The undermentioned to be Lieutenants :--

Noel William Robson, M.B., Ch.B. Dated 8th May, 1944. Temp. 2nd Lieutenants—
R. B. Bell, M.B., Ch.B.
A. C. Hayton, M.B., Ch.B.
W. R. Aitchison, M.B., Ch.B.
P. P. E. Savage, M.B., Ch.B.

Dated 17th July, 1944.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lieutenants, from the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, to be Lieutenants :—

J. R. E. Dobson, M.B., Ch.B. J. M. Hansen, M.B., Ch.B.

Dated 17th July, 1944.

Temp. 2nd Lieutenant T. H. E. Cornish, M.B., Ch.B., from the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th July, 1944. Geoffrey Townsend, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th July, 1944.

N.Z. VETERINARY CORPS

Captain (temp. Major) W. C. Ring, V.M.D., is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Major. Dated 30th June, 1944.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE

Sister G. Carruth (née Beath) is posted to the Retired List.

Dated 5th January, 1943. With reference to the notice published in the New Zealand Gazette No. 57, dated 6th July, 1944, relative to posting to the Retired List of Sister E. M. Patterson (née Stevenson), for "Dated 10th June, 1944", substitute "Dated 20th July, 1944".

RESERVE OF OFFICERS

N.Z. Artillery

Major C. H. G. Joplin relinquishes his appointment as temp. Lieutenant in the N.Z. Temporary Staff. Dated 26th July, 1944.

Supplementary List

Lieutenant H. H. Shaw relinquishes his appointment as temp. Lieutenant in the N.Z. Temporary Staff, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 15th July, 1944.

Officers ceasing to be seconded to the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force

Major A. G. Coulam, E.D., N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 16th June, 1942. Dated 18th March, 1944. Major A. M. Lamont, N.Z. Army Service Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 17th September, 1943. Dated 9th July, 1944. Major G. A. Possin, and is reposted to The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own) with the temporary rank of Major, with

Major G. A. Possin, and is reposted to The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own) with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 8th April, 1943. Dated 17th July, 1944. Major E. H. H. Taylor, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 16th November, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944. Major E. H. H. Taylor, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 16th November, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944.
Major R. V. M. Wylde-Browne, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 29th January, 1942. Dated 22nd July, 1944.
Major H. G. McQuade, and is reposted to The Otago Regiment with the temporary rank of Major, with seniority from 18th August, 1941. Dated 22nd July, 1944.
Captain L. F. Johnson, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 9th October, 1943. Dated 8th July, 1944.
Captain D. J. S. Millar, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 12th January, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944.
Captain J. B. MacFarlane, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 12th January, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944.
Captain J. E. Boult, and is reposted to The N.Z. Scottish Regiment with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 12th January, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944.
Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) T. H. Jory, and is reposted to The Otago Regiment with the rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st June, 1937. Dated 22nd July, 1944.
Lieutenant J. D. Lawrence, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st July, 1943. Dated 14th July, 1944.
Lieutenant C. S. M. Evison, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 18th August, 1943. Dated 15th July, 1944.
Lieutenant W. T. Fagg, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 18th August, 1943.

Lieutenant H. P. McK. Keenan, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st July, 1943. Dated 18th July, 1944. Lieutenant H. C. Veitch, and is reposted to The Wellington West Coast Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st January, 1943. Dated 18th July, 1944. Lieutenant E. M. P. Flaws, and is reposted to The N.Z. Scottish Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 9th April, 1943. Dated 18th July, 1944. Lieutenant S. Patrick, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 18th August, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944. Lieutenant K. A. Jeffrey, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 18th August, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944. Lieutenant O. W. MacDonald, N.Z. Artillery, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 18th September, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1944. The Rev. A. H. Lowden, Chaplain, 4th Class (Presbyterian), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 28th May, 1940. Dated 12th July, 1944.
The Rev. T. H. Carr, Chaplain, 4th Class (Methodist), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 18th May, 1942. Dated 14th July, 1944.
Sister G. Carruth (*née* Beath), N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 17th October, 1940. Dated 5th January, 1943. With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 57, dated 6th July, 1944, relative to Sister E. M. Patterson (*née* Stevenson), for "Dated 10th June, 1944", substitute "Dated 20th July, 1944".

OFFICERS STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH OF THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Captain A. T. Shirley, and is posted to The Hauraki Regiment with the temporary rank of Captain, with seniority from 1st December, 1943. Dated 15th July, 1944. Captain H. E. M. Williams, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps,

Captain H. E. M. Williams, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 19th July, 1944.
Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) J. W. Kinder, and is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 21st July, 1944.
Lieutenant F. E. Cox, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 13th July, 1944.
Lieutenant S. J. Bartos, M.C., and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 17th July, 1944.
Lieutenant W. J. Oldham, and is posted to the Retired List.
Dated 20th July, 1944.
Lieutenant G. H. Cotton-Stapleton, and is posted to the Retired List.

Lieutenant G. H. Cotton-Stapleton, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 22nd July, 1944. Lieutenant A. C. McKechnie, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 22nd July, 1944. Lieutenant F. R. Allen, and is posted to The Auckland Regiment (Counters of Ranfurly's Own) with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 16th February, 1943. Dated 26th July, 1944. 2nd Lieutenant W. N. Vautier, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 15th July, 1944. 2nd Lieutenant G. A. P. Skinner, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 18th July, 1944. 2nd Lieutenant A. J. K. Menzies, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 18th July, 1944. 2nd Lieutenant L. E. Orr, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 20th July, 1944. 2nd Lieutenant L. E. Orr, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 20th July, 1944. F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

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Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, and Change of Name of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

Air Department,

Wellington, 28th July, 1944.

IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following encountments the following appointments, promotions, transfers, an change of name of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force :and

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH Appointments

As Pilots-

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 9th May, 1942. Dated 1st July, 1944:---

James Robert Anderson, D.F.C. Trevor Harold Hadley. NZ 2282

NZ 2283

NZ 2284 Henry Anselm STRATTON.

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

Dated 17th November, 1943-NZ 405285 Warrant Officer John KEYS.

Dated 18th April, 1944-NZ 422058 Flight Sergeant Walter James Jennings.

Dated 4th May, 1944-NZ 413125 Warrant Officer Winsbury James Robinson.

Dated 11th May, 1944--NZ 41513 Warrant Officer Stratford Frederick Jupp.

Dated 16th May, 1944-NZ 413873 Warrant Officer Lester Harold MATTSON.