5. The Magistrate to whom any such appeal is referred shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine the same.

6. Due notice of the time and place of the hearing of any such appeal shall be given by the Magistrate to the appellant and to the Minister of Defence.

7. The Minister of Defence shall be the respondent in every such appeal, and shall be entitled to be heard by any solicitor or by any officer of the Defence Forces.

8. The appellant shall be entitled to be heard personally or by any solicitor.

9. On any such appeal the Magistrate may receive such evidence as he thinks fit, whether legally admissible in other proceedings or not.

10. Any notice in the matter of any such appeal may be given to the appellant either personally or by posting it to the address for service specified in the notice of appeal.

11. If an appellant makes default in appearing at the hearing of any such appeal, the Magistrate may either adjourn the hearing or dismiss the appeal.

12. The Magistrate shall certify in writing to the Minister of Defence his determination of any such appeal.

SCHEDULE.

MILITARY DEFAULTERS LIST.-NOTICE OF APPEAL.

To the Hon. the Minister of Defence, Wellington.

I, [Full name, address, and description of appellant as appearing in the Military Defaulters List], hereby appeal, under section 11 of the Expeditionary Forces Amendment Act, 1918, against the entry of my name in the Military Defaulters List.

The ground of my appeal is that [Set out fully the nature of the error

alleged].

My address for service is [State postal address to which communications relative to the appeal should be sent].

Dated this

day of

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J. F. ANDREWS, Clerk of the Executive Council.

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