

Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirements of Officers of the New Zealand Military Forces.

Army Department,
Wellington, 18th November, 1940.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, promotions, transfers, resignations, and retirements of officers of the New Zealand Military Forces:—

STAFF.

- Colonel C. G. Powles, C.M.G., D.S.O., Retired List, is appointed to the Active List, N.Z. Staff Corps, and is appointed Camp Commandant, Waiouru Military Camp, with pay and allowances of a Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th November, 1940.
- Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Wickens, D.S.O., V.D., N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Camp Commandant, Military Camp, Addington, and is appointed Officer Commanding, Composite Battalion, Territorial Force, Burnham Camp. Dated 26th September, 1940.
- Captain (*temp.* Major) J. G. C. Wales, M.C., N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Officer Commanding, No. 1 Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Papakura, and is appointed Commandant, Northern Military District School of Instruction, Narrow Neck. Dated 17th September, 1940.
- Major T. A. H. Oliphant, M.C., N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Camp Commandant, Mobilization Camp, Ngaruawahia, and is appointed Officer Commanding, No. 1 Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Papakura. Dated 18th September, 1940.
- Captain G. H. Macan, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, 3rd Composite Company, N.Z. Army Service Corps, and retains the appointment of District Supply Officer, Southern Military District. Dated 16th September, 1940.
- Captain P. A. Bergman, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of District Transport Officer, Southern Military District, and is appointed Adjutant, 3rd Composite Company, N.Z. Army Service Corps. Dated 16th September, 1940.
- Captain F. McIntosh, M.C., N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Acting Commandant, Southern Military District School of Instruction, Burnham, and is appointed Chief Instructor, Southern Military District School of Instruction (Addington Wing). Dated 5th October, 1940.
- Lieutenant L. A. Kermodé, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, No. 1 Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Burnham, and is appointed Assistant Infantry Training Instructor, Mobilization Camp, Burnham. Dated 14th September, 1940.
- Lieutenant W. B. Fitchett, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Second in Command, National Military Reserve Guards, Wellington, and is attached to the Instructional Staff, Mobilization Camp, Trentham. Dated 16th September, 1940.
- Captain S. Mellows, M.B.E., N.Z. Temporary Staff, ceases to be attached to the staff of the Supply and Transport Branch, Army Headquarters, Wellington, and is appointed Supply and Transport Officer, Waiouru Military Camp. Dated 18th October, 1940.
- Major R. W. Haddow, D.C.M., N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Quartermaster, Mobilization Camp, Trentham, and is appointed Quartermaster, Waiouru Military Camp. Dated 21st October, 1940.
- Captain L. R. Neilson, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Assistant Quartermaster, Mobilization Camp, Trentham, and is appointed Quartermaster, Mobilization Camp, Trentham. Dated 21st October, 1940.
- Captain (*temp.* Major) J. M. Reidy, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Commandant, Central Military District School of Instruction, Wellington, and is appointed Commandant, Central Military District School of Instruction, Tauherenikau. Dated 19th October, 1940.
- Captain W. G. Bassett, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Commandant, Central Military District School of Instruction, Tauherenikau, and is attached to the Camp Instructional Staff, Mobilization Camp, Trentham. Dated 14th October, 1940.
- Lieutenant A. P. F. Neesham, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Company Commander, Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Papakura, and is appointed Assistant Quartermaster, Mobilization Camp, Ngaruawahia. Dated 16th October, 1940.

Captain K. B. McKenzie-Muirson, M.C., N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Company Commander, No. 2 Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Trentham, and is attached to the Central Military District School of Instruction, Wellington. Dated 9th September, 1940.

Captain K. B. McKenzie-Muirson, M.C., N.Z. Temporary Staff, ceases to be attached to, and is appointed Commandant, Central Military District School of Instruction, Wellington. Dated 19th October, 1940.

Captain G. F. Yerex, N.Z. Staff Corps, ceases to be attached to the General Staff Branch, Army Headquarters, Wellington, and is appointed Adjutant, Waiouru Military Camp. Dated 4th November, 1940.

Captain E. J. Browning, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of District Supply and Transport Officer, Northern Military District, and is appointed District Supply Officer, Northern Military District. Dated 1st October, 1940.

Lieutenant T. Bassett, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Assistant District Transport Officer, Northern Military District, and is appointed District Transport Officer, Northern Military District. Dated 1st October, 1940.

2nd Lieutenant (*acting* Captain) D. O. Williams, N.Z. Temporary Staff, ceases to be attached to the Adjutant-General's Branch and is appointed General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade (Intelligence), Army Headquarters. Dated 27th September, 1940.

Lieutenant A. M. Jordan, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointments of Adjutant, The Auckland (East Coast) Mounted Rifles, and Assistant Area Officer, No. 2 Area, Paeroa, and is appointed General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade (Training, Territorial Force), Army Headquarters, Wellington. Dated 17th October, 1940.

Captain and Quartermaster (*temp.*) J. W. Evers, N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Assistant to the Chief Ordnance Mechanical Engineer, is appointed Ordnance Mechanical Engineer, *vice* Lieutenant F. D. McWha, N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps, seconded to the 2nd N.Z. Expeditionary Force, and retains the temporary rank of Captain and Quartermaster while so employed. Dated 18th October, 1940.

Lieutenant N. C. Shepherd, N.Z. Temporary Staff, relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, Training Battalion, Mobilization Camp, Papakura, and is attached to the Camp Instructional Staff, Mobilization Camp, Ngaruawahia. Dated 24th September, 1940.

Lieutenant N. C. Shepherd, N.Z. Temporary Staff, ceases to be attached to the Camp Instructional Staff, Mobilization Camp, Ngaruawahia, and is appointed Adjutant, Mobilization Camp, Ngaruawahia. Dated 11th October, 1940.

N.Z. ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

The undermentioned Staff Cadet, on graduation from the Royal Military College of Australia, to be Lieutenant, on probation for twelve months. Dated 17th August, 1940:—

Ronald Glanville Anson Farnell.

Lieutenant R. G. A. Farnell is posted to the Main Ordnance Depot, Trentham. Dated 10th October, 1940.

N.Z. ARMY PAY CORPS.

Honorary Lieutenant H. Mulholland is transferred to the N.Z. Temporary Staff. Dated 9th July, 1940.

N.Z. TEMPORARY STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appointments in the N.Z. Temporary Staff on being seconded to the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Irving, E.D. Dated 14th September, 1940.

Captain S. C. Reid, M.C. Dated 26th September, 1940.

Captain H. A. Pattullo, M.C. Dated 11th October, 1940.

Captain R. N. Cox. Dated 15th October, 1940.

Captain G. C. Simmis. Dated 16th October, 1940.

Lieutenant M. Steele. Dated 19th September, 1940.

Lieutenant G. Morpeth. Dated 14th October, 1940.

Lieutenant C. G. Stewart, M.C. Dated 15th October, 1940.