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

Dated 19th March, 1945— NZ 414562 Warrant Officer Robert David Gear.

Dated 23rd June, 1945— NZ 429350 Warrant Officer Raymond Stuart PIPER. Dated 30th June. 1945— NZ 43590 Warrant Officer Patrick Joseph Mellor.

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Dated 3rd July, 1945—
NZ 427517 Warrant Officer William Wood Beckley.

Dated 18th July, 1945—
NZ 4215803 Warrant Officer Eric Paris Brooke Carpenter.

Dated 20th August, 1945—
NZ 4213968 Flight Sergeant Clive Yeoman.

Dated 21st August, 1945— NZ 428914 Warrant Officer Brian Charles Odlin.

Dated 4th September, 1945— NZ 422430 Warrant Officer Sydney Decimus Hugh PAYNTER.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—
Dated 2nd July, 1945—
NZ 425462 Warrant Officer Joseph Davison.

Dated 17th July, 1945—
NZ 4215129 Flight Sergeant Alan Lloyd Jones.
Dated 24th July, 1945—
NZ 422688 Warrant Officer Thomas Michael Cammock.

Promotions

Flight Lieutenant Warren Edward Schrader, D.F.C., to be Squadron Leader (temp.). Dated 2nd August, 1945.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Flight Lieutenants

Dated 21st August, 1945: Gordon Ballingall PAGE, D.F.C.

Dated 26th August, 1945: Richard Hugh THORBURN. Dated 16th September, 1945: David Leslie Iggo.

Dated 17th September, 1945—Robert Gordon Cuming. Allan Graham Moffitt. Frank Nevil England.

Alexander Edward Anderson. James Hugh Hanna.

Dated 18th September, 1945-John Henry Kay. D.F.C. James George Wilson.

Dated 19th September, 1945: Keith Aicheson Beattie, D.F.C.

Dated 20th September, 1945— Douglas Leslie Forster.

Dated 23rd September, 1945-George Saunders McDonald. Trevor Cyril Cox.

Dated 24th September, 1945-Ralph James Buckham. Walter Frank Morice.

Dated 25th September, 1945-William Roy Brinsden. William Jack Niccolls.

Alexander Robert BENTON. Dated 26th September, 1945: Frederick James Sheppard.

Dated 27th September, 1945-James Huia Platt.

Christopher William Weir. Cedric Stanley GAY, D.F.C.

Robert James Soutar.

Clifford James Toon. Albert Noel WARD.

MORGAN.

D.F.C.

Maxwell Raeburn Colhoun. Athol Albert Thomas. Thomas Alexander McLeod

William Tildesley Howard. William Ernest Brizley. Baden Gordon Clare.

Roy Ronald Thompson,
Douglas Cooper Westwood,
George Robert Blundell,
Harold Hamon Blampi

Tatio Tuaine NICHOLAS.

BLAMPIED,

Bernard Maurice LEONARD.

Ewen McGregor Elmslie.

William Denis Fitzgerald MAY. William Deliis Fitzgerald MAY. Alfred David Long. John Stephen Harris, D.F.C. Ronald Huia Selby. Harold William Shilton, D.F.C.

- Frank TRANSOM.

John HAY.

Rawdon Lambton Carter. Dated 28th September, 1945: Alexander Agnew Appleby, A.F.C.

Dated 29th September, 1945-Frederick Barnabas WLD. Alec Gordon LEECH, D.F.C. Ewen John Campbell GUTHRIE, D.F.C.

Dated 30th September, 1945-John Hoani MacDonald. Maurice Jamison Wells, D.F.M.

Dated 1st October, 1945—
Albert Kenneth Carr.
Ivor Simpson Smith.
Jack Brusso Spencer.
Charles Cyril Verry.
Frederick John Brooker.
Wilfred Harold Forbes.
Robert Alfred Heaney.
Philip Robert Perry Raye

Philip Robert Perry Bryers. John Talbot Chapman.

Harold Edward Brumby, D.F.C. James Stewart Wilkinson. Andries Willem Vermeulen.

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

Dated 15th June, 1945: James Greenwood. Dated 18th July, 1945: Edward Philip Adams.

Dated 14th September, 1945-John Somers McLernon.

Dated 15th September, 1945—Clive Woodward ESTCOURT.
Donald Babington Shearer. Robert Norman WILLIAMSON.

Dated 16th September, 1945— Harold James Dean Trewheela. Leonard Ayers Rule.

Dated 17th September, 1945—William Richard SUTTON. Oliver Joseph Tate Hodgson.

Dated 18th September, 1945-Allen White Ellis. Albert Geoffrey Habgood.

Dated 19th September, 1945-Ronald Thomas CLARKSON. Dated 20th September, 1945-

Henare Matua Kani.

Dated 22nd September, 1945: Allan Francis Thompson Dated 23rd September, 1945: Percy Ernest Longstaff.

Dated 24th September, 1945— Charles Raymond Wagstaff. Dated 25th September, 1945: Richard John Urlich.

Dated 26th September, 1945-John Peace BRIGHTLING. Douglas FAIRBAIRN.

Dated 27th September, 1945: Sydney Walter GOODALL. Dated 28th September, 1945-Leslie Andrew Henderson.

Dated 29th September, 1945— Robert Jackson McCully. Roderick Donald MacLeod.

Dated 1st October, 1945— Maurice Hugh EYRE. Raymond Henry Tuck.

Dated 2nd October, 1945-William Kemp Paterson. Ian Campbell Cowie.

Dated 4th October, 1945-Neil McPherson Noble.

Frederick Robert BADER. Albert George Bone.

Alfred James Cyril Rogers.

Ivan Silvester Carroll.

William Alexandra PARTRIDGE.

Allan Francis Thompson.

John Percy Furness.

Norman Hewlett McIvor.

Mervyn Robert Візнор.

Charles Minett PRIESTLEY. Henry Haakon Hansen.

William George REAY. Alexander Vaea Syddall.

Frank Cyril Brookes.

Thomas Hugh MacGibbon.

Reversion

Acting Squadron Leader Percival Patrick O'BRIEN reverts to the temporary rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1945.

Relinquishment

Squadron Leader Arthur Gerald Hill is permitted to relinquish his temporary commission. Dated 19th May, 1945.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION II: TECHNICAL OFFICERS Appointments

Engineer Duties-

The undermentioned officers, on relinquishing their commissions in the Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, are granted temporary commissions in the rank of Flight Lieutenant:—

With seniority as from 1st January, 1943— NZ 2476 Charles Roderick Heazlewood, M.B.E.

Dated 1st July, 1945.

With seniority as from 1st July, 1943-NZ 2477 Peter Donald McNeil.

Dated 1st August, 1945.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers are permitted to relinquish their temporary Commissions:

Dated 17th October, 1945: Flight Lieutenant Henry Archibald ELLINGHAM, M.C.
Dated 11th October, 1945: Flying Officer William Grahame

WHITMORE.

NEW ZEALAND WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AIR FORCE Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers are permitted to relinquish their temporary commissions: Dated 6th October, 1945: Section Officer Dorothy Lois HERVEY.

Dated 23rd October, 1945: Section Officer Lelia Dorothy Mave BEDFORD.

Administrative and Special Duties Branch, Section II (A.T.C.) Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers are permitted to relinquish their Training Corps commissions:—

Dated 1st October, 1945: Flying Officer Edward Tench Shore.

Dated 10th October, 1945—
Flight Lieutenant William Henry Sadlier.
Flying Officer Hugh Eustace Russell.
Flying Officer Charles Butterworth.
Flying Officer Lester Francis MOLIER.
Flying Officer William Harry Thought

Flying Officer William Harry Tucker.
Flying Officer Cyril Robert Harr.
Flying Officer Thomas Fulbert Pickett.
Flying Officer George John William Allen.
Flying Officer Frank Marcus Hanan.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers are permitted to relinquish their commissions. Dated 30th September, 1945:—

Flight Officer Nell GOLDINGHAM.
Flight Officer Harriette Gertrude McKay. Assistant Section Officer Rita Lois MACEWEN.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.