22nd (Wellington) Battalion.

Captain J. G. C. Leach to be Major.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:-

P. G. Monk (N.Z.S C.). T. C. Campbell.

I. A. Hart.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:

D. F. Anderson. L. B. Clapham.

23RD (CANTERBURY-OTAGO) BATTALION.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:

R. B. Dawson (N.Z.S.C.).

J. Brown, seconded to 1st N.Z. Convalescent Depot.

J. H. Sinclair-Thompson, seconded to 1st N.Z. Convalescent Depot.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

M. J. Coop. E. E. Richards.

N. Jones.

N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:-

S. A. Sampson.

L. Bean.

No. 1 N.Z. CONVALESCENT DEPOT.

Major N. F. Boag, M.B., Ch.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

The undermentioned Lieutenants (acting Captains) to be Captains. Dated 5th March, 1940:

R. F. Wilson, M.B., Ch.B. J. D. Cottrell, M.B., B.S., Sydney.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

O. S. Hetherington, M.B., Ch.B.

D. G. Wallace, M.B., Ch.B.

28th (Maori) Battalion.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:-

H. D. Harvey (N.Z.P.S.). H. W. Leaf.

Parekura Tureia

2nd Lieutenant Whetu Henare Werohia to be Captain.

11TH FORESTRY COMPANY, N.Z. ENGINEERS.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:

A. M. Collier.

F. JONES, Minister of Defence.

Appointment, Relinquishment, and Transfer of Officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force.

> Air Department, Wellington, 29th April, 1940.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointment approve of the following appointment, relinquishment, and transfer of officers of the Royal New Zealand Air Force :-

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Appointment.

Richard Akitio Armstrong is granted a temporary commission in the General Duties Branch in the rank of Pilot Officer (on probation) with seniority from 14th February, 1940. Dated 6th April, 1940.

Relinquishment.

Acting Pilot Officer William Green Thomson Brooks relinquishes his commission from 31st March, 1940. Dated 5th April, 1940.

EQUIPMENT BRANCH.—SECTION II.

Transfer.

Flying Officer Arthur Herbert Thomas Brazier (temporary Commission) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Section I, Class B. Dated 5th May, 1940.

In the notice "Regular Air Force—Appointments," published in *Gazette* No. 130 of the 19th October, 1939, at page 2727: "Arthur Thomas Orchard to be Flight Lieutenant, dated 1st October, 1939," should read "Arthur Thomas Orchard is granted a Short Service Commission in the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1939."

F JONES Minister of Defence.

Member of the Teacher's Superannuation Board appointed.

Department of Education, Wellington, 1st May, 1940.

OTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Clarence Edward Beeby, Esquire,

to be a member of the Teachers' Superannuation Board as from the 1st May, 1940.

H. G. R. MASON, Minister of Education.

Executive Commission of Agriculture.—Reappointment of Members.

Department of Agriculture, Wellington, 17th April, 1940.

IIIS Excellency the Governor-General in Council has, in pursuance of section 3 of the Agriculture (Emergency Powers) Act, 1934, this day been pleased to reappoint

The Hon. Sir Francis Vernon Frazer, and George Andrew Duncan, Esquire,

as members of the Executive Commission of Agriculture to hold office during pleasure and to reappoint

The Hon. Sir Francis Vernon Frazer as the Deputy Chairman of the said Commission.

> W. NASH. For the Minister of Agriculture.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1940.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by the Marriage Act, 1908, and the Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1924, I, Gilbert Graham Hodgkins, Deputy Registrar-General, do hereby appoint

James Henry Byers

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Piopio, on and from the 9th April, 1940.

G. G. HODGKINS, Deputy Registrar-General.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1940.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by the Marriage Act, 1908, and the Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1924, I, Gilbert Graham Hodgkins, Deputy Registrar-General, do hereby appoint

Trevor Clendon Millar

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Kaikohe, on and from the 11th day of April, 1940.

G. G. HODGKINS, Deputy Registrar-General.