Promotions, Extensions, and Termination of Commissions, and Retirement 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 appointment, promotions, extensions, and termination of commissions, and retirement of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

REGULAR AIR FORCE GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Retirement

Squadron Leader Keith Bishop Smith, A.F.C. (70126) is retired, with effect from 9 June 1959.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Amendment

The notice published in *Gazette*, 19 February 1959, No. 8, page 171, relating to Wing Commander Geoffrey Cyril Ellis is hereby amended to read "with effect from 13 March 1959" instead of "with effect from 15 March 1959".

WOMEN'S ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIR FORCE

TERRITORIAL SECTION

Termination of Commission

The commission of Assistant Section Officer Marie Alison Wornall (134067), is terminated, with effect from 10 March

AIR TRAINING CORPS

A ppointment

Clifford William Dixon is granted a commission in the Air Training Corps in the rank of Pilot Officer, with seniority and with effect from 20 February 1959.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

Promotions

Flight Lieutenant Alan Edward Law Britton, B.Sc. (74146), to be temporary Squadron Leader while commanding Linwood High School Air Training Corps Unit, with effect from 7 March 1959.

Flying Officer Derek Mason (132669) to be temporary Flight Lieutenant, with effect from 20 February 1959.

Extensions of Commissions

The under-mentioned officers are granted extensions of their present commissions until the dates shown:

Squadron Leader Marshall Laird, D.SC. PH.D. (75604), 29 October 1962.

Squadron Leader (temp.) Alan Edward Law Britton, B.Sc. (74146), 6 March 1963.

Flight Lieutenant Ronald Maddox Hector Webber (133213), 20 March 1963.

Flight Lieutenants (temp.):

Derek Mason (132669), 20 March 1963. Ernest Alexander Pilcher (132432), 11 April 1963.

Flying Officers:

Richard Percy Warham (131782), 9 March 1963. Wallace Vernon Buxton (130802), 19 March 1963. Herbert Charles Plank (132743), 31 March 1963. Allan D'Arcy Low (132813), 12 April 1963.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of March 1959.

PHILLIP G. CONNOLLY, Minister of Defence.

Clerk of the Writs Appointed

PURSUANT to the Electoral Act 1956, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Jack Kent Hunn, Esquire, of Wellington,

to be Clerk of the Writs as on and from the 13th day of March 1959.

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of March 1959.

W. NASH, Prime Minister.

Appointment of Members of Te Houka Public Hall Board

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

Richard Ronald Botting

to be a member of the Te Houka Public Hall Board, Otago Land District, in place of Eric John Bisset, left the district, and further, increases the total number of members of the said Public Hall Board from eight to nine, and appoints

Neville Owen Moffat

as the additional member of the Board.

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of March 1959.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 6/7/112; D.O. 8/4/41)

Board Appointed to Have Control of South Rakaia Domain

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

The two members of the Ashburton County Council repre-

senting the Rakaia Riding, ex officio, Harry Jeans Conway, Roy Forrester Cornelius, Milner John Doig,
Andrew James Fagan,
George Andrew Goldie Haslett,
Norman Charles Shannon, and
Thomas Strain Shannon

to be the South Rakaia Domain Board to have control of the reserves described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the provisions of the said Act, as a public domain.

SCHEDULE

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT—SOUTH RAKAIA DOMAIN

RESERVE 2537, situated in Block XIII, Rakaia Survey District: Area, 101 acres, more or less. (S.O. Plans 853L and 854L.)
Also Reserve 2986, Town of Rakaia, situated in Block XIII, Rakaia Survey, District: Area, 5 acres, more or less. (S.O. Plan 851L.)
Also Reserve 4638, situated in Block XIII, Rakaia Survey District: Area, 49 acres, more or less. (S.O. Plan 8430.)

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of March 1959.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 1/412; D.O. 8/3/57)

Appointment of the Rodney County Council to Control and Manage a Reserve

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

Rodney County Council

to control and manage the reserve described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the provisions of the said Act, as a reserve for scenic purposes.

SCHEDULE

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT—SUNNYBROOK SCENIC RESERVE

ALLOTMENT 165, Hoteo Parish, situated in Block I, Mahurangi Survey District: Area, 93 acres 1 rood 35 perches, more or Survey District: Area, 9 less. (S.O. Plan 37831.)

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of March 1959.

C. F. SKINNER, Minister of Lands.

(L. and S. H.O. 9/1851; D.O. 13/137)

Appointment of Honorary Fishery Officers

PURSUANT to the Fisheries Act 1908, the Minister of Marine hereby appoints the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be Honorary Fishery Officers for the purposes of Part I of the Fisheries Act 1908, to hold office until the 31st day of March 1962.

SCHEDULE

Eric James Currie, of Kaikoura.
William Hector MacKinnon, of Kaikoura.
Victor Henderson, of Christchurch.
Henry Pateman, of Belfast.
Joseph Rudhall, of Akaroa.
Malcolm Manson Orton, of Ashburton.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of March 1959.

W. A. FOX, Minister of Marine.

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SCHEDULE

John Henry Dewes, of Horoera, East Cape. Johnny Sweeney, of Kennedy Bay. Rewi Wikiriwhi, of Maketu.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of March 1959.

W. A. FOX, Minister of Marine.