

Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) I. C. J. Craig, and is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain. Dated 23rd November, 1947.

Lieutenant R. J. H. Leete, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 29th November, 1947.

Lieutenant G. B. Fea, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 1st December, 1947.

Sister (Acting Charge Sister) N. G. Hamblin, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Reserve List with the rank of Sister. Dated 30th November, 1947.

H. R. Cross, Esq., War Correspondent. Dated 23rd November, 1947.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

#### *Appointments and Transfers of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force*

Air Department,  
Wellington, 4th December, 1947.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointments and transfers of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

#### GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

##### *Appointments*

As Navigator—

NZ 404921 Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Ivan Reid MITCHELL, D.F.C., relinquishes his temporary commission and is granted a permanent commission in his present rank and seniority. Dated 1st August, 1947.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their temporary commissions and are granted extended-service commissions for a period of two years in their present rank and seniority. Dated 1st April, 1947:—

As Navigator/Wireless Operator—

NZ 402830 Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Ernest James DYER.

As Wireless Operator/Air Gunner—

NZ 422733 Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Charles Edward Ponui SWANN.

#### MEDICAL BRANCH

##### *Appointment*

NZ 2527 John Laurence MALCOLM, M.B., Ch.B., on relinquishing his commission in the Royal New Zealand Army Medical Corps, is granted a commission in the rank of Flight Lieutenant with seniority as from 1st October, 1943, and is transferred to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class B, Section I. Dated 23rd October, 1947.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE AND SPECIAL DUTIES BRANCH, SECTION II (A.T.C.)

##### *Appointment*

Harold William WALKER is granted an Air Training Corps Commission in the rank of Pilot Officer. Dated 22nd October, 1947.

#### RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

##### *Transfers*

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class A, Section I:—

Dated 5th July, 1947: NZ 411878 Flight Lieutenant Leslie Gerald FOWLER, D.F.C.

Dated 16th July, 1947: NZ 2168 Squadron Leader Richard George MADDOX, A.F.C.

Dated 9th September, 1947: NZ 429291 Flight Lieutenant William George BIRNIE.

##### *Amendment*

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 83, dated 21st November, 1946, page 1769, under the heading "Reserve of Air Force Officers—Transfers," relating to "Flying Officer Solomon Henry WERNER," is amended to read "Dated 28th December, 1946."

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

#### *Appointments of Vice-Consuls of the United States of America at Wellington provisionally recognized*

Ministry of External Affairs,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1947.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that the appointments of

Forrest N. Daggett, Esquire, and  
Armistead Mason Lee, Esquire,

as Vice-Consuls of the United States of America at Wellington have been provisionally recognized.

P. FRASER, Minister of External Affairs.

#### *Appointment of Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Wellington provisionally recognized*

Ministry of External Affairs,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1947.

**I**T is hereby notified for public information that the appointment of

Robert Emmet Riordan, Esquire,  
as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Wellington has been provisionally recognized.

P. FRASER, Minister of External Affairs.

#### *Maori Interpreters appointed*

Department of Maori Affairs,  
Wellington, 25th November, 1947.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to authorize

Vivian Tamatehura Nicholls, of Coromandel,  
Heikahurangi Rogers, of Kaikohe, and  
Peter Ngamoki, of Wellington,

to act as Interpreters of the First Grade under the provisions of the Maori Land Act, 1931, and the regulations made thereunder.

P. FRASER, Minister of Maori Affairs.

#### *Member of Licensing Committee appointed*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 8th December, 1947.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Alfred Coleman, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Manawatu from the 5th December, 1947, *vice* C. C. Marsack, Esquire, S.M.

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

#### *Member of Harbour Board appointed*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 3rd December, 1947.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 17 of the Harbours Act, 1923, and of the provisions of section 20 of the same Act, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, appointed until the last Wednesday of April, 1950—

James Douglas Hislop

to be a member of the Bay of Islands Harbour Board as from the 3rd day of December, 1947.

F. HACKETT, Minister of Marine.

#### *Appointing a Chairman of the Goods-service Charges Tribunal*

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (2) and (3) of Regulation 3 of the Goods-service Charges Tribunal Emergency Regulations 1943,\* the Minister of Transport doth hereby—

- (1) Appoint His Honour Judge Kendrick Gee Archer, of Wellington, as Chairman of the Goods-service Charges Tribunal for a term expiring on the 30th day of June, 1948;
- (2) Declare that the said appointment shall take effect on the 1st day of January, 1948.

Dated at Wellington, this 4th day of December, 1947.

F. HACKETT, Minister of Transport.

\* Statutory Regulations 1943, Serial number 1943/40, page 75.  
Amendment No. 1: Statutory Regulations 1943, Serial number 1943/123, page 275.  
Amendment No. 2: Statutory Regulations 1944, Serial number 1944/182, page 515.  
Amendment No. 3: Statutory Regulations, 1945, Serial number 1945/87, page 207.

(TT. 19/12/1; 3/36.)

#### *Member of the Tokarahi Rabbit Board appointed.—(Notice No. Ag. 4477)*

**P**URSUANT to section 37 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1928, the Minister of Agriculture doth hereby appoint

George Herbert Stewart,

being an Inspector appointed under Part I of the said Act, to be a member of the Tokarahi Rabbit Board, *vice* Arthur Ingram.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of December, 1947.

EDWARD CULLEN, Minister of Agriculture.

#### *Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 9th December, 1947.

**I**T is hereby notified that the following appointments have been made:—

Roy Albert Norman

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Whareponga, on and from the 17th day of November, 1947.

Margaret Isadore Coad (Mrs.)

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Ohautira, on and from the 17th day of November, 1947.