

Lieutenant A. C. West, N.Z. Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st October, 1941. Dated 6th October, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant J. L. Knowles, and is reposted to The Canterbury Regiment with the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority from 1st April, 1943. Dated 20th July, 1943.

2nd Lieutenant (*temp.* Lieutenant) B. E. Mackenzie, and is reposted to The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment with the temporary rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 20th December, 1943. Dated 4th September, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant R. S. Watson, and is reposted to The Taranaki Regiment with the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority from 30th March, 1942. Dated 7th October, 1944.

Rev. N. W. Berridge, Chaplain, 4th Class (Roman Catholic), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 29th July, 1941. Dated 30th September, 1944.

H. Goffin, Chaplain, 4th Class (Salvation Army), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 10th June, 1940. Dated 1st October, 1944.

Rev. L. R. Usmar, Chaplain, 4th Class (Church of Christ), N.Z. Chaplains Department, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Chaplain, 4th Class, with seniority from 29th February, 1944. Dated 3rd October, 1944.

Sister E. H. C. Clemens, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 20th August, 1943. Dated 7th October, 1944.

Sister J. G. Watson, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 31st October, 1940. Dated 4th October, 1944.

Sister S. F. Marcroft, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 3rd November, 1942. Dated 6th October, 1944.

Sister J. Z. Garbett (*née* Saunders), N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 17th October, 1941. Dated 7th October, 1944.

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

Captain G. Butler, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 7th October, 1944.

Lieutenant W. F. Heath, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 6th October, 1944.

Lieutenant D. Foord, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 7th October, 1944.

Lieutenant C. W. Trafford, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 7th October, 1944.

Lieutenant H. Marsden, and is posted to the Retired List. Dated 9th October, 1944.

2nd Lieutenant B. H. Kelly, and is posted to the N.Z. Corps of Signals with the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority from 6th November, 1943. Dated 24th September, 1944.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

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

Air Department,
Wellington, 13th October, 1944.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments, promotions, transfer, relinquishments, and change of name 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 6th May, 1944—

NZ 422054 Flight Sergeant George Edward BRANCHER.

Dated 2nd August, 1944—

NZC 4211615 Flight Sergeant Francis Charles MATTHEWS.

Dated 16th August, 1944—

NZ 416314 Flight Sergeant Albert Ernest EDWARDS.

Dated 18th August, 1944—

NZ 428186 Flight Sergeant Ian Hamilton BYERS.

Dated 19th August, 1944—

NZ 412612 Warrant Officer Robert Jack THORNTON.

Dated 22nd August, 1944—

NZ 427551 Flight Sergeant Roderick Bruce CRAWFORD.

Dated 23rd August, 1944—

NZ 39774 Flight Sergeant Mons Edwin MURRELL.

Dated 30th August, 1944—

NZ 41985 Warrant Officer Neil GUSTOFSON.

Dated 31st August, 1944—

NZ 40987 Warrant Officer William Henry RUSSELL.

Dated 1st September, 1944—

NZ 415704 Warrant Officer Robert Harold LOWRY.

NZ 416165 Warrant Officer Christopher David John REGAN.

Dated 4th September, 1944—

NZ 427853 Flight Sergeant William Joseph PETERSEN.

NZ 427541 Flight Sergeant John Wood FURNISS.

Dated 6th September, 1944—

NZ 425828 Flight Sergeant Donald CONNOP.

Dated 7th September, 1944—

NZ 427528 Flight Sergeant Charles Neville MARTIN.

Dated 8th September, 1944—

NZ 422449 Flight Sergeant Kevin Emmett LAVIN.

Dated 9th September, 1944—

NZ 425628 Flight Sergeant Philip Samuel WESTON.

NZ 426232 Flight Sergeant Edward Kimpton WHITE-CHURCH.

NZ 427822 Flight Sergeant Roland Leslie WERNER.

NZC 427019 Flight Sergeant Noel Sommervell CULPAN.

Dated 10th September, 1944—

NZ 427530 Flight Sergeant Ian Kirk ADAMS.

As Navigators—

Dated 4th August, 1944—

NZ 416631 Warrant Officer Alan Douglas CROSS.

Dated 5th August, 1944—

NZ 401437 Warrant Officer Walter Thomas KILLGOUR.

Dated 20th August, 1944—

NZ 413026 Warrant Officer Willis Livingstone COMBS.

Dated 2nd September, 1944—

NZ 421494 Flight Sergeant James Douglas BALFOUR.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunners—

Dated 6th August, 1944—

NZ 404109 Warrant Officer David Athol WHITWELL.

Dated 10th August, 1944—

NZ 414875 Warrant Officer Maurice James HARRISON.

Dated 19th August, 1944—

NZ 41148 Warrant Officer Ronald David BENNETT.

Dated 22nd August, 1944—

NZ 415668 Warrant Officer Brian Cameron John WALL.

Dated 1st September, 1944—

NZ 413768 Warrant Officer Alexander McPHERSON.

As Air Bombers—

Dated 18th August, 1944—

NZ 426219 Flight Sergeant Eric Clifton HEWITT.

Dated 4th September, 1944—

NZ 421665 Warrant Officer Bruce BENNETTS.

Dated 5th September, 1944—

NZ 422176 Flight Sergeant Noel Kenderdine BRABANT.

As Air Gunner—

Dated 7th August, 1944—

NZ 422701 Flight Sergeant Bruce Grandville FISHER.

Promotions

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Lloyd Hern PARRY to be Acting Wing Commander (paid). Dated 1st October, 1944.

Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Ralph Richard HUDSON to be Acting Squadron Leader (paid). Dated 17th September, 1944.

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

Dated 31st August, 1944: Richard Bruce BERNEY, D.F.M.

Dated 5th September, 1944—

Donald Henry PRICE. John Hector MACDONALD.
Leonard Francis BROSAHAN. Brian Stephen SPAIN.

Dated 7th September, 1944: George Duncan ASKEW.

Dated 11th September, 1944—

Keith Bernard ROGERS, D.F.C. Leslie Blair STICHBURY.
Edward Guy PIERCE. Henry George Fuller COX.
John Frederick Arthur NEEDHAM. Hubert Crawford BARLOW,
Harold Norman BURROWS. D.F.C.
Lindsay Stewart DIXON. Alexander John McDONALD.
Norman Benjamin BLAKEY, D.F.C. Sydney John IVIL.
Nelson Hugh BAWDEN.

Dated 12th September, 1944: George Steele COSGRAVE.

Dated 13th September, 1944: Maurice Damien CULLINANE, D.F.C.

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

Dated 9th January, 1944: Raymond Richard Andrew McLAUCHLAN.

Dated 5th April, 1944: Euan Royde WORNS.

Dated 3rd June, 1944: Horace Victor SOLE.

Dated 13th June, 1944—

Ivan Francis GREEN. Ronald Francis DODDS.

Dated 3rd August, 1944: Joseph Nolan CULLETON.

Dated 5th August, 1944: Keith Hugh FRASER.

Dated 21st August, 1944: James Turner TRINGHAM.

Dated 5th September, 1944—

Charles Edward ANSLEY, D.F.C.
Clifford Ralph MILLER.

Dated 6th September, 1944—

John Connell BROWN. Ritchie MILLAR.

Dated 7th September, 1944—

Lawrence Furby CROFT. Douglas James DICKIE.

Dated 8th September, 1944—

Edward Charles WILSON. Kevin Michael COTTER.

Dated 9th September, 1944—

Francis Henry James PHELOUNG.
Trevor Henry MORRISON.

Dated 10th September, 1944—

George HARDY. Thomas William GREEN.
Ernest Lindsay JONES. Malcolm Joseph CORICH, D.F.M.
Laurence Richard MACDONALD.

Dated 11th September, 1944—

Kenneth Henry SUTHERLAND. Ian Robertson McKenzie WEIR.

Dated 13th September, 1944—

Murray McLaren MILNE. George Collingwood FORREST.

Dated 14th September, 1944—

Robert May DWERRYHOUSE.
Esmund Cecil William ANDERSON.

Richard Edward Alan WORTH.

Allenby HARRISON.

Joseph William LENNON.