

*Extending the Time for Forwarding the Report of the Commission Appointed Under the Auckland Harbour Bridge Act 1950 to Inquire Into and Report on the Claim for Compensation of the Devonport Steam Ferry Company, Limited*

H. F. O'LEARY,

Administrator of the Government

To all to whom these presents shall come, and to STANLEY LOGAN PATERSON, Esquire, of Hamilton, Stipendiary Magistrate, and DAVID HARVEY STEEN, Esquire, of Auckland, Public Accountant: GREETING:

WHEREAS by a Warrant dated the 29th day of August 1951, you, the said Stanley Logan Paterson and David Harvey Steen, were constituted and appointed to be a Commission in terms of the Auckland Harbour Bridge Act 1950 to inquire into and report upon certain matters relating to the amount of compensation payable to the Devonport Steam Ferry Company, Limited, in respect of a claim submitted by the Devonport Steam Ferry Company, Limited, to the Auckland Harbour Bridge Authority under Part VII of the Auckland Harbour Bridge Act 1950;

And whereas such Commission was required to submit its report not later than the 31st day of March 1952:

And whereas the time within which such Commission was required to report was by a Warrant dated the 31st day of March 1952 extended to the 30th day of June 1952, and by a Warrant dated the 25th day of June 1952 was further extended to the 30th day of September 1952:

And whereas it is expedient to extend the time within which such Commission shall submit its report for a further period of six months—that is, until the 31st day of March 1953:

Now therefore, I, Sir Humphrey Francis O'Leary, the Administrator of the Government of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by the said Act and by the Commissions of Inquiry Act 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby declare and appoint that the time at or before which you shall submit your report aforesaid is hereby further extended to the 31st day of March 1953:

And I hereby declare that the provisions of the said Warrant shall apply as fully and effectively in all respects as if the 31st day of March 1953 were the date for expiration originally fixed in the said Warrant.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, and issued under the Seal of New Zealand, this 1st day of October 1952.

W. S. GOOSMAN, Minister of Works.

Approved in Council—

T. J. SHERRARD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 34/2734/0)

*Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirements of Officers of the New Zealand Army*

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, promotions, transfers, resignations, and retirements of officers of the New Zealand Army:—

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY

13th Composite Anti-aircraft Regiment, R.N.Z.A.

Captain C. S. Maguiness is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Regimental List, 13th Composite Anti-aircraft Regiment, R.N.Z.A., with the rank of Captain, with seniority from 22 June 1946. Dated 1 September 1952.

14th Composite Anti-aircraft Regiment, R.N.Z.A.

Captain S. G. Cutts to be temp. Major. Dated 1 September 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ARMoured CORPS

##### Territorial Force

3rd Armoured Regiment, R.N.Z.A.C.

Lieutenant W. A. French to be temp. Captain. Dated 1 August 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ENGINEERS

##### Regular Force

Lieutenant Colin Moffat Douglas, from the N.Z. Cadet Corps (Hawera Technical High School Cadets), to be Lieutenant (*on prob.*) and is posted for duty to Central District Construction Squadron, R.N.Z.E., as a Works Officer. Dated 28 August 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. INFANTRY CORPS

##### Regular Force

##### N.Z. Regiment

Captain and Quartermaster P. J. McGowan is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Royal N.Z. Infantry Corps, with the rank of Captain and Quartermaster. Dated 18 September 1952.

Lieutenant and Quartermaster (*temp.* Captain and Quartermaster) G. Beaton to be Captain and Quartermaster. Dated 12 August 1952.

Lieutenant Andrew Victor Baylis, from the 1st Battalion, The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), to be Lieutenant (*on prob.*) and is appointed Instructor, R.N.Z. Infantry, Papakura Camp. Dated 29 August 1952.

Major Peter Russell Hockley, from the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Royal N.Z. Infantry Corps, to be Lieutenant (*on prob.*) and is appointed Instructor, R.N.Z. Infantry, Central District Training Depot. Dated 8 September 1952.

##### Territorial Force

The Wellington Regiment (City of Wellington's Own)

Captain (*temp.* Major) P. A. Smith, 1st Battalion, to be Major. Dated 19 July 1952.

Lieutenant I. L. G. Stewart, 1st Battalion, to be Captain. Dated 26 April 1952.

The Wellington, West Coast, and Taranaki Regiment

Lieutenant R. A. D. Fulton, 1st Battalion, to be temp. Captain. Dated 21 July 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS

##### Territorial Force

1st Company, R.N.Z.A.S.C.

Captain R. E. Johnston, from the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Royal N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps, to be Captain, with seniority from 16 November 1950. Dated 12 March 1952.

4th Company, R.N.Z.A.S.C.

Captain C. G. Peterwood is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Regimental List, The Royal N.Z. Army Service Corps, with the rank of Captain, with seniority from 30 September 1947. Dated 19 July 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

##### Territorial Force

Major I. A. Alexander, M.B., Ch.B., relinquishes the appointment of R.M.O., 1st Battalion, the Hawke's Bay Regiment, and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Royal N.Z. Army Medical Corps, with the rank of Major. Dated 18 August 1952.

2nd General Hospital, R.N.Z.A.M.C.

Captain J. B. Cowan, M.B.E., relinquishes the appointment of Quartermaster, 2nd General Hospital, R.N.Z.A.M.C., and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Royal N.Z. Army Medical Corps, with the rank of Captain. Dated 5 June 1952.

3rd Field Dressing Station, R.N.Z.A.M.C.

Captain E. W. D. Unwin, M.B.E., E.D., from the Reserve of Officers, Supplementary List, to be Captain, with seniority from 26 August 1942, and is appointed Quartermaster, 3rd Field Dressing Station, R.N.Z.A.M.C. Dated 16 September 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

##### Territorial Force

2nd Field Regiment Light Aid Detachment, R.N.Z.E.M.E.

Geoffrey Michael Maher, B.E. (Elect.), Grad. I.E.E., to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 1 April 1952.

#### THE ROYAL N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT

##### Territorial Force

The Rev. G. F. Senior, Chaplain, 4th Class (Church of England), resigns his commission on appointment to a Chaplaincy in the Royal N.Z. Navy. Dated 30 June 1952.

#### N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE

##### Regular Force

Lieutenant J. G. McStay is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, N.Z. Army Nursing Service, with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 7 September 1952.

##### Territorial Force

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants (*on prob.*) and are taken on strength of the 2nd General Hospital, R.N.Z.A.M.C.:—

Margaret Letitia Simons.

Eve Butt.

Joyce Evelyn Ironside.

Dated 12 June 1952.

#### N.Z. CADET CORPS

Hutt Valley Memorial Technical College Cadets

Captain W. H. P. Walsh to be temp. Major. Dated 26 May 1952.

Putaruru District High School Cadets

Lieutenant G. Anstice to be temp. Captain. Dated 1 August 1952.

Sacred Heart College Cadets

Leo Joseph Kyne to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 24 July 1952.

Takapuna Grammar School Cadets

Lieutenant A. R. Bean resigns his commission on appointment to a commission in the R.N.Z.N.V.R. Dated 18 August 1952.

Waitara District High School Cadets

Lieutenant J. W. Rowe resigns his commission. Dated 19 August 1952.