edmund Douglas Crossley.

Dated 4th July, 1942— Howard Arthur Crafts. Thomas Donald Gordon Murray.

Dated 5th July, 1942—
Leonard Gregory Malthus.
Euan Wilfred Sachtler.
John McLean Cochrane.
Heathcote Huia Butler Beale.

Dated 23rd July, 1942— Gordon Alan Lee Webby. Bernard Thomas Connell.

Dated 26th July, 1942— John Ralph Grant.

Dated 8th August, 1942— Herbert Edward Hastings Sharp.