

*To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Major John Henry COWDREY, New Zealand Medical Corps, New Zealand Military Forces.  
Major Harry Stevens HARBOTT, New Zealand Military Forces.  
Major (temporary) (Quartermaster) Arthur Barrington KITCHEN (214897), Royal Regiment of Artillery.  
Senior Commander Geraldine Vida Moyle McCLURE, New Zealand Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.*

*1st January, 1947.*

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the advice of His Majesty's New Zealand Ministers, to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

*To be a Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Group Captain Malcolm Frederick CALDER, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

*To be an Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Acting Group Captain Thomas James DENTON, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

*To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Flight Lieutenant Victor Graham BASKIVILLE-ROBINSON (N.Z.39756), Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Warrant Officer John Walter COOK (N.Z.43008), Royal New Zealand Air Force.

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*To be a Knight Commander of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

James HIGHT, Esq., C.M.G., Litt.D., Professor of History and Political Science, University of New Zealand, and formerly Rector of Canterbury University College. For services to Education.

*To be Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

James HARDIE-NEIL, Esq., D.S.O., M.B., Ch.B., of Auckland, a prominent medical practitioner.

Colonel Ronald Henry QUILLIAM, of New Plymouth. For public services.

*To be Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Robert BOULTER, Esq., C.M.G., United Kingdom Trade Commissioner in New Zealand. For services rendered to his Majesty's Government in New Zealand during the war.

Arthur Gordon BUTCHERS, Esq., Headmaster of the Correspondence School, Wellington.  
Miss Blanche Louise CLARK. For services as Matron, Wellington Public Hospital.  
Richard Francis MADDEN, Esq., Secretary, Police Department.

Alan Edward MULGAN, Esq., of Wellington. For services to literature, journalism and broadcasting.

Robert Thomas George PATRICK, Esq., First Secretary, New Zealand Legation, Moscow.

Arthur Percy POSTLEWAITE, Esq., President, Auckland Returned Services' Association.

Captain Arthur Henry PROSSER, Merchant Navy.

WAIMARAMA PUHARA OF PAKI PAKI, of Hastings, Chief of the Ngati Kahungunu Tribe.

James Ernest STRACHAN, Esq., Principal, Rangiora High School.

*To be Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—*

Miss Jessie ALEXANDER, a Missionary in the Urewera. For social welfare work on behalf of Maori girls and boys.

Miss Isabella BANKS, District Health Nurse, Te Araroa.

John Joseph GALLAGHER, Esq., employed in the Police Department.

Deborah, Mrs. GOLDSMITH, of Brooklyn, Wellington. For services in connection with patriotic and social welfare movements.

Frederick Vernon HORNE, Esq., Organiser of the Red Cross Transport Corps, Auckland, during the war.

Miss Minnie Johns JEFFERY, Nurse Inspector, Health Department.

Miss Martha LESLIE, of Parnell, Auckland. For services to the munitions industry during the war.

George Jennings PETHERICK, Esq., a Member of the Wellington Hospital Board.

Miss Alice POCHETTY, employed in the High Commissioner's Office in London.

John McLean ROBERTSON, Esq., Mayor of Westport.

Patrick Joseph TWOMEY, Esq., Secretary, Leper Trust Board, Christchurch.

Helena Elizabeth, Mrs. WISE, of Eastbourne. For services in connection with patriotic and social welfare movements during the war.

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The KING has been graciously pleased, on the advice of His Majesty's New Zealand Ministers, to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Military Division) to the undermentioned:—

Petty Officer Harold George JOSEY, N.Z.1148, Royal New Zealand Navy.

Chief Petty Officer Cook (S) Francis Mervyn THOMPSON, N.Z. 1434, Royal New Zealand Navy.

Petty Officer Telegraphist Albert Charles Arthur TITE, Royal New Zealand Navy.

Chief Wren (Second Class) Teresa Genevieve WILLIAMSON, Women's Royal New Zealand Naval Service.