

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

As Pilots—

- Dated 5th February, 1945—
NZC 429992 Flight Sergeant Brian Leonard BUTLER.
Dated 8th February, 1945—
NZ 4212579 Flight Sergeant Alfred Ernest HINTON.
Dated 21st February, 1945—
NZ 427316 Flight Sergeant Maurice Spire POWELL.
Dated 25th February, 1945—
NZ 424528 Warrant Officer William John SHAW.
Dated 6th March, 1945—
NZ 414307 Warrant Officer Stanley Frederick LOCK.
Dated 8th March, 1945—
NZ 425965 Warrant Officer Rex James WILLIAMS.
Dated 14th March, 1945—
NZ 4212768 Flight Sergeant John Somers McLERNON.
Dated 15th March, 1945—
NZC 4210512 Warrant Officer Donald Babington SHEARER.
Dated 16th March, 1945—
NZ 429379 Warrant Officer Harold James Dean TREWHEELA.
Dated 17th March, 1945—
NZ 4211845 Flight Sergeant William Richard SUTTON.
NZ 4213260 Flight Sergeant Oliver Joseph Tate HODGSON.
Dated 18th March, 1945—
NZ 422965 Warrant Officer Allen White ELLIS.
NZ 416823 Warrant Officer Albert Geoffrey HARGOOD.
Dated 19th March, 1945—
NZ 4213732 Flight Sergeant Ronald Thomas CLARKSON.
Dated 6th April, 1945—
NZ 4214152 Sergeant James Serge Gow.
NZ 4216028 Sergeant Jack Henry BUDD.

As Navigators—

- Dated 1st December, 1944—
NZC 439234 Sergeant Maurice Gilbert PROCTER.
NZC 436940 Sergeant Robert DOBSON.
NZ 436691 Sergeant Charles Joseph McMENAMIN.
Dated 25th January, 1945—
NZ 4211012 Flight Sergeant Clarence Robert John FALCONER.
Dated 29th March, 1945—
NZ 437900 Sergeant Robert Jackson McCULLY.
NZ 4311993 Sergeant Roderick Donald MACLEOD.
NZ 4312393 Sergeant Charles Minett PRIESTLEY.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

- Dated 24th January, 1945—
NZ 422002 Warrant Officer Alexander Cameron THOMPSON.
Dated 4th February, 1945—
NZ 426315 Warrant Officer Wyndham Arthur HENSHAW.
Dated 16th February, 1945—
NZ 429740 Flight Sergeant Frank Martin ASHWORTH.
Dated 9th March, 1945—
NZ 412990 Sergeant Spencer Gustave Hamilton SMITH.
NZC 4312615 Sergeant Vernon James DULEY.
Dated 14th March, 1945—
NZ 425658 Flight Sergeant Tatio Tuaine NICHOLAS.
Dated 16th March, 1945—
NZ 4215930 Sergeant Bryce BROWN.

As Air Gunner—

- Dated 4th April, 1945—
NZ 425760 Flight Sergeant Alfred Thomas BANNAN.

As Wireless Operators (Air)—

- Dated 29th March, 1945—
NZ 4312366 Warrant Officer William James Mervin McCoy.
NZ 4313091 L.A.C. Thomas Henry GIBBONS.
NZ 4311266 L.A.C. Robert Stanley CHESSUM.
NZC 4311643 L.A.C. Allan Desmond BERGQUIST.

Promotions

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Roy Douglas MAX, D.S.O., D.F.C., to be Acting Wing Commander (paid). Dated 6th March, 1945.

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

- Dated 10th June, 1944: Bernard Herbert WEBB.
Dated 12th November, 1944: Geoffrey Edward MOORE, D.F.M.
Dated 27th February, 1945: Rodney Greville WILLIAMS.
Dated 17th March, 1945: Joseph Edward Arthur HOWAT.
Dated 19th March, 1945—
Peter Grevis WINTER. Gordon Henry MEAGER.
Roy Ehrlich FORBES, D.F.C. John Arthur HOULTON, D.F.C.
Thomas Leslie Milton PORTEOUS. John William REID.
Dated 20th March, 1945: Joseph BETTLE.
Dated 21st March, 1945—
Philip Samuel Garth THORNTON. Grant Alan RUSSELL.
Dated 23rd March, 1945: Russell James NOONAN, D.F.M.
Dated 24th March, 1945: David Dennis Morris WILKINSON, D.F.M.
Dated 26th March, 1945—
Alfred William BURGE.
Kenneth William Roland McMILLAN.
James LOVETT, D.F.C.
Dated 28th March, 1945: Dixon Bennett BESLEY.

Dated 29th March, 1945—

- Kenneth James CAMPBELL, D.F.C.
Kenneth Alfred Sidney PIPE, D.F.C.

Dated 31st March, 1945: Geoffrey Howes Langston SHAW.
Dated 28th April, 1945: David Graham GOODWIN, D.F.C.

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

Dated 1st December, 1944: Francis Edward FERRIER.
Dated 26th December, 1944: Gordon Stewart PATRICK.
Dated 1st January, 1945: Robert Stewart MONTGOMERY.
Dated 1st February, 1945: Alan John HUTCHINSON.
Dated 11th February, 1945: Alfred Millar HOGG.
Dated 12th February, 1945: Charles Ian MARTYN.

Dated 1st March, 1945—

- Neil GUSTAFSON. George McDOWELL.
Roy Bradney BOULD. Kenneth William WRIGHT.
Alan William ALBRECHT. Peter Stuart FREYBERG.
Leslie Hamilton DOBBS. John McRoberts CALDER.
Norman William INGERSON. Robert Harold LOWRY.
Eric Varnham BARDSLEY. Christopher David John REGAN.
Ansell Clifford JAMES. Alexander McPHERSON.
William John FLAUS. Desmond Frederick William
Randal Fredrick O'KEEFE. McLEAN.

Dated 7th March, 1945: Douglas Bertrand SKELLON.

Dated 8th March, 1945—

- John Edward GIFFNEY. Douglas Arthur MORRIS.
William Thomas Ruakere MATHIESON. Robert Ross LAPWOOD.
Cecil Edward LEE.

Dated 14th March, 1945: Clifford Frederick BRYAN.

Dated 15th March, 1945—

- William Leonard PAINTER. Russell Henry Phelps HOPKINS.
William Douglas THOMPSON. Ernest BURROWS.
John Halliday ORR. Douglas Arthur BARRAR.
Wilfred Cleland HALL.

Dated 16th March, 1945—

- Sydney Archie THOMPSON, D.F.C. Herbert Tomlinson PEARSE.
Alan Trouette KOFOED. Lloyd Desmond CURTIS.
John CURTIS.

Dated 17th March, 1945: Charles Octavius Joseph CAREY.

Dated 18th March, 1945: Hector Walter SHAW.

Dated 19th March, 1945—

- William Roy STOKES. Lawrence Phillip PATTERSON.

Dated 20th March, 1945—

- Robert Ronga SCOTT. John Tyrie ASPINALL.

Dated 21st March, 1945—

- Keith Walter LYNCH. Sinclair Athol McKENZIE.
John Thomas MEPHAN. Robert John STEEL.
William James HORGAN. Frederick Trevor MORGAN.
Harold Selwyn JOHNSTON.

Dated 22nd March, 1945—

- Maurice Daniel HAMPSON. Robert George Manson CURRIE.
Donald George FRASER. Warren Walter STEVENS.
Euan MOORE. Rutherford PEEBLES.
John Hudson KEESING. Ian Ferguson MCKINLAY.
Robert Bruce Hugh BLAKE. William Edward MONRO.
Peter Travis NORMAN. William Stanley BROWN.
Joseph James WILLIAMS. Edwin Ronald WINTERS.
Hylton Olliver HENSMAN. Russell Murray CLARKE.
Lyle Allen SHANKS. Sidney Nicholas ETRIDGE, D.F.C.

Dated 23rd March, 1945—

- Herbert Wilfred HOOPER. Colin Charles BELCHER.
David Lancelot WILSON. Joseph William COLLINS.

Dated 24th March, 1945—

- Allan Beresford SOWDEN. John Patrick HICKSON.
William Samuel BEATON. Ian James Strang LAIDLAW.
Howard Arthur SEXTON. Alan Allister MACPHERSON.
Douglas Blewett FOOTE. Lloyd George HOPKINS.
Norman Bertram BUNNY. John Joseph MOLLOY.
Phillip Brian MAY. Donald Walton STEWART.

Dated 26th March, 1945—

- Vernon KNIGHTBRIDGE. Ronald Norman McKENZIE.

Dated 27th March, 1945: Douglas Bethel CHAMBERLAIN.

Dated 28th March, 1945—

- Joseph William MURPHY. Eric SUND.
James Dalston HOWARD. Leo Michael KEATING.
Trevor Hugh HILL, D.F.C.

Dated 29th March, 1945—

- Jeffrey BAINES, D.F.C. Lawrence Harold McEWEN.

Dated 30th March, 1945—

- John CURRIE. Frederick Robert WORKER.

Relinquishments

Flying Officer Kennairst Alexander RAE is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission. Dated 14th March, 1945.

The temporary commission of Pilot Officer Patrick Lewis WHYTE is relinquished. Dated 10th March, 1945.

Amendment

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 26, dated 19th April, 1945, page 413, under the heading "General Duties Branch—Appointments: As Pilots," is amended so far as it relates to "NZ 424871—Warrant Officer Joseph Raymon MOFFAT," to read "Dated 21st February, 1945."