

*Appointments, Promotions, and Relinquishments of Temporary Rank of Officers on Active Service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force Overseas*

Army Department,  
Wellington, 6th July, 1943.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, to confirm the following appointments, promotions, and relinquishments of temporary rank of officers on active service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East), *vide* List No. 108 :—

PROMOTIONS

*N.Z. Artillery*

2nd Lieutenant K. H. Bryan to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1943.

*N.Z. Engineers*

Captain (*temp.* Major) R. C. Pemberton, M.C., to be Major. Dated 2nd March, 1943.

*N.Z. Infantry*

The undermentioned Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains) to be Captains :—

J. F. M. Rose. K. H. Hume.  
Dated 1st March, 1943.

*N.Z. Army Service Corps*

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors :—

Captain (*temp.* Major) J. R. Morris.  
Captain (*temp.* Major) L. W. Roberts.  
L. Bean.  
Captain (*temp.* Major) S. A. Sampson.  
Dated 1st December, 1942.

*N.Z. Chaplains Department*

The undermentioned Chaplains, 4th Class, to be Chaplains, 3rd Class :—

Rev. C. G. Palmer. Rev. J. W. Rodgers.  
Dated 28th April, 1943.

GRANTS OF TEMPORARY RANK

*N.Z. Artillery*

Captain F. M. Fisher to be *temp.* Major. Dated 10th March, 1943.

*N.Z. Corps of Signals*

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be *temp.* Captains :—

P. J. Brennan. Dated 11th April, 1943.  
T. G. Healy. Dated 19th April, 1943.  
L. E. Vaughan. Dated 29th April, 1943.

*N.Z. Infantry*

The undermentioned Majors to be *temp.* Lieutenant-Colonels whilst commanding Battalions :—

K. A. Keiha, M.C. Dated 22nd April, 1943.  
J. R. J. Connolly. Dated 24th April, 1943.

The undermentioned Captains to be *temp.* Majors :—

W. J. G. Roach. Dated 21st April, 1943.  
W. Hoseit. Dated 23rd April, 1943.  
L. A. Joseph. Dated 1st May, 1943.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be *temp.* Captains :—

W. A. Whitlock. Dated 18th April, 1943.  
J. C. Chalmers. P. Robertson, M.C. A. C. Pryde.  
Dated 21st April, 1943.  
D. G. Grant. Dated 22nd April, 1943.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

*N.Z. Railway Construction and Maintenance Group*

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) E. Hazeldene-Barber relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 19th April, 1943.

*N.Z. Infantry*

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) R. C. Te Punga relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 4th May, 1943.

*N.Z. Medical Corps*

Captain (*temp.* Major) W. M. Platts relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 29th April, 1943.

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

*N.Z. Armoured Corps*

16527 George Burns Spiers.  
1055 Dudley John Adams.  
1299 Alec Thompson Caley.  
13228 John Galloway Dick.  
12849 John Allwood Dawkins.

*N.Z. Corps of Signals*

31843 John Walter Smith.  
4673 John McKenzie, B.E.M.  
Dated 1st May, 1943.

A. G. OSBORNE,  
For the Minister of Defence.

*Appointments and Promotions of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force*

Air Department,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1943.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments and promotions of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force :—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Appointments*

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

AS PILOTS

Dated 27th February, 1943—  
NZ 405523 Flight Sergeant Colin Ernest PAPPS.  
Dated 12th March, 1943—  
NZ 414643 Sergeant Allen Fisher LISSETTE.  
Dated 2nd April, 1943—  
NZ 405325 Flight Sergeant James Edward SANDERS.  
Dated 21st April, 1943—  
NZ 413401 Sergeant Keith Marcel FLEMING.  
Dated 22nd April, 1943—  
NZ 415784 Sergeant Edward ROBINS.  
Dated 23rd April, 1943—  
NZ 414690 Sergeant Frank SIMPSON.  
Dated 1st May, 1943—  
NZ 405306 Flight Sergeant Herbert Keith MINTON, D.F.M.  
NZ 411914 Flight Sergeant Neil John McHUGH.  
NZ 41870 Flight Sergeant Gerald Francis BURTON.  
NZ 413155 Flight Sergeant Charles Geoffrey TULLEY.  
NZ 413070 Flight Sergeant William Francis HAYES.  
NZ 413019 Flight Sergeant William Raymond BRANT.  
NZ 391086 Sergeant Ralph Keith STRINGER.  
NZ 416179 Sergeant Douglas Ian STEWART.  
NZ 416192 Sergeant Aubrey Albert Donald BILLS.  
NZ 416109 Sergeant Bruce Nelson GRAHAM.  
NZ 405430 Sergeant John Frederick MORGAN.  
Dated 3rd May, 1943—  
NZ 413538 Sergeant Keith Calvert NOBLE-CAMPELL.  
Dated 10th May, 1943—  
NZ 415044 Sergeant John Henry VERRALL.  
NZ 413847 Flight Sergeant Gordon Roger HEWLETT.  
Dated 15th May, 1943—  
NZ 41340 Flight Sergeant Kenneth Oscar LAW, D.F.M.  
Dated 17th May, 1943—  
NZ 413481 Flight Sergeant Douglas Nevill ROBINSON.  
Dated 1st June, 1943—  
NZ 417068 Flight Sergeant George Willis KIDD.

AS NAGIVATORS

Dated 1st May, 1943—  
NZ 413014 Sergeant William Cruickshank BATES.  
Dated 25th May, 1943—  
NZ 414574 Sergeant Stanley Arthur Joseph ASKEW.  
NZ 414381 Sergeant Leonard Herbert George BURGESS.  
NZ 414282 Sergeant Robert Bavin GRAHAM.

AS AIR BOMBERS

Dated 20th April, 1943—  
NZ 411463 Sergeant Walter Douglas SMELLIE.  
Dated 11th June, 1943—  
NZ 429090 Sergeant Douglas Harvey MAYCROFT.  
NZ 429027 Sergeant Eric George BLAKE.  
NZ 429366 Sergeant Frederick Gerald RICKARD.  
NZ 4211238 Sergeant Frank Boyce CHENNELLS.  
NZ 425883 Sergeant Graham COULL.  
NZ 426170 Sergeant Hugh Graham GRAY.  
NZ 426046 Sergeant Selwyn Frank JACKSON.  
NZ 429344 Sergeant Douglas Scott JOHNSTONE.  
NZ 425611 Sergeant Roy King JONES.  
NZ 429086 Sergeant Lawrence Hugh JOHNSTON.  
NZ 405782 Sergeant George Maurice GIVEN.

AS AIR GUNNERS

Dated 17th March, 1943—  
NZ 403575 Sergeant Ivan William HALL.  
Dated 12th April, 1943—  
NZ 403030 Flight Sergeant Raymond Clifford REYNOLDS.  
Dated 1st May, 1943—  
NZ 403022 Flight Sergeant James Joseph OLIVER.  
NZ 405535 Sergeant Walter Lemnos WINCHESTER.  
Dated 25th May, 1943—  
NZ 403774 Flight Sergeant Charles Ralph BLACKETT.  
NZ 40790 Sergeant Angus Graham FYFE.

*Promotions*

Squadron Leader Ian Gordon MORRISON to be Acting Wing Commander (paid). Dated 15th May, 1943.

Flight Lieutenant (Acting Squadron Leader), Freeman Jesse STEEL, D.F.C., to be Squadron Leader (*temp.*). Dated 1st March, 1943.