

Relinquishments

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commissions:—

Dated 7th September, 1947: NZ 411575 Flight Lieutenant Vernon Hector Waggstaff GROVES.

Dated 16th September, 1947: NZ 4213261 Flying Officer Joshua Raymond HICKS.

Amendment

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 87, dated 12th December, 1946, page 1870, under the heading "Reserve of Air Force Officers—Transfers," relating to NZ 4216242 Flight Lieutenant Raymond Mansell DAVIES, is amended to read "NZ 4216247 Flight Lieutenant Raymond Mansell DAVIES. Dated 15th January, 1947."

RETIRED LIST

NZ 1010 Squadron Leader (*temp.* Wing Commander, Acting Group Captain) Thomas James DENTON, O.B.E., is placed on the Retired List with the rank of Group Captain. Dated 21st September, 1947.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 6th October, 1947.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Arthur Morice Gouling, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wellington, *vice* J. L. Stout, Esquire, S.M., as from 1st October, 1947.

H. G. R. MASON, Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Member of Auckland Revaluation Committee

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 30th September, 1947.

PURSUANT to the powers and authorities conferred on me by section 216 of the Land Act, 1924, I, Clarence Farrington Skinner, Minister of Lands for the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

Sydney Marshall, of Omokoroa, Farmer,

to be a member of the Revaluation Committee for the Auckland Land District, *vice* Samuel Steele, deceased.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. 32/1.)

Trustee of the Wanganui Racecourse Reserve appointed

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 7th October, 1947.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the Wanganui and Rangitikei Racecourses Act, 1862, and the Acts Interpretation Act, 1924, been pleased to appoint

Anthony Maurice Earle

to be a trustee of the Wanganui Racecourse Reserve, in place of Maurice Earle, deceased.

D. M. GREIG, Under-Secretary for Lands.

(L. and S. 1/1184.)

Appointments in the Public Service

Office of the Public Service Commission,
Wellington, 29th September, 1947.

THE Public Service Commission has made the following appointments in the Public Service:—

Kenneth George Coles

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Apiaries Act, 1927, on and from the 4th day of August, 1947.

Ray Goddard

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Apiaries Act, 1927, on and from the 4th day of August, 1947.

Geoffrey Wesley Manning

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Apiaries Act, 1927, on and from the 4th day of August, 1947.

Clifford Lomas Cox

to be Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Gisborne Land District for the purposes of the Land Act, 1924, on and from the 22nd day of September, 1947.

William Shattock Jones

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Pahiataua for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1928, and Maintenance Officer at Pahiataua for the purposes of the Destitute Persons Amendment Act, 1926, on and from the 1st day of October, 1947.

Leslie William Louisson

to be Maintenance Officer at the Magistrates' Court at Waitara for the purposes of the Destitute Persons Amendment Act, 1926, on and from the 16th day of September, 1947.

Raymond Spencer Ridgley

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Rakaumanga, on and from the 7th day of July, 1947.

Leslie George Spiller

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Te Mahia, on and from the 14th day of July, 1947

Karl Thomas Hansen

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Raupunga, on and from the 14th day of July, 1947.

George John Robertshaw

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Helensville, on and from the 3rd day of September, 1947.

Richard Melbourne Marsh

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Anaura Bay, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Claude Melvin Harford

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Te Mahia, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Thomas McGregor Dick

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Moehau, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Charles William Devonshire

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Tanoa, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

George Eric Wight

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Otukou, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Phoebe Garrey (Miss)

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Ohautira, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Leslie George Spiller

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Lake Ohia, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Thomas Alan Tait

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Rakaumanga, on and from the 8th day of September, 1947.

Leonard Hans Ihle

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Waitara, on and from the 10th day of September, 1947, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Waitara, on and from the 10th day of September, 1947.

Charles Gordon McGregor

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Apiti, on and from the 11th day of September, 1947.

Albert Ernest Lockett

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Rongotea, on and from the 12th day of September, 1947.

John Joseph King

to be Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Nelson, on and from the 15th day of September, 1947.

L. A. ATKINSON, Secretary.

By-laws under the Rotorua Borough Act, 1922

WHEREAS by section 8 of the Rotorua Borough Act, 1922, all electric light and power works theretofore provided, erected, or constructed by the Crown in or in connection with the Town of Rotorua remain vested in the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, as incorporated by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, and the Rotorua Borough Act, 1922:

And whereas in respect of these works the said Department has and may exercise all the powers for the time being conferred by law on Borough Councils, except the power to borrow money by way of special loan or to make and levy any rate:

And whereas by licences granted by the Governor-General in Council, as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 5th November, 1931, and 1st October, 1936, respectively, the said Department is authorized to generate electricity and erect electric lines within the Borough of Rotorua and portion of the County of Rotorua as set out in the Schedules of the said licence:

Now, therefore, the said Department, in pursuance of the powers hereinbefore recited and all other powers thereunto enabling it, doth hereby amend By-law 35 made on the 24th day of January, 1944, and published in the *Gazette* on the 27th day of the same month, at page 59, by revoking the following words in the part headed "(A) Domestic"—namely, the words "(c) If a switch, or the means of control, is supplied by the Department the consumer shall pay rent for such at the rate of 1s. per month," and doth hereby declare that such revocation shall take effect on and after the 1st day of November, 1947.

Given under the common seal of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, as incorporated under the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, and the Rotorua Borough Act, 1922, and under the hand of the Minister in Charge of the said Department, this 7th day of October, 1947.

W. E. PARRY,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts.