

Appointments, Cancellation, Promotions, Reversion, Extension of Commissions and Ages for Retirement, Extension, Transfers to the Retired List, Transfer, Retirements, and Termination of Commissions 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 approved the following appointments, cancellation, promotions, reversion, extension of commissions and ages for retirement, extension, transfers to the Retired List, transfer, retirements, and termination of commissions of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force:

REGULAR AIR FORCE

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Appointment

Squadron Leader Barry Raymond Cranston, p.s.c. (459114), to be acting Wing Commander from 4 January 1971 and temporary Wing Commander from 14 January 1971.

TECHNICAL BRANCH

Appointment

Engineer Division

Flying Officer Dieter Joachim Kurz (79619), is to be temporary Flight Lieutenant with effect from 1 August 1970.

Cancellation

Signals Division

The notice published in the *Gazette*, No. 6, 9 February 1967, relating to Wing Commander Alfred George Edward Pugh, p.s.c. (70142), is hereby cancelled.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND SUPPLY BRANCH

Promotions

Equipment Division

The under-mentioned officers to be Flight Lieutenants, with effect from 1 January 1971, with seniority from dates shown:

Flying Officer Paul Edward Outtrim, B.A. (81216), 4 June 1969.

Temporary Flight Lieutenant Wayne Maurice Chappell (82468), 1 January 1971.

Extension of Commission and Age for Retirement

Special Duties Division

Squadron Leader Vernon Sampson Liddicoat (134159), is granted an extension of his Short-Service Commission and age for retirement for a period to expire on 10 May 1973.

EDUCATION BRANCH

Appointment and Promotion

Squadron Leader Anthony William Rodgers, B.A., DIP.TCHG., A.N.Z.I.M., p.s.c. (76923), to be acting Wing Commander from 7 December 1970 and Wing Commander with seniority and effect from 1 January 1971.

MEDICAL BRANCH

Reversion

Temporary Squadron Leader Harold John Beecher Guy, B.MED.SC., M.B., CH.B. (82952), reverts to his substantive rank of Flight Lieutenant with effect from 16 January 1971.

TERRITORIAL AIR FORCE

Extension

Wing Commander Humphrey Walter Gowland, M.B., CH.B., F.R.C.S., F.R.A.C.S. (133647), is granted an extension to his commission until 28 January 1971.

Transfer to Retired List

Wing Commander Frederick Charles Platts, M.B., CH.B. (131411), is transferred to Retired List 'B', with effect from 28 January 1971.

Wing Commander Humphrey Walter Gowland, M.B., CH.B., F.R.C.S., F.R.A.C.S. (133647), is transferred to Retired List 'B' with effect from 29 January 1971.

RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS

Transfer

Flight Lieutenant Donald Bernard Reed (783606) is transferred from the Administrative and Supply Branch (Special Duties Division) Territorial Air Force for a period to expire on 30 August 1974.

Extension of Commission and Age for Retirement

Wing Commander Tom Dick Collingwood Childs, M.B., CH.B. (134291), is granted a further extension to his commission and age for retirement for a period to expire on 8 January 1975.

Retirements

The under-mentioned officers are retired with effect from dates shown:

Squadron Leader Robert Bruce Cragie, A.F.C. (74967), 4 January 1971.

Flight Lieutenant Bryan Cranstone Scott (131786), 14 January 1971.

Flying Officer Thomas William Overbury Fox (130360), 7 January 1971.

AIR TRAINING CORPS

Appointment

Flight Lieutenant Alfred Dennis Mehlhopt to be temporary Squadron Leader with effect from 1 December 1970.

Promotion

Flight Lieutenant Denton Norman Tyler to be Squadron Leader with seniority and effect from 22 January 1971.

Termination of Commissions

The commissions of the under-mentioned officers are terminated with effect from 12 January 1971:

Temporary Squadron Leader Desmond Charles Price, M.A.

Pilot Officer Maxwell Raymond Barnes Wright.

Pilot Officer Leon Martyn Theodore Blanchet.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of February 1971.

DAVID S. THOMSON, Minister of Defence.

(Air 12/11/9)

Appointment of Member of the Coal Mines Council

PURSUANT to the Coal Mines Act 1925, the Minister of Mines hereby appoints

Thomas McGhie

to be a member of the Coal Mines Council as from the 1st day of January 1971 to the 31st day of December 1971.

Dated at Wellington this 2nd day of February 1971.

NORMAN L. SHELTON, Minister of Mines.

Member of Pest Destruction Boards Appointed (Notice No. Ag. 10764)

PURSUANT to section 31 of the Agricultural Pests Destruction Act 1967, the Minister of Agriculture hereby appoints

John Gow Irving

being an Inspector under Part III of the said Act, to be a member of the Opihi, Rangitata, and Rangitata Gorge Pest Destruction Boards, *vice* Mr W. H. Smith.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of February 1971.

D. J. CARTER, Minister of Agriculture.

(Ag. 20890)

Member of Pest Destruction Boards Appointed (Notice No. Ag. 10765)

PURSUANT to section 31 of the Agricultural Pests Destruction Act 1967, the Minister of Agriculture hereby appoints

Bruce Geoffrey Brookes

being an Inspector under Part III of the said Act, to be a member of the Tawera and Upper Rakaia Pest Destruction Boards, *vice* Mr J. G. Irving.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of February 1971.

D. J. CARTER, Minister of Agriculture.

(Ag. 20890)

Member of Dairy Factory Managers' Registration Board Reappointed (Notice No. Ag. 10762)

PURSUANT to regulation 3 (2) of the Dairy Factory Managers' Regulations 1941, the Minister of Agriculture hereby reappoints

Sidney Ivan Wheatley (on the nomination of the Dairy Factories and Related Trades Industrial Union of Workers)