

2ND N.Z. EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (MIDDLE EAST)

APPOINTMENT (SUBSTANTIVE)

Staff

Brigadier W. G. Gentry, D.S.O., O.B.E., is reposted to 2nd N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 21st July, 1944.

2ND N.Z. EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (FIJI)

APPOINTMENT (TEMPORARY)

N.Z. Medical Corps

Captain (*temp.* Major) D. L. Sinclair, M.B., Ch.B., is seconded from the Territorial Force. Dated 1st June, 1944.

APPOINTMENT (SUBSTANTIVE)

N.Z. Medical Corps

Captain (*temp.* Major) D. L. Sinclair's temporary appointment is confirmed. Dated 25th June, 1944.

PROMOTIONS

N.Z. Engineers

2nd Lieutenant C. J. Burley to be *temp.* Lieutenant. Dated 25th July, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) E. E. McCurdy to be Captain. Dated 25th March, 1943.

Captain E. E. McCurdy to be *temp.* Major. Dated 1st June, 1944.

N.Z. Army Service Corps

Lieutenant B. M. Sellers to be *temp.* Captain. Dated 7th June, 1944.

N.Z. Ordnance Corps

2nd Lieutenant T. W. Lawson to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th July, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

Lieutenant J. K. Michelle to be Captain. Dated 15th July, 1944.
2nd Lieutenant G. W. Stanley to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1944.

N.Z. Army Pay Corps

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) F. J. Martin to be Captain. Dated 10th September, 1943.

Captain F. J. Martin to be *temp.* Major. Dated 1st July, 1944.

APPOINTMENT TO COMMISSION

N.Z. Engineers

The undermentioned to be *temp.* Lieutenant :—

461368 Thomas Noel Morrison. Dated 25th July, 1944.
(Without pay and allowances.)

2ND N.Z. EXPEDITIONARY FORCE (TONGA)

PROMOTION

N.Z. Infantry

Lieutenant T. C. Wilson to be *temp.* Captain. Dated 15th February, 1944.

All references to the above-named officer contained in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 35, dated 4th May, 1944, are hereby cancelled.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

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

Air Department,
Wellington, 14th August, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, transfers, and relinquishments 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 25th April, 1944—

NZ 416573 Flight Sergeant Stuart Edward NICOL.

Dated 17th May, 1944—

NZ 425413 Flight Sergeant Ronald Wedgwood BOON.

Dated 18th May, 1944—

NZ 425788 Flight Sergeant Eric Clifton HARRIS.

Dated 24th May, 1944—

NZ 403685 Flight Sergeant Albert Frederick SWAN.

Dated 2nd June, 1944—

NZ 421368 Flight Sergeant Lance Dixon GILBERTSON.

Dated 13th June, 1944—

NZ 415054 Warrant Officer Roy Lawrence AUSTIN.

Dated 23rd June, 1944—

NZ 422440 Flight Sergeant Durham Highet STRACHAN.

Dated 1st July, 1944—

NZ 415255 Flight Sergeant Raoul John WISKER.

NZ 425706 Flight Sergeant Alan McHutchon SPEEDY.

NZ 424508 Flight Sergeant George Trevor PARKER.

NZ 436160 Sergeant Bernard Keith KNOWLES.

Dated 3rd July, 1944—

NZ 416167 Warrant Officer Allan James RENSHAW.

Dated 4th July, 1944—

NZ 428783 Flight Sergeant Neil Banks COUPER.

As Navigators—

Dated 6th June, 1944—

NZ 426031 Flight Sergeant Roy BARCLAY.

Dated 21st June, 1944—

NZ 421378 Flight Sergeant Murray Alexander JONES.

Dated 30th June, 1944—

NZ 41106 Sergeant Robert Gordon DILLON.

NZ 436684 Sergeant Ralph William Dennis LOXTON.

NZ 428181 Sergeant Ivan HISLOP.

NZ 43106 Sergeant Thompson Wayne NICHOLLS.

NZC 433220 Sergeant Ernest Alfred BANCROFT.

NZC 437320 Sergeant Robert Joseph MARSH.

NZC 437353 Sergeant Albert Lemcke TAUWHARE.

NZ 4217048 Sergeant Leslie George HALLAM.

NZ 4217079 Sergeant William Keith AMIES.

NZ 4215117 Sergeant Russell James COX.

NZ 436188 Sergeant Ray Holt STEPHENSON.

Dated 1st July, 1944—

NZ 4213642 Sergeant Thomas Helier VAUTIER.

Dated 7th July, 1944—

NZ 427179 Flight Sergeant Edward Roberts BARLOW.

Dated 22nd July, 1944—

NZ 2290 Owen William Gladstone LEWIS.

NZ 2291 Phillip John WILSON.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

Dated 30th June, 1944—

NZC 43465 Sergeant John Alexander DIXIE.

NZ 425294 Sergeant Louis Cudworth SINCLAIR.

NZC 4211675 Sergeant David Bruce SINCLAIR.

NZ 4214657 Sergeant Ernest CHERITON.

NZC 43460 Sergeant Ormond Harold CHRISTOPHER.

NZ 431722 Sergeant George Joseph WOODBERRY.

NZ 4212703 Sergeant Frederick Venn HILTON.

As Air Bombers—

Dated 10th June, 1944—

NZ 416659 Flight Sergeant Allin James McNEIL.

Dated 30th June, 1944—

NZ 42832 Sergeant Norris SIMMONS.

NZ 438670 Sergeant Daniel Ian WALKER.

NZ 427907 Sergeant Reginald James OWENS.

NZ 4216108 Sergeant Maurice Joseph O'SULLIVAN.

NZ 4212742 Sergeant Allan Gibson BAIRD.

As Air Gunner—

Dated 1st July, 1944—

NZ 401431 Warrant Officer James Kitchener CALLISTER,
D.F.M.

Promotions

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Stanley Gilbert QUILL to be Acting Wing Commander (paid). Dated 1st May, 1944.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants (*temp.*) to be Acting Squadron Leaders (paid) :—

Dated 1st July, 1944 : Frank Albert ANDREWS, D.F.C.

Dated 10th July, 1944—

Robert Wilson McSKIMMING. William Keith PATERSON.

The undermentioned Flying Officers (*temp.*) to be Acting Flight Lieutenants (paid) :—

Dated 20th May, 1944 : John Murray FRASER.

Dated 1st July, 1944—

John Malcolm PAYNTER. Ronald Clifford MASTERS.

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

Dated 6th March, 1944 : William Robert MACKRELL.

Dated 1st May, 1944—

Peter Morison DUNCAN.

Walter George MORRIN.

Allan Thomas BLACK.

Laurence Charles CHEGWIDDEN.

Malcolm CHISHOLM.

William George Percival HEARD.

Reginald Harold MATHER.

Ian Alexander MURDOCH.

Wendell Craig PHILLIPS.

William Henry SMART.

Francis Clark THOMSON.

Ian Leslie WALTON.

John Cecil CANTLON.

Harold Binnie CASSIE.

Charles Arthur EDEN.

Jack Edward FRETHEY.

Robert James FINLAYSON.

Reginald John Forrest REID.

Norman Ernest BAILEY.

Harry BAINBRIDGE.

Ronald Baden BELSHAM.

William David Messert BEN-

NETT.

Robert Carter BLANCHARD.

Owen Lawrence BYRNE.

Kenneth Albert CAMELL.

Graham Hunter FRENCH.

Robert GIBB.

Horace Cuthbert HENWOOD.

Clifford David LETT.

Alexander McKenzie MCLEOD.

Edward Ashton MORTIMER.

Leo Patrick O'SULLIVAN.

Cecil Francis SAUL.

William John SHANNAHAN.

Na'Pierre Creighton VAUGHAN.

Richard Daniel WANDEN.

Dated 15th May, 1944—

Roy RILEY.

Noel Raymond HAGLUND.

Owen Edward GIRVEN.

Charles Allan HUDSON.