

TERRITORIAL FORCE

The Royal N.Z. Infantry Corps

The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own)

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (*on prob.*), and are seconded to the Otahuhu Technical High School Cadets, Area 1:—

Robert Sutherland McKenzie.
Russell Cyril James Stone.

Dated 22nd April, 1948.

The Canterbury Regiment

Douglas Gavin Thomson to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*), and is seconded to the St. Andrews College Cadets, Area 10. Dated 1st May, 1948.

The Nelson, Marlborough, and West Coast Regiment

Bernard George Overton to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*), and is seconded to the Nelson College Cadets, Area 9. Dated 10th May, 1948.

SCHOOL CADET UNITS

Avondale College Cadets, Area 1

2nd Lieutenant L. J. F. Colgan to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 6th February, 1947.

2nd Lieutenant M. V. Hutchinson to be temp. Lieutenant. Dated 19th May, 1947.

Pukekohe Technical High School Cadets, Area 1

Captain G. C. Revell, E.D., to be temp. Major. Dated 12th May, 1948.

Whangarei High School Cadets, Area 3

Temp. Lieutenant (Acting-Captain) C. A. Reed to be temp. Captain. Dated 1st April, 1948.

Gore High School Cadets, Area 12

Captain J. L. Thompson to be temp. Major. Dated 1st June, 1948.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS

The Royal N.Z. Chaplains Department

The Rev. J. D. Smith, Chaplain, 2nd Class (Presbyterian), is posted to the Retired List. Dated 15th June, 1948.

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

Captain R. K. G. Porter, and is reposted to the N.Z. Regular Force with the rank of Lieutenant, with seniority from 12th December, 1944. Dated 14th April, 1948.

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

Major (*temp.* Lieutenant-Colonel) O. F. Lamb, M.B., Ch.B., and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 11th June, 1948.

Major M. Searancke, and is posted to the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List. Dated 24th May, 1948.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 26, dated 13th May, 1948, relative to Lieutenant J. F. Pope, for "Dated 22nd April, 1948", substitute "Dated 23rd June, 1948".

W. C. Hopper, Esq., Official Photographer. Dated 10th June, 1948.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointment of an Officer of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

Air Department,
Wellington, 17th June, 1948.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following appointment of an officer of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:—

TECHNICAL BRANCH

*Appointment**Signals Division—*

NZ 39820 Flying Officer (*temp.*) Reginald Arthur DANRELL relinquishes his temporary commission and is granted a permanent commission for a period of six years in his present rank and seniority. Dated 1st June, 1947.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Honours conferred by His Majesty the King

Air Department,
Wellington, 18th June, 1948.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has announced that the King has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the celebration of his Birthday, to confer the following Honours:—

Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire
Wing Commander Francis Ross Dix.

Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire

Section Officer May Catherine Middleton.
Warrant Officer Gilbert James McKay.
Thomas James McDowell Tweed.

Air Force Cross

Flight Lieutenant Basil John Townsend Heath.
Flight Lieutenant John Richard Wenden.

British Empire Medal

Flight Sergeant Francis James Herbert Patterson.
Flight Sergeant Eric William Scott.

Commendation for Valuable Service in the Air

Flight Lieutenant Colin Beresford Knight, D.F.M.
Flying Officer Lloyd Kenrick Burch.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Legislative Councillors appointed

Prime Minister's Office,
Wellington, 23rd June, 1948.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in His Majesty's name, summoned—

The Honourable James Cumming, of Petone;
The Honourable Richard Eddy, of Wellington;
The Honourable Thomas Francis O'Byrne, of Invercargill;
The Honourable Sir William Perry, Kt., of Wellington; and
The Honourable Fred Waite, C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E., of Balclutha;

to the Legislative Council of New Zealand by writs of summons under the Seal of the Dominion of New Zealand dated the 23rd day of June, 1948.

P. FRASER, Prime Minister.

Acting-Consul of Sweden at Wellington appointed

Ministry of External Affairs,
Wellington, 11th June, 1948.

IT is hereby notified for public information that, pending the appointment of a successor to Erland W. Kleen, Esquire, who is to relinquish the post of Consul of Sweden at Wellington,

Sixten Wikstrom, Esquire,

will assume charge of the Consulate as Acting-Consul.

P. FRASER, Minister of External Affairs.

Staff of the Office of the High Commissioner for Australia at Wellington appointed

Ministry of External Affairs,
Wellington, 15th June, 1948.

IT is hereby notified for public information that

Miss Coral M. Bell

has been appointed to the staff of the office of the High Commissioner for Australia at Wellington as Assistant Secretary, to replace R. N. Hancock, Esquire.

P. FRASER, Minister of External Affairs.

Board appointed in Terms of Section 332 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1933

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th June, 1948.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of section 332 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1933, to appoint—

John Harsey Salmon, Esquire, Stipendiary Magistrate, Wanganui,

Herbert James Duigan, Esquire, Valuer, Wanganui, and
Oswald Gardner, Esquire, Retired, Wanganui,

to be a Board for the purpose of hearing an appeal lodged by Mr. R. B. Horsley against a decision of the Wanganui City Council in respect of an application for the approval of that Council to a proposed subdivision of certain land in the City of Wanganui.

W. E. PARRY, Minister of Internal Affairs.

(I.A. 98/32.)

Members of the Fireblight Committee of the Christchurch Commercial Fruitgrowing District appointed.—(Notice No. Ag. 4525)

PURSUANT to Regulation 3 (13) of the Fireblight Committee Regulations 1928, the Minister of Agriculture doth hereby appoint

Harold Alfred Dawber

to be a member of the Fireblight Committee of the Christchurch Commercial Fruitgrowing District, *vice* Ernest Alfred Stead.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of June, 1948.

EDWARD CULLEN, Minister of Agriculture.