

OFFICERS CEASING TO BE SECONDED TO THE 2ND NEW ZEALAND  
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Captain (*temp.* Colonel) T. H. Pettit, M.B., Ch.B., The Royal N.Z. Army Medical Corps, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the temporary rank of Colonel, with seniority from 2nd April, 1947. Dated 19th January, 1948.

Sister M. E. Ryan, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, and is reposted to the Territorial Force with the rank of Sister, with seniority from 1st June, 1946. Dated 11th February, 1948.

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

Major H. S. Harbott, M.B.E., and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 19th January, 1948.

Captain R. B. G. Chadwick, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 18th February, 1948.

Lieutenant J. R. Adams, and is posted to the N.Z. Temporary Staff with the temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1948.

Lieutenant H. W. R. Petersen, and is posted to the N.Z. Temporary Staff with the temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd February, 1948.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, dated 23rd January, 1948, relative to Captain F. J. Leckie, for "Dated 27th December, 1947," substitute "Dated 29th December, 1947."

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

*Relinquishments and Transfers of Officers of the Royal New Zealand  
Air Force*

Air Department,  
Wellington, 4th March, 1948.

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

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Relinquishment*

NZ 2426 Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Robert James NEAL, D.F.C., relinquishes his commission. Dated 13th February, 1948.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH, SECTION I: EQUIPMENT OFFICERS

*Relinquishment*

Accountant Duties—

NZ 38216 Flying Officer (*temp.*) Lester Walker SMITH relinquishes his commission. Dated 5th February, 1948.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

*Transfer*

NZ 401255 Flying Officer Michael Grant COOKE is transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class B, Section I. Dated 23rd January, 1948.

*Relinquishments*

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commissions:—

Dated 31st December, 1947: NZ 1428 Flying Officer Jack Howard CLARKE, B.Sc.

Dated 1st February, 1948—

NZ 2376 Squadron Leader Eric William PEARCE.

NZ 431511 Flying Officer Walter Harry BICKLEY.

Dated 2nd February, 1948: NZ 415695 Flying Officer William Dudley HOLMES.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

*Relinquishments and Transfers of Officers of the Royal New Zealand  
Air Force*

Air Department,  
Wellington, 6th March, 1948.

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

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

*Relinquishments*

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commissions:—

Dated 26th December, 1947: NZ 414247 Flying Officer (*temp.*) Raymond CHESNEY.

Dated 11th February, 1948: NZ 421402 Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) John Clement STUART, D.F.C.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

*Transfers*

NZ 4210938 Flying Officer John James COYLE is transferred from the Active List to the Reserve of Air Force Officers, Class A, Section I. Dated 30th November, 1947.

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

Dated 29th January, 1948: NZ 37169 Flight Lieutenant Walter Victor Ashleigh PHEAR.

Dated 19th February, 1948: NZ 2509 Flight Lieutenant Eric Paul BEASTED, M.B., Ch.B.

*Relinquishments*

The undermentioned officers relinquish their commissions:—

Dated 1st February, 1948: NZ 415724 Flight Lieutenant William John SMITH.

Dated 15th February, 1948: NZ 4211272 Flight Lieutenant Donald Cuthbert CURTIS.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

*Maori Interpreters appointed*

Department of Maori Affairs,  
Wellington, 25th February, 1948.

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

James Rangi, of Gisborne, and  
Hirone Wikiriwhi, of Whakarewarewa,

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.

*Coroner appointed*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 10th March, 1948.

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

Edward Stace Hylton, Esquire, J.P.,

of Tauranga, to be a Coroner for the Dominion of New Zealand.

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

*Justice of the Peace Resigns*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 10th March, 1948.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by

Thomas Anderson, Esquire,

of Port Chalmers, of his office of Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand and its dependencies.

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

*Judge of Assessment Courts for Dunedin City and Green Island  
Borough appointed*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 4th March, 1948.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of section 26 of the Rating Act, 1925, to appoint

Henry Wilfred Bundle, Esquire,

Stipendiary Magistrate, of Dunedin, to be Judge of the Assessment Courts for Dunedin City and Green Island Borough.

W. E. PARRY, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 100/57/4.)

*Appointment of Bobby Calf Pool Committee*

**P**URSUANT to the Bobby Calf Marketing Regulations 1947, notice is hereby given that the following persons, namely—

William St. Paul,  
Stanley Scott Hancock,  
Henry Ashby,  
Robert Louis Ritchie,  
Sinclair Ivan Eyre,  
James Ernest Crisp,  
James William Lane,  
Whitley Renout,  
John Reginald Lane,  
John Carruthers Blundell,  
Alec Kenneth Smith, and  
Frank Albert Luke

are duly appointed to be the first members of the Clevedon Bobby Calf Pool Committee established under the said regulations.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of March, 1948.

EDWARD CULLEN, Minister of Marketing.

*The Cargo Control Emergency Regulations 1947—Appointment of  
Member of New Plymouth Cargo Control Committee*

**P**URSUANT to the Cargo Control Emergency Regulations 1947, the Minister of Labour doth hereby appoint

Robert Fulton

to be a member of the Cargo Control Committee for the Port of New Plymouth, *vice* Gordon Stewart.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of March, 1948.

A. McLAGAN, Minister of Labour.