

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

Army Department,
Wellington, 1st September, 1945.

HIS 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. 203, dated 13th July, 1945:—

PROMOTIONS

COMMANDS AND STAFF

Lieutenant-Colonel (*temp.* Brigadier) L. W. Thornton, O.B.E., to be Colonel (*temp.* Brigadier). Dated 26th June, 1945.

N.Z. Divisional Cavalry

Major (*temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel) V. J. Tanner, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 31st May, 1945.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Majors (*temp.* Lieutenant-Colonels) to be Lieutenant-Colonels:—

K. H. Macdonald, M.C.	D. G. Grant, M.C.
A. W. Barnett, M.C.	

Dated 31st May, 1945.

The undermentioned to be Majors:—

Captain M. M. Cooper.	
Captain (<i>temp.</i> Major) I. T. Galloway.	

Dated 17th May, 1945.

Captain (*temp.* Major) H. R. Cameron.

Captains—
R. V. Milne. D. F. Muir.

Captain (*temp.* Major) A. H. Revell.
Captain J. H. Sheild.
Captain (*temp.* Major) R. H. Spicer.

Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains)—
J. S. Baker, M.C. B. G. Christy, M.C.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Major) W. S. L. McRae.
Dated 31st May, 1945.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Major) W. Reedy to be Captain (*temp.* Major). Dated 31st May, 1945.

The undermentioned to be Captains:—

Lieutenants (*temp.* Captains)—
W. J. Woodhouse. P. A. M. Brant.

Lieutenants—
S. H. Urlich. W. Ngata.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) J. Carr.

Lieutenants—
N. Mahuika. M. Searancke.

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) J. H. Waititi.

Lieutenants—
P. Robson. P. Francis.
Dated 31st May, 1945.

N.Z. Education and Rehabilitation Service

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) C. H. Williams to be Captain. Dated 15th February, 1945.

N.Z. Postal Corps

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) W. N. Hawkins to be Captain. Dated 31st May, 1945.

GRANTS OF TEMPORARY RANK

N.Z. Armoured Corps

Captain W. C. T. Foley to be *temp.* Major. Dated 23rd May, 1945.

N.Z. Artillery

Captain P. S. Thomson to be *temp.* Major. Dated 16th June, 1945.

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

S. D. V. Dickey.	Dated 14th June, 1945.
W. P. Maxwell.	I. R. Diggle.

Dated 16th June, 1945.

2nd Lieutenant P. A. West to be *temp.* Lieutenant. Dated 16th June, 1945.

N.Z. Engineers

Lieutenant J. L. Lawson to be *temp.* Captain. Dated 15th June, 1945.

N.Z. Infantry

Major R. Boord to be *temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th July, 1945.

Captain A. Alison to be *temp.* Major. Dated 6th July, 1945.

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

J. R. McCorquindale.	R. Bartlett.
B. S. Lendrum.	T. F. P. Hanrahan.

Dated 14th May, 1945.

W. H. Hobbs. Dated 24th June, 1945.

J. R. Williams.	D. H. Lloyd.
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Dated 6th July, 1945.

N.Z. Dental Corps

Captain H. A.C. G. Fitzgerald to be *temp.* Major. Dated 8th July, 1945.

N.Z. Education and Rehabilitation Service

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

R. D. McEwan.	P. H. W. Nevill.
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Dated 17th June, 1945.

GRANT OF ACTING RANK

N.Z. Army Pay Corps

Captain G. W. H. Fraser is granted the acting rank of Major. Dated 7th July, 1945.

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Artillery

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) D. M. Belton relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 14th June, 1945.

N.Z. Infantry

The undermentioned Lieutenants (*temp.* Majors) relinquish the temporary rank of Major and assume the acting rank of Major:—

W. T. Swanson.	Dated 8th July, 1945.
J. Wells.	Dated 13th July, 1945.

N.Z. Electrical and Mechanical Engineers

2nd Lieutenant (*temp.* Lieutenant) H. G. Birkett relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant and assumes the acting rank of Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1945.

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

800385	Edward William Round, N.Z.A.C.
253028	Glyn Lawrence Tucker, N.Z.A.S.C.
632846	Harry Meltzer, N.Z.A.S.C.
505295	Samuel James Sampson, N.Z.A.S.C.
466556	Raymond Augustus Witbrock, N.Z.A.S.C.
610089	Keith Stothard Brown, N.Z.O.C.
379938	Patrick Arthur Fear, N.Z.O.C.
527091	Herbert Duncan Thomson, N.Z.O.C.

Dated 5th July, 1945.

CORRIGENDA

TEMPORARY RANK RELINQUISHED

N.Z. Infantry

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 51, dated 2nd August, 1945 (*vide* List No. 199), relative to 2nd Lieutenant (*temp.* Lieutenant) F. C. Platt, is hereby cancelled.

N.Z. Armoured Corps

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 56, dated 30th August, 1945 (*vide* List No. 202), relative to Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) G. T. Kerr, is hereby cancelled.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

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HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to confirm the following promotions and relinquishments of temporary rank of officers on active service with the 2nd New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Middle East), *vide* List No. 204, dated 20th July, 1945:—

PROMOTIONS

N.Z. Engineers

Lieutenant A. A. Keller to be Captain. Dated 27th April, 1945.

N.Z. Army Service Corps

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants:—

2nd Lieutenants—	
E. G. Legge.	J. S. Davey.
2nd Lieutenants (<i>temp.</i> Lieutenants)—	
W. G. Budge.	R. N. Campbell.

Dated 17th July, 1945.