Dated 3rd December, 1943— NZ 402850 Warrant Officer Edwin Elijah Carpenter.

Dated 21st December, 1943— NZ 414674 Flight Sergeant Frederick Bryan Pihani.

Dated 24th December, 1943— NZ 411002 Warrant Officer John Plumer WALKER. NZ 414314 Flight Sergeant John Douglas McPhail.

Dated 30th December, 1943— NZ 417123 Flight Sergeant Mervyn James Sparks.

Dated 15th January, 1944— NZ 424477 Flight Sergeant Francis Leverson La Fran-CHIE.

NZ 416117 Flight Sergeant Frank Fordon HILDRETH.

Dated 19th January, 1944— NZ 391444 Warrant Officer Ernest Norman Leech.

Dated 21st January, 1944— NZ 415778 Flight Sergeant Sidney Frederick PARLATO.

Dated 23rd January, 1944— NZ 414667 Flight Sergeant Albert James OSBORNE.

Dated 25th January, 1944-NZ 414366 Flight Sergeant Francis Lincoln Welford.

Dated 29th January, 1944— NZ 404874 Warrant Officer James William Alexander Johnston.

As Navigators-

Dated 10th January, 1944— NZ 414324 Flight Sergeant Douglas MOULTRIE.

Dated 16th January, 1944— NZ 424959 Flight Sergeant Drummond Blair Living-

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

Dated 9th November, 1943-NZ 412884 Flight Sergeant Allan William Jackson.

Dated 19th December, 1943— NZ 405477 Warrant Officer Richard Colin Flower.

Dated 20th December, 1943— NZ 411115 Flight Sergeant Hugh WYLLIE.

Dated 20th January, 1944— NZ 415521 Flight Sergeant Alfred James DOWNEY. NZ 41495 Flight Sergeant John David Reid.

As Air Gunners-

Dated 8th January, 1944— NZ 403031 Flight Sergeant Leo Alexander Charles RUSSELL.

Dated 19th January, 1944— NZ 417214 Flight Sergeant Cyril Francis Keefe.

Dated 21st January, 1944— NZ 416427 Flight Sergeant John Sebastian HULENA.

Promotions

Flight Lieutenant Clive Walter Scott, A.F.C., to be Squadron Leader (temp.). Dated 29th June, 1943.

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

Dated 10th January, 1944-

Lawson DAYMAN. Alan Roy Bidwill BARTON.

Dated 19th January, 1944: Walter Barton Mulligan.

Dated 21st January, 1944— Anthony Clement Krause. Donald Percy Trim.

Dated 23rd January, 1944—
Hilton James Valentine Atkins.
Dugald Louis Poppelwell, D.F.C.
Harold John Shelld, D.F.C.
William John Robert Scollay, D.F.C.
George Alfred Patrick, D.F.C.

Dated 27th January, 1944: Peter Duncan McMillan, Dated 29th January, 1944: Wallis George Finlay.

Dated 31st January, 1944—
Owen Raymond Chapman, D.F.C.
John Charles Elmsly,
Norman Robert Crompton.
Thomas William Overbury Fox.
George Roland Gould.
Robert Henry Blyth, D.F.C.

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

Dated 13th October, 1942: Austin Garth EMANUEL.
Dated 14th February, 1943: Morris Charles ECKHOLD,
Dated 11th March, 1943: Adrian Philip Wedding.
Dated 30th April, 1943: Ivan James Davis.
Dated 28th May, 1943: Rex James Walls.
Dated 2nd October, 1943; Richard Albert Flavell.

Dated 9th January, 1944— Laurence Trevor Carpinter. Clifton Ernest Shanks. Geoffrey Neville Murson.

Warwick Ian Archibald DOUBLE. Fredrick Edward Arscott. John Henry Sutcliffe.

Dated 14th January, 1944— William TYE.

David Jackson.

Dated 16th January, 1944: Allan Wealleans.

Dated 18th January, 1944— George Christopher Nevill Johnson, Edward Desmond O'Rentry, D.F.M.

Dated 19th January, 1944-Robert Miln Kipp.

Roy Haydon Smith.

Dated 20th January, 1944— Leslie James Bryant. Samuel Hancock JAGGER.

George Henry HART.

Dated 21st January, 1944— Oliver Lawrence Goldsmith. Leonard James Brennan.

Ronald Cedric James KIRK.

Dated 22nd January, 1944— Warren Kenneth Trainor.

Thomas Richard PALMER.

Dated 23rd January, 1944-Thomas Isaac Elliot. Charles Stevenson. George Herbert Sanders. Malcolm George Ellis.
Donald Cross Finlayson. Whelan Fallon HAZARD. George Bayne MacDonald.

Charles Bryce Oxenham. Edward Simon Snowden. Ian Douglas WARD. Ronald Desmond MAYHILL. Leslie Samuel FORD. Arthur John Coe.

Dated 24th January, 1944— David Walker FINDLAY, D.F.C. William Joffre REID.

Dated 25th January, 1944— James Frederick Bailes, D.F.M. Stanley RUTHERFORD, D.F.M.

Dated 26th January, 1944-Garnet Hunter Evans. Jack Macgregor Elliotte.

Donald James GALBRAITH.

Dated 27th January, 1944-John Gall, D.F.C.

Raymond McGrecor.

Dated 28th January, 1944: Norman Southern.

Dated 31st January, 1944-David Antill Gawith, Wilfrid Leopold Pound, Keith Bishop Smith,

Patrick William NICHOLAS. Louis Thomas Friedrich.

Dated 19th February, 1944: Anthony Leonard Brown.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION II: TECHNICAL OFFICERS Appointment

The undermentioned is granted a temporary commission in the rank of Pilot Officer (on prob.):-

Signals Duties-

Dated 10th February, 1944— NZ 391971 Corporal John Alexander Jenkins.

Administrative and Special Duties Branch Appointment

NZ 2075 Pilot Officer Hewton Oswald Amess on relinquishing his commission in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve is granted a temporary commission in the rank of Pilot Officer, with seniority as from 8th December, 1943. Dated 15th December, 1943.

CORRIGENDA

Corrigenda

In the notice appearing in the New Zealand Gazette No. 32, dated the 6th May, 1943, page 504, under the heading "General Duties Branch, Appointments—As Air Gunners", relating to NZ 412895 Sergeant Mikaere Tutahunga Tomika Manawaiti, for "18th March, 1943", read "18th April, 1943".

In the notice appearing in the New Zealand Gazette No. 1, dated the 13th January, 1944, page 8, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Promotions", relating to Pilot Officer Mikaere Tutahunga Tomika Manawaiti, D.F.M., for "18th September, 1943", read "18th October, 1943".

In the notice appearing in the New Zealand Gazette No. 2, dated the 20th January, 1944, page 33, under the heading "Administrative and Special Duties Branch—Appointments", for "NZ 2003 Biren Spiro", read "NZ 2003 Berin Spiro".

In the notice appearing in the New Zealand Gazette No. 8, dated 17th February, 1944, page 134, under the heading "Administrative and Special Duties Branch—Transfers", for "Kennedy William Rathbride Mitchell", read "Kenneth William Rathbride Mitchell", read ated 17th February, 1944, page 134, page

In the notice appearing in the New Zealand Gazette No. 8, dated 17th February, 1944, page 135, under the heading "Medical Branch—Appointments", relating to Squadron Leader Charles Wyn Squire Jerram, M.B., Ch.B., for "1st January, 1944", read "2nd January, 1944".

F. JONES, Minister of Defence,