

- Dated 6th May, 1943—
Colin Edward WOLFGAM. Alexander Mitchell PENMAN.
Harold TONG.
- Dated 7th May, 1943 : Bruce Gibb JOHNSTON.
- Dated 13th May, 1943 : Stanley Franklin BROWNE.
- Dated 14th May, 1943—
Donald Winter THOMSON, D.F.C. Edwin Leonard EASON.
- Dated 20th May, 1943—
Colin Cavell ROOTS. Leslie Ian TAYLOR.
Colin Wells HITCHCOCK.
- Dated 4th June, 1943—
Francis Herbert BERRY. Terence Jeffares McCASHIN.
Robert Denver MACDUFF.
- Dated 11th June, 1943 : Henry Drury ALCOCK.
- Dated 18th June, 1943—
David William NEWMAN. Hector William MELDRUM.
Ralph Edwin SPICER.
- Dated 19th June, 1943 : Spencer Francis FAUVEL.
- Dated 26th June, 1943 : Terris Leonard Barton TAYLOR.
- Dated 30th June, 1943 : John George TURNBULL.
- Dated 1st July, 1943—
Arthur Percy GAINSFORD, D.F.C.
John Matheson NICOLSON.
- Dated 5th July, 1943 : Nolan Wentworth FAIRCLOTH.
- Dated 8th July, 1943 : John Henry Low, D.F.C.
- Dated 9th July, 1943 : Kenneth IRWIN.
- Dated 10th July, 1943—
Herbert Leonard STUART. Edward William Huia SALTER.
Bernard Cyril TASKER.
- Dated 11th July, 1943 : Francis Archibald McDOWALL.
- Dated 16th July, 1943 : Francis MURPHY, D.F.C.
- Dated 22nd July, 1943 : Alfred William HOLLIS.
- The undermentioned to be Acting Flying Officers—
- Dated 1st April, 1943—
Edwin Roy ELLIOTT. John Charles IBBETSON.
Jack PLUMMER. Leslie Thomas William SMALE.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION II

Promotion

Pilot Officer (*on prob.*) Edward Hamilton HITCHCOCK is confirmed in his rank and granted the temporary rank of Flying Officer. Dated 12th May, 1943.

Pilot Officer (*on prob.*) David Campbell SHAW is confirmed in his rank and granted the temporary rank of Flying Officer. Dated 14th July, 1943.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH

Promotion

Pilot Officer (*on prob.*) Dudley Everard Charles JONAS is confirmed in his rank and granted the temporary rank of Flying Officer. Dated 5th May, 1943.

CORRIGENDUM

In the notice appearing in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 57, dated the 22nd July, 1943, page 807, under the heading "General Duties Branch, Promotions," and relating to Valentine Stuart MOORE, D.S.O., D.F.M., for "dated 1st May, 1943," read "dated 27th March, 1943."

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, Transfer, and Relinquishment of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

Air Department,
Wellington, 17th August, 1943.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, transfer, and relinquishment 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 30th April, 1943—
NZ 412283 Flight Sergeant Allen John SYKES.
- Dated 5th May, 1943—
NZ 415410 Flight Sergeant Gordon Burns GREEN.
- Dated 31st May, 1943—
NZ 413082 Flight Sergeant Bryce Drummond JONES.
- Dated 2nd June, 1943—
NZ 416101 Flight Sergeant Wilfred Eric ELDER, D.F.M.
NZ 416163 Flight Sergeant Arthur Alfred Henri PULLAN.
- Dated 9th July, 1943—
NZ 425560 Sergeant Denis Frederick COLLINGE.
NZ 421523 Sergeant Geoffrey Neville MUIRSON.
NZ 425495 Sergeant Warwick Ian Archibald DOUBLE.
NZ 425713 Sergeant Leonard Joseph WEBB.
NZ 421510 Sergeant Gilbert Ian HODGSON.
NZ 427815 Sergeant Clifford Kendall SAY.
NZ 427829 Sergeant Mervyn Windsor WRENNALL.
NZ 426215 Sergeant Alec Otley ELLIS.

- NZ 429666 Sergeant Mate Alexander MILICH.
NZ 428075 Sergeant John Benjamin BRAZIER.
NZ 421390 Sergeant John Edward MANNING.
NZ 425573 Sergeant Brian Norman JACOBSEN.
NZ 425220 Sergeant Neil Henderson Benjamin BARKER.

Dated 31st July, 1943—

- NZ 427023 L.A.C. Peter Morison DUNCAN.
NZ 427507 Corporal Ian Alexander CARNIE.
NZ 428111 L.A.C. William Leslie HARDIE.
NZ 425265 L.A.C. Brian Charles LEVET.
NZ 427506 L.A.C. Ernest Christopher ANDREWS.
NZ 427352 Acting-Sergeant D'Arcy George WAREHAM.
NZ 427861 Corporal Arthur Harbridge SILCOCK.
NZ 4211688 L.A.C. John Douglas GUY.
NZ 429129 L.A.C. Cedric Melville Lynch ANDREWS.
NZ 428866 L.A.C. David Antill GAVIN.
NZ 428917 Corporal Leslie Gordon SINGLAIR.
NZ 427559 Corporal Wilfrid Leopold POUND.
NZ 401120 L.A.C. James Wylie FRANKLIN.
NZ 4213744 L.A.C. Keith Bishop SMITH.
NZ 425501 L.A.C. Patrick William NICHOLAS.
NZ 425970 L.A.C. Clifford John WRIGHT.
NZ 428060 L.A.C. Louis Thomas FRIEDRICH.

AS AIR BOMBER

Dated 14th April, 1943—

- NZ 39664 Sergeant Charles Frederick Peter BROWN.

AS AIR GUNNER

Dated 18th May, 1943—

- NZ 405491 Flight Sergeant Richard Lethbridge JONES.

Promotions

Flight Lieutenant Theodore Jasper MACLEAN DE LANGE to be Squadron Leader (*temp.*). Dated 1st July, 1943.

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

Dated 4th July, 1943—

- Alan Douglas BULL. George Douglas THORPE.
Peter Sedgley HANAN. Brian Thomas VERRY.
Alva Edward HENDERSON. Ronald Graham WATTS.

Dated 5th July, 1943—

- Leonard Gregory MALTHEUS.
Noel Rupert KING.
Raymond Johnson WATSON.
John Frederick Guinness KISSEL.
Neil Dougall WATKINS.
James Mumford CRANSTONE.
Anthony Ashley COOPER.
Euan Wilfred SACHTLER.
Cecil Owen HOOKER.
John McLean COCHRANE.
Donald St. Clair BROWN.
Cyril SHARLAND.
Heathcote Huia Butler BEALE, D.F.C.
Wyndham Maurice MEARES.

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

Dated 4th February, 1943—

- Colin Douglas CHAMMEN. Montague Bernard ANGELO.
Stewart DICKSON.

Dated 9th April, 1943—

- Jack PLUMMER. Errol Henry TAYLOR.

Dated 6th May, 1943 : Marsden Frederick MOREY.

Dated 30th May, 1943 : John Colin WORTHINGTON.

Dated 1st June, 1943—

- Andrew McRobbie MALCOLM. Ian Frederick LOCK.
Noel William SPRINGER.

Dated 4th July, 1943 : Maurice James COSTELLO.

Dated 5th July, 1943 : Geoffrey Stockbridge MOORE.

Dated 6th July, 1943—

- Leslie Vincent HAMLIN. John Stephen LANE.

Flying Officer Robert Hamish BALFOUR to be Acting Flight Lieutenant (*paid*). Dated 1st July, 1943.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION II

Appointments

The undermentioned are granted temporary commissions as R.D.F. Officers in the rank of Pilot Officer :—

Dated 1st February, 1943—

- NZ 1885 John Sinclair BURNS.

Dated 1st April, 1943—

- NZ 431383 A.C. 2 Patrick Francis NOBLE, B.Sc.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment

NZ 1886 Kenneth POTTER is granted a temporary commission in the rank of Pilot Officer. Dated 22nd June, 1943.

Transfer

Flying Officer Jack Howard CLARKE is transferred to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class B, Section I. Dated 10th July, 1943.