(e) Investigate the nature of and necessity for supplies or provision for the time being of comforts, conveniences, amenities, or special equipment to members of the Forces to the end that the same shall be of practical use and benefit in the conditions under which the Forces are for the time being serving, and available as and when required, and that unnecessary and wasteful work in supplying unsuitable goods or wasteful oversupply of suitable goods may be avoided, and to make recommendations to the Minister from time to time as to-

(i) The classes or kinds of goods immediately required :(ii) The quantities thereof immediately required :

(iii) The quantities thereof likely to be required within specified future periods :

(iv) The kinds of goods which should not be accepted either because of their not being required or not being likely to be required, or because of their unsuitability for use in the conditions under which, for the time being, the Forces or any section of them are serving:

(f) With respect to authorized collectors, make recommendations as to

(i) Qualifications of authorized collectors :

(ii) Bodies which, in its opinion, are specially qualified by the structure of their organization and the nature of their objects to be authorized collectors:

(iii) What persons or bodies should not be recognized as authorized collectors :

(iv) The conditions governing the recognition and activities of persons or bodies as authorized collectors: (v) The receipt of and accounting for moneys and kind

by authorized collectors :

- (g) Investigate and report on the qualifications of persons and bodies to act for Provincial Councils in the expenditure of moneys or application of other personal property belonging to Provincial Patriotic Funds, and make recommendations as to what bodies (if any) should be specially recognized for special purposes and what special conditions (if any) should be imposed to ensure the proper expenditure of such moneys or application of other personal property by any such person or body as aforesaid:
- (h) Investigate and report on the organization and working of any provincial patriotic organization under these regulations, or the Provincial Council, or any controlling committee of such organization.

## PART II.-PROVINCIAL PATRIOTIC DISTRICTS AND ORGANIZATIONS.

## REGULATION 9.—PROVINCIAL PATRIOTIC DISTRICTS.

(1) For the purposes of these regulations New Zealand is hereby divided into provincial patriotic districts, which are hereby declared to be the provincial districts established by and with the boundaries specified by the Minister under section 11 of the New Zealand Centennial Act, 1938, by notice bearing date the 17th day of December, 1938, and published in the Gazette of the 21st day of that month at page 2832.