N.Z. Signals

2nd Lieutenant W. J. Scholefield to be temp. Captain. Dated 15th July, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

Major A. Awatere, M.C., to be temp. Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1944. Captain J. Matehaere, M.C., to be temp. Major. Dated 25th

July, 1944.

N.Z. Dental Corps

Captain R. D. Stewart to be temp. Major. Dated 24th July, 1944.

N.Z. Army Pay Corps

2nd Lieutenant A. D. Gatrell to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 31st July, 1944.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Infantru

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) S. G. Pearce relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain and assumes the acting rank of Captain. Dated 7th August, 1944.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) J. G. Pitcairn relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 8th August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) W. G. Norris relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 8th August, 1944.

N.Z. Army Pay Corps

Captain (temp. Major) D. D. Purves relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) D. S. W. Bleakley relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 31st July, 1944.

N.Z. Army Nursing Service

Sister (temp. Charge Sister) A. J. Pitcaithley relinquishes the temporary rank of Charge Sister. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

RELINQUISHMENTS OF ACTING RANK

N.Z. Armoured Corps

The undermentioned Captains (Acting-Majors) relinquish the acting rank of Major :-

G. Baker.

C. A. Latimer.

Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Divisional Cavalry

Captain (Acting-Major) R. A. M. MacDonald relinquishes the acting rank of Major. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

Captain (Acting-Major) F. M. Fisher relinquishes the acting rank of Major. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (Acting-Lieutenants) relinquish the acting rank of Lieutenant:-

S. L. Baker.

C. Dennistoun-Wood.

Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Engineers

Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) K. F. McLauchlan relinquishes the acting rank of Captain. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Captains (Acting-Majors) -relinquish the acting rank of Major :-

C. S. Wroth.

K. J. Frazer.

Dated 2nd August, 1944.

The undermentioned Lieutenants (Acting-Captains) relinquish the acting rank of Captain:

H. W. Chambers. L. C. Friend.

P. Robertson. N. Buchanan.

A. F. Cooper. F. S. Hallett.

Dated 2nd August, 1944.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (Acting-Lieutenants) relinquish the acting rank of Lieutenant:—

H. H. Brandon. F. N. Twigg.

J. A. Bevin. C. Findlay. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Electrical and Mechanical Engineers

Captain (Acting-Major) A. D. Merson relinquishes the acting rank of Major. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant (Acting-Lieutenant) F. J. Webber relinquishes the acting rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

N.Z. Army Service Corps

Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) R. D. Kennerley relinquishes the acting rank of Captain. Dated 2nd August, 1944.

SENIORITY

N.Z. Army Nursing Service

Charge Sister E. M. C. Noble is granted seniority as a Charge Sister as from 1st March, 1943, next after Charge Sister M. E. Taafe, with pay and allowances dating from 7th June, 1943.

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:-

31296 George Douglas Stuart, N.Z.M.C.

40140 Ian Talbot, N.Z.O.C.

Dated 10th July, 1944. Dated 15th July, 1944.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Subaltern:-

48390 Mrs. Katherine Joyce Webb, N.Z.W.A.A.C. (Gen.

Dated 25th July, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, and Relinquishments of Temporary Rank of Officers on Active Service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East)

Army Department,
Wellington, 5th October, 1944.

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. 156, dated 18th August, 1944:—

Promotions

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) R. L. McGaffin, E.D., to be Colonel. Dated 11th August, 1944.

N.Z. Artillery

2nd Lieutenant F. N. Keane to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th August, 1944.

N.Z. Signals

Captain (temp. Major) N. R. Ingle to be Major. Dated 18th April, 1944.

Lieutenant J. Ayto (prisoner of war) to be Captain. Dated

1st June, 1944.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) J. W. Bateman to be Captain. Dated 1st June, 1944.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:-

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) D. W. Farquharson. Lieutenant (temp. Captain) W. C. Wylie. Dated 30th March, 1944.

C. R. Kemp. Dated 25th April, 1944. Lieutenant (temp. Captain) D. L. Wood. Dated 4th July, 1944.

J. C. Hepburn. Dated 22nd July, 1944.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:-

W. A. D. Caldwell. 2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) C. M. Moncrieff.

P. Robson.

H. Falwasser.
Dated 14th August, 1944.

N.Z. Medical Corps

Lieutenant-Colonel W. B. Fisher to be Colonel. Dated 10th August, 1944.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

A. E. Erenstrom. Dated 25th July, 1944.P. J. Brown.G. L. M. Scholefield.

G. L. M. Scholeneig. Captain (temp.) Major D. P. Kennedy. Dated 30th July, 1944.

N.Z. Electrical and Mechanical Engineers

Lieutenant J. D. Ellis to be Captain. Dated 1st August, 1944. The undermentioned Lieutenants (temp. Captains) to be Captains

J. M. Wilson J. D. M. Gerrie.

W. H. D. Carpenter.

T. E. Foley

E. C. Sutcliffe. R. R. Grylls-Thomas.

H. O. Nuttall.

Dated 1st August, 1944.

N.Z. Army Nursing Service

Charge Sister (temp. Matron) E. F. Worn to be Matron. Dated 14th August, 1944.

GRANTS OF TEMPORARY RANK

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Lieutenant-Colonel R. L. McGaffin, E.D., to be temp. Colonel.

Dated 1st August, 1944.

Major A. M. Everist to be temp. Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st August, 1944.

The undermentioned Captains to be temp. Majors:-

J. H. Hutchinson. Dated 9th July, 1944. S. J. Wilson. Dated 31st July, 1944. W. H. Ellingham. Dated 7th August, 1944. F. P. Koorey. Dated 11th August, 1944.