

Promotions of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force

PURSUANT to section 15 of the Royal New Zealand Air Force Act 1950, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve the following promotions of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

REGULAR AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Promotions

The undermentioned officers to be Group Captains with effect from 1 January 1956:

Wing Commander Kenneth William TRIGANCE, D.F.C., p.s.a. (70022).

Group Captain (*temp.*) Theodore Jasper MACLEAN DE LANGE, D.F.C. (70024).

Wing Commander Aubrey Arthur Ninnis BRECKON, D.F.C., p.s.a. (70016).

Wing Commander (*temp.*) Robert Keith WALKER, A.F.C. (70077), to be Wing Commander with effect from 1 January 1956.

Squadron Leader William Duncan Hanmer SMITH, B.A., B.Com., Dip.Soc.Sc. (70080), to be temporary Wing Commander with effect from 1 January 1956.

The undermentioned officers to be Squadron Leaders with effect from 1 January 1956.

Flight Lieutenant Harold William SHILTON, D.F.C. (70127).

Flight Lieutenant Nolan Wentworth FAIRCLOTH (70134).

Flight Lieutenant Owen David STAPLE, D.F.C. (70136).

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Malcolm Stuart GUNTON (70150).

Flight Lieutenant Alexander Stuart TIE (70154).

Flight Lieutenant John Watson RITCHIE, A.R.A.N.Z. (70081).

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) Ronald Charles Cecil NAIRN, A.F.C., D.F.M., B.A., p.s.a. (70164).

The undermentioned officers to be Flight Lieutenants with effect from the dates shown:

Flying Officer Francis James McDAVITT (70972). 1 October 1955.

Acting Flight Lieutenant Graham George BAYLISS (71487). 1 October 1955.

Flying Officer Rex Frederick CORDING (72509). 1 October 1955.

Flying Officer Roger Ian Fairlie GARRETT (72285). 1 October 1955.

Flying Officer John Jeffrey PATTERSON (73886). 16 November 1955.

Flying Officer Bernard Joseph O'CONNOR (814234). 7 January 1956.

Flight Lieutenant (*temp.*) Stuart McINTYRE (73884). 16 January 1956.

Flying Officer Raymond Reginald BLACK (72062). 16 January 1956.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Promotions

Engineer Division

Flight Lieutenant Richard Langsford BREWER, M.B.E. (70219), to be Squadron Leader with effect from 1 January 1956.

Flying Officer Stuart SMART (70497) to be Flight Lieutenant with effect from 16 January 1956.

Signals Division

Flight Lieutenant Laurie Frederick William MERCER (70237) to be Squadron Leader with effect from 1 January 1956.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPLY BRANCH

Promotions

Secretarial Division

Squadron Leader (*temp.*) William Robert DUNCAN, M.B.E. (70058) to be Squadron Leader with effect from 1 January 1956.

Flight Lieutenant Sidney Stewart OBERY (70067), to be temporary Squadron Leader with effect from 1 January 1956.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Flight Lieutenants with effect from the dates shown:

Joseph Francis RANSFIELD (70789). 1 October 1955.

Lawrence Dryden TURNER, A.R.A.N.Z. (74997). 16 January 1956.

James William CROOK, A.R.A.N.Z., A.C.I.S. (74996). 16 January 1956.

Equipment Division

Squadron Leader William Francis FALVEY, M.B.E. (70288), to be Wing Commander with effect from 1 January 1956.

Squadron Leader George Kemp TAYLOR, M.B.E. (70293), to be temporary Wing Commander with effect from 1 January 1956.

The undermentioned Flight Lieutenants to be Squadron Leaders with effect from 1 January 1956:

Leslie Thomas ROBERTS (70301).

Henry Esmond CUNDELL (70304).

Flying Officer William Henry JAMES, B.E.M. (70487), to be Flight Lieutenant with effect from 1 October 1955.

Special Duties Division

Squadron Leader Albert Clement ANDERSON (74128), to be Wing Commander with effect from 1 January 1956.

Flight Lieutenant Peter Lindly Dick CUMMINS (70095), to be Squadron Leader with effect from 1 January 1956.

The undermentioned Flying Officers to be Flight Lieutenants with effect from the dates shown:

Harold Elmer DEWHIRST (77131). 1 October 1955.

David Ross MCKEON (75433). 16 January 1956.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer Donald COOK, D.F.C. (77326), to be Flight Lieutenant with effect from 1 October 1955.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Promotion

Flying Officer Kelvin Reid BREMNER, M.B., Ch.B., B.Sc. (77802), to be Flight Lieutenant with seniority as from 29 December 1953. Dated 29 December 1955.

Dated at Wellington this 31st day of January 1956.

T. L. MACDONALD, Minister of Defence.

Revocation of Appointment of the Rothesay Bay Domain Board and Appointment of New Board

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby revokes the appointment of the Rothesay Bay Domain Board as published in *Gazette*, 30 October 1952, Volume III, page 1772, and appoints the East Coast Bays Borough Council to be the Rothesay Bay Domain Board to have the control of the reserves described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the provisions of the said Act, as a public domain.

SCHEDULE

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT—ROTHESAY BAY DOMAIN
Lot 30, D.P. 20351, being part Allotment 260. Part certificate of title, Volume 490, folio 147.

Also Lot 22, D.P. 27883, being part north portion Allotment 186. Part certificate of title, Volume 571, folio 249.

Also Lot 99, D.P. 35261, being part Allotment 266. Part certificate of title, Volume 243, folio 255.

All being in the Parish of Takapuna, situated in Block IV, Waitemata Survey District. Total area, 3 acres 1 rood 19 perches, more or less.

Dated at Wellington this 31st day of January 1956.

E. B. CORBETT, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 1/1046; D.O. 8/1165)

Appointing the Te Kuiti Borough Council to Control and Manage a Reserve

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby appoints the Te Kuiti Borough Council to control and manage the reserve described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the provisions of the said Act, as a scenic reserve.

SCHEDULE

SOUTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT—MANGAOKEWA GORGE
SCENIC RESERVE

RANGITOTO Tuhua No. 64i and part No. 64j Blocks, parts Pukenui Nos. 2U 1, 2U 2, and 2U 3 Blocks, and part of the bed of the Mangaokewa River, situated in Blocks IV and VIII, Otanake Survey District: Area, 420 acres and 18 perches, more or less. As shown on the plan marked L. and S. 4/302B deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (S.O. Plan 16159.)

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of February 1956.

E. B. CORBETT, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 4/302; D.O. 13/36)

Members of Domain Boards Appointed

PURSUANT to the Reserves and Domains Act 1953, the Minister of Lands hereby appoints

Alfred Ernest Neal

to be a member of the Onamalutu Domain Board, Marlborough Land District, in place of Keith Anderson, deceased. (L. and S. H.O. 1/735; D.O. 8/3/12)

Allen James Curnow

to be a member of the Tapawera Memorial Park Domain Board, Nelson Land District, in place of Victor Headley Joseph Tomlinson, resigned. (L. and S. H.O. 1/1124; D.O. 8/262)

Colin Davis Kerr

to be a member of the Waikouaiti Domain Board, Otago Land District, in place of Alan Tumai Douglass, resigned. (L. and S. H.O. 1/192; D.O. 8/3/1)

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1956.

E. B. CORBETT, Minister of Lands.