

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

Air Department,
Wellington, 7th September, 1943.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, transfers, 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 26th February, 1943—
NZ 39916 Warrant Officer Gilbert Sydney HALLEY.
- Dated 2nd May, 1943—
NZ 415733 Flight Sergeant Ronald Charles Ostend BEAZER.
- Dated 20th May, 1943—
NZ 411895 Flight Sergeant Thomas Bryce HENRY.
- Dated 25th May, 1943—
NZ 415681 Flight Sergeant Robert Harry BRICKELL.
- Dated 31st May, 1943—
NZ 414658 Flight Sergeant Nicholas MATICH.
- Dated 5th June, 1943—
NZ 413911 Flight Sergeant Guy Merson TEMPLER.
- Dated 15th June, 1943—
NZ 40986 Warrant Officer James McLean PEARSON.
- Dated 20th June, 1943—
NZ 413058 Flight Sergeant Evan Aylward GRANT.
NZ 414952 Flight Sergeant David Valentine AVERY.
- Dated 22nd June, 1943—
NZ 414614 Flight Sergeant Bernard Alexander GUMBLEY, D.F.M.
- Dated 24th June, 1943—
NZ 414718 Sergeant Thomas WYLLIE.
- Dated 1st July, 1943—
NZ 415336 Flight Sergeant Ninian Robson McDONALD.
- Dated 2nd July, 1943—
NZ 416547 Flight Sergeant Ernest Herbert SHATTOCK.
NZ 413837 Flight Sergeant Norman GARDINER.
- Dated 3rd July, 1943—
NZ 413474 Flight Sergeant Leslie McDonald RAWLINGS.
- Dated 8th July, 1943—
NZ 412694 Flight Sergeant Ian Cameron HUTCHESON.
- Dated 9th July, 1943—
NZ 415004 Flight Sergeant David Rhys MORGAN.
NZ 414692 Flight Sergeant Thomas Gordon SMITH.
NZ 415208 Flight Sergeant Reginald Clive VEITCH.
NZ 414205 Flight Sergeant Fredrick Edward ARSCOTT.
NZ 415036 Flight Sergeant John Henry SUTCLIFFE.
NZ 415059 Flight Sergeant Verner Grenville CAVE.
- Dated 11th July, 1943—
NZ 412461 Flight Sergeant Stanley Thomas SCHMIDT.
NZ 404343 Warrant Officer Richard Bradburn DAVENPORT.
- Dated 15th July, 1943—
NZ 415289 Flight Sergeant Neville John CALLAN.
- Dated 27th July, 1943—
NZ 412709 Flight Sergeant Raymond MCGREGOR.
- Dated 28th August, 1943—
NZ 4210920 L.A.C. Walter George MORRIN.
NZ 428170 L.A.C. Thomas William Alfred WALKER.
NZ 427542 L.A.C. Warren Alister BLAIN.
NZ 429195 L.A.C. Donald Hubert MICHAEL.
NZ 427857 L.A.C. Eldon Wallace RAPLEY.
NZ 427292 L.A.C. Daniel George Raymond McKONE.
NZ 429997 L.A.C. Ross Bertram BARLOW.
NZ 427970 L.A.C. Robert Harold FAWCETT.
NZ 427304 L.A.C. Norman Douglas McKenzie MEIN.
NZ 422340 L.A.C. Bryce Russell WOODALL.
NZ 429691 L.A.C. Gerrit Keeley van ASCH.

AS NAVIGATORS

- Dated 28th May, 1943—
NZ 405463 Flight Sergeant Gerard Alphonsus WARD.
- Dated 15th June, 1943—
NZ 40938 Flight Sergeant Peter Gale HENRY.
- Dated 8th July, 1943—
NZ 413713 Flight Sergeant Sydney Colin Rive MACKIE.
- Dated 11th July, 1943—
NZ 421321 Flight Sergeant Ralph Stanley FRANCE.

AS AIR BOMBERS

- Dated 23rd July, 1943—
NZ 424063 Sergeant Charles Bryce OXENHAM.
NZ 427817 Sergeant Edward Simon SNOWDEN.
NZ 429226 Sergeant Ian Douglas WARD.
NZ 429967 Sergeant Ronald Desmond MAYHILL.
NZ 424444 Sergeant Leslie Samuel FORD.

AS AIR GUNNERS

- Dated 22nd May, 1943—
NZ 404633 Warrant Officer John Alister MacDonald STUART.
- Dated 9th June, 1943—
NZ 404653 Warrant Officer Douglas Hamilton MOSS.
- Dated 7th July, 1943—
NZ 412766 Flight Sergeant Forrest Harold THOMPSON, D.F.M.
- Dated 18th July, 1943—
NZ 412003 Flight Sergeant Bernard HEFFERNAN.
- Dated 19th July, 1943—
NZ 412360 Sergeant Roy Haydon SMITH.
NZ 414893 Flight Sergeant Thomas Andrew ROBSON.
- Dated 26th July, 1943—
NZ 426136 Sergeant Garnet Hunter EVANS.
NZ 427969 Sergeant Jack Macgregor ELLIOTTE.
NZ 425767 Sergeant Robert William MACADAM.
- Dated 9th August, 1943—
NZ 422922 Sergeant William Arthur Cameron SIMPSON.
NZ 425522 Sergeant Jack Philip BAKER.
NZ 425378 Sergeant Desmond Weston WHEELER.

Transfer

Pilot Officer Aylmer Derrick WESTENRA is transferred from the Administrative and Special Duties Branch to the General Duties Branch. Dated 28th August, 1943.

Promotions

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

- Dated 1st March, 1943 : Sydney Ernest SCALES.
Dated 27th May, 1943 : Allen Roy HENDERSON.
Dated 7th June, 1943 : Harvey Nelson SWEETMAN, D.F.C.

- Dated 23rd July, 1943—
Renton Stewart RUTHERFORD, D.F.C.
Gordon Alan Lee WEBBY.

- Dated 26th July, 1943—
James Stewart FRAME, D.F.C.
John Ralph GRANT.
Robert Thomson FLEMING, D.F.C.

- Dated 31st July, 1943—
Richard Webb SAMPSON. Hector Arthur MCKENZIE.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Acting Flight Lieutenants (paid) :—

- Dated 1st August, 1943—
John Hugh Mehaffey CARSWELL.
Mervyn Charles Pryce JONES.
Brian Frederick SMITH.
Robert James PRENTICE.
Leslie James SMALL.
David Ian BLACKLEY.

- Dated 16th August, 1943 : James Ralph COURT.

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

- Dated 1st November, 1942 : Arthur Donald CARLAW.
Dated 23rd April, 1943 : Robert Blundell WYNYARD.
Dated 23rd May, 1943 : Donald William PARKHOUSE.

- Dated 28th May, 1943—
William Pembroke BELL. Chisholm Martyn WILSON.
Leonard Edwin LANCASTER. James Bayntun STARKY.
Arnold Thane KING.

- Dated 30th May, 1943 : Kenneth James MACKENZIE.
Dated 1st June, 1943 : James Robertson Grant BATHGATE.
Dated 7th June, 1943 : John Raymond JONES.
Dated 18th June, 1943 : Norman Colin MOWAT.
Dated 19th June, 1943 : Bertram Frederick COLLINGS.
Dated 1st July, 1943 : Robert Thomas AITCHISON.
Dated 7th July, 1943 : Keith Ian STREET, D.F.M.
Dated 10th July, 1943 : James Clarence RALPH, D.F.M.
Dated 11th July, 1943 : Alfred Percy FOGERTY.

- Dated 15th July, 1943—
James Maxwell SHEARER.
John Hetrick HIGGINS.

- Dated 16th July, 1943 : John Forbes THOMSON, D.F.C.
Dated 17th July, 1943 : Geoffrey Woodhouse LEE.
Dated 18th July, 1943 : Irvine Watt RENNER, D.F.C.
Dated 19th July, 1943 : Gilbert William SYMONS.
Dated 20th July, 1943 : Noble Andrew GARDINER.
Dated 22nd July, 1943 : John Donald PERRY.

- Dated 23rd July, 1943—
Hugh Charles WILKIE, D.F.C.
Richard Otway FRENCH, D.F.C.
Francis Campbell CARSWELL, D.F.C.
Raymond Harold NEWTON.

- Dated 24th July, 1943 : Alfred Clement RELPH.

- Dated 26th July, 1943—
Owen Kenneth SUTHERLAND.
John Alfred SCOTT.

- Dated 27th July, 1943 : Harry Allman SMITH.

- Dated 30th July, 1943—
Leicester George SMITH.
Charles Alexander GEORGE.