

Sub-Lieutenant R. D. Secker, granted the acting rank of Lieutenant, to date 16 February 1970, and the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst holding present post, to date 23 February 1970.

Sub-Lieutenant C. L. Stewart, promoted to the rank of Temporary Lieutenant and reappointed, to date 1 December 1969.

Surgeon Sub-Lieutenant (D) A. L. Greensmith, promoted to the rank of Surgeon Lieutenant (D) and reappointed, to date 15 January 1970.

Ensign L. J. Mitchell, promoted to the rank of Sub-Lieutenant, to date 30 January 1970.

Midshipman R. K. Ereckson, transferred to the Supplementary List, to date 26 February 1970, with seniority of 1 January 1969.

Midshipman P. J. Findlater, released (appointment terminated), to date 21 January 1970.

Fourth Officer P. O. R. Ramsay-Turner, W.R.N.Z.N.S., promoted to the rank of Third Officer, to date 31 October 1969.

Fourth Officer E. P. Feltham, W.R.N.Z.N.S., released (appointment terminated), to date 4 March 1970.

Michael Fredric Piper, Stores Chief Petty Officer, NZ 16378, promoted to the rank of Ensign (SDSTR) and posted HMNZ Ship, to date 20 January 1970.

Marion Petrie, Wren NZW 28574, and Roseanne Singleton, entered as Temporary Fourth Officer, WRNZS, to date 23 February 1970.

Christine Mary Woolloxall, entered as Temporary Fourth Officer, WRNZS, to date 16 March 1970.

Reverend Thomas Duncan Hill, entered as Chaplain, to date 27 February 1970, with seniority of 1 November 1965, and posted HMNZ Ship, to date 27 February 1970.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of April 1970.

DAVID S. THOMSON, Minister of Defence.

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

PURSUANT to section 16 of the New Zealand Army Act 1950, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments, promotions, transfers, resignations, and retirements of officers of the New Zealand Army:

COLONELS' LIST

*Regular Force*

Colonel R. D. P. Hassett, M.B.E., to be acting Brigadier. Dated 16 March 1970.

Colonel (acting Brigadier) R. D. P. Hassett, M.B.E., to be temp. Brigadier. Dated 1 April 1970.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY

*Regular Force*

Major (acting Lieutenant-Colonel) J. O'B. Horsford to be temp. Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11 March 1970.

Lieutenant J. Dreaver to be temp. Captain. Dated 2 February 1970.

Warrant Officer 1st Class Darcy Frederick Pollard to be Lieutenant and Quartermaster. Dated 2 February 1970.

*Territorial Force*

16th Field Regiment, RNZA

Warwick Barraud Wright to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.

Peter Francis Murray to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.

3rd Field Regiment, RNZA

2nd Lieutenant W. J. Goston, B.COM., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1 February 1970.

2nd Lieutenant R. L. C. Fisk to be Lieutenant. Dated 1 March 1970.

ROYAL N.Z. ARMoured CORPS

*Regular Force*

Captain (*temp. Major*) G. B. MacK. Law, B.A., LL.B., is re-engaged for the period 1 March 1970 to 30 April 1970.

*Territorial Force*

2nd Armoured Squadron (Waikato), RNZAC

2nd Lieutenant D. A. Mateer to be Lieutenant. Dated 20 February 1970.

2nd Reconnaissance Squadron (N.Z. Scottish), RNZAC

Captain David James Stewart, E.D., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, Royal N.Z. Armoured Corps, in the rank of Captain. Dated 1 April 1970.

2nd Lieutenant A. P. West, B.SC., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20 February 1970.

THE CORPS OF ROYAL N.Z. ENGINEERS

*Regular Force*

Captain (*temp. Major*) Bruce Logan Hayhow is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Corps of Royal N.Z. Engineers, in the rank of Major. Dated 2 April 1970.

*Territorial Force*

6th Independent Field Squadron, RNZE

Lieutenant Fredric William Phillips, B.AGR., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, The Corps of Royal N.Z. Engineers, in the rank of Lieutenant, until 29 February 1972. Dated 1 March 1969.

ROYAL N.Z. CORPS OF SIGNALS

*Regular Force*

Lieutenant (*temp. Captain*) W. G. Mathew to be Captain. Dated 15 December 1969.

Warrant Officer 1st Class Walter Martin to be Lieutenant and Quartermaster. Dated 20 March 1970.

*Territorial Force*

1st Infantry Brigade Group Signal Squadron, RNZ Sigs.

Lieutenant (*temp. Captain*) B. Hitchon to be Captain. Dated 13 November 1969.

1st Communication Zone Signal Squadron, RNZ Sigs.

Lieutenant W. G. Fisher to be temp. Captain. Dated 22 February 1970.

2nd Communication Zone Signal Squadron, RNZ Sigs.

Lieutenant A. M. Johnston to be temp. Captain. Dated 14 February 1970.

3rd Infantry Brigade Group Signal Squadron, RNZ Sigs.

The commission of 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*) I. R. Whillans is confirmed in his present rank and seniority.

ROYAL N.Z. INFANTRY REGIMENT

*Regular Force*

Major (*temp. Lieutenant-Colonel*) J. A. Mace, M.B.E., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29 January 1970.

Major (*temp. Lieutenant-Colonel*) I. H. Burrows, M.C., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29 January 1970.

Captain (*temp. Major*) E. B. Bestic relinquishes the temp. rank of Major. Dated 12 February 1970.

Captain A. L. Birks to be temp. Major. Dated 20 January 1970.

Lieutenant and Quartermaster P. E. Wischnowsky, M.B.E., to be temp. Captain and Quartermaster. Dated 4 March 1970.

*Territorial Force*

2nd Battalion (Canterbury Nelson Marlborough West Coast), RNZIR

Lieutenant Christopher Arthur Marshall is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, General List, Royal N.Z. Infantry Regiment, in the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1 December 1969.

Peter Mervyn Swain to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.

3rd Battalion (Auckland (Countess of Ranfurly's Own) and Northland), RNZIR

Major N. A. Sharp, from the Reserve of Officers, Regimental List, 3rd Battalion (Auckland (Countess of Ranfurly's Own) and Northland), RNZIR, to be Major, with seniority from 26 September 1963. Dated 2 February 1970.

Lieutenant P. Freeman is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Regimental List, 3rd Battalion (Auckland (Countess of Ranfurly's Own) and Northland), RNZIR, in his present rank and seniority. Dated 21 January 1970.

2nd Lieutenant Anthony John Bishop is posted to the Retired List. Dated 13 July 1969.

Grant Stanley Lorimer to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.

7th Battalion (Wellington (City of Wellington's Own) and Hawke's Bay), RNZIR

2nd Lieutenant C. P. Monod to be Lieutenant. Dated 1 February 1970.

2nd Lieutenant A. G. Sims to be Lieutenant. Dated 1 February 1970.

The commission of 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*) P. V. Coster is confirmed in his present rank and seniority.

Timi Morris Te Heu Heu to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.

4th Battalion (Otago and Southland), RNZIR

Trevor Wharetapu Patrick to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on prob.*). Dated 23 February 1970.