

THE WELLINGTON EAST COAST MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant L. B. Ballantyne to be Captain. Dated 1st June, 1939.

REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Captain K. W. R. Glasgow, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Captain, with seniority from 8th May, 1933, and is posted to the 19th Medium Battery. Dated 21st September, 1939.

Lieutenant J. W. Moodie, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st October, 1938, and is posted to the 18th Anti-Aircraft Battery. Dated 18th September, 1939.

Lieutenant A. F. E. Tylee, B.Sc., Corps of N.Z. Engineers, is attached under the provisions of paragraph 141, Regulations for the N.Z. Military Forces, 1927, and is posted to the 10th Field Battery. Dated 1st August, 1939.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants and are posted to the 15th Heavy Battery:—

Alexander Michael Caughley. Dated 7th September, 1939.
Herbert Valentine Smith. Dated 8th September, 1939.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants and are posted to the 22nd Anti-Aircraft Battery. Dated 16th September, 1939:—

Ronald Francis Crozier.
Olaf Mordey Henri.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Lieutenant A. F. E. Tylee, B.Sc., ceases to be posted to the 3rd Field Company and is attached to the Regiment of N.Z. Artillery. Dated 1st August, 1939.

Douglas Vincent Campbell Kelsall to be 2nd Lieutenant and is posted to the 1st Field Company. Dated 18th September, 1939.

THE WELLINGTON WEST COAST REGIMENT.

Major R. L. McGaffin, from the Reserve of Officers, The Hawke's Bay Regiment, to be Major, with seniority from 1st July, 1939, and is posted to the 1st Battalion. Dated 21st September, 1939.

Lieutenant N. Bancks, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st September, 1937, and is posted to the 1st Cadet Battalion. Dated 21st September, 1939.

2nd Lieutenant A. S. McWhinnie, from the Hawke's Bay Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is posted to the 1st Battalion, with seniority from 1st November, 1938, next below 2nd Lieutenant F. P. Koorey. Dated 21st September, 1939.

THE HAWKE'S BAY REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant A. S. McWhinnie, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the Wellington West Coast Regiment. Dated 21st September, 1939.

THE TARANAKI REGIMENT.

Arthur Reginald Lucas to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) and is posted to the 1st Cadet Battalion. Dated 1st September, 1939.

THE NELSON, MARLBOROUGH, AND WEST COAST REGIMENT.

Major F. W. Huggins, E.D., from the Reserve of Officers, to be Major, with seniority from 1st June, 1936, and is posted to the 1st Battalion. Dated 19th September, 1939.

THE NEW ZEALAND SCOTTISH REGIMENT.

Brian Rolland Henderson to be 2nd Lieutenant and is posted to the Auckland Company. Dated 19th September, 1939.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain W. J. Hope-Robertson, M.B., to be Major, and remains seconded to the Royal N.Z. Air Force. Dated 25th August, 1938.

Lieutenant H. B. Alexander, M.B., 2nd Field Ambulance, resigns his commission. Dated 31st August, 1939.

Charles Peter Howden, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant, Northern Military District (unattached). Dated 17th September, 1939.

Earl Stevenson-Wright, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant, and is posted to the 2nd Field Ambulance. Dated 21st September, 1939.

Charles Plummer Powles, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant, Central Military District (unattached). Dated 21st September, 1939.

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend A. J. Muriel, M.C., B.A., Chaplain, 4th Class (Congregational), to be Chaplain, 3rd Class. Dated 12th September, 1939.

The Reverend William Sheely to be Chaplain, 4th Class (Roman Catholic), Area 4. Dated 18th September, 1939.

The Reverend Charles Emery Willis to be Chaplain, 4th Class (Church of England), Area 5. Dated 15th September, 1939.

The undermentioned to be Chaplains, 4th Class (Presbyterian):—

The Reverend Ian Watson Fraser, Area 6. Dated 19th September, 1939.

The Reverend Harold Stevenson Scott, Area 7. Dated 19th September, 1939.

The Reverend James Crawford McCaw, Area 5. Dated 21st September, 1939.

The Reverend Archie Leighton Dixon, Area 6. Dated 22nd September, 1939.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Corps of N.Z. Engineers.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. Gibbs, D.S.O., V.D., is posted to the Retired List with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 22nd September, 1939.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, &c., of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Air Department,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1939.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, &c., of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

PROMOTIONS.

Pilot Officer Graham Brook Bell (T.A.F.), B.E., B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E., to be Flying Officer, Acting Flight Lieutenant, Equipment Branch, Section II, and is posted to Royal New Zealand Air Force Depot, Auckland. Dated 12th October, 1939.

General Duties Branch.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers to be Flying Officers. Dated 4th September, 1939:—

Ian Coates Neale (T.A.F.).
Alan Marcus Prichard (T.A.F.).
Eric Copland Smart (T.A.F.), B.E., A.M.I.C.E.
Robert Francis Smillie (T.A.F.).
Henry Campbell Walker (T.A.F.).
Haydn Clinton Wilton (T.A.F.).
Graham Carrick Martin (T.A.F.).

Equipment Branch, Section I.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers (*on probation*) are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. Dated 4th September, 1939:—

Rex Arthur Walter Coker (T.A.F.).
Frank Andrew Reeves (T.A.F.).
Ernest Francis Hamilton (T.A.F.).
Max Wilson Mills (T.A.F.).

CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS.

The undermentioned Pilot Officers (*on probation*), General Duties Branch, are confirmed in their rank. Dated 15th September, 1939:—

Brian Lafcelot Haybittle (T.A.F.).
Kenneth Blackwood Robinson (T.A.F.).
Frederick Robert Termer Hesketh (T.A.F.).
Leonard Ernle Clark (T.A.F.).
Arthur Cuthbert Baines (T.A.F.).
Donald Alexander Gillanders (T.A.F.).
Nathan George Leonard Scott (T.A.F.).

APPOINTMENTS.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants are appointed to temporary commissions in their present rank:—

Jack Mulcock Buckeridge (R.N.Z.A.F., Retired List). Dated 1st October, 1939.
William Vazic-Simons (R.A.F., Retired List). Dated 6th September, 1939.