

Lieutenant S. Wallingford relinquishes his commission on appointment to the Royal Air Force. Dated 19th June, 1924.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Lieutenant R. B. Watson, *M.B.*, to be Captain with effect from 19th June, 1925, and is attached for duty to the 11th Field Battery, Regiment of N.Z. Artillery. Dated 12th August, 1925.

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Right Reverend Bishop W. C. Sadlier, *V.D.*, Chaplain 2nd Class, is transferred from the Reserve List, Class I, to the Reserve List, Class II. Dated 2nd October, 1925.
The Reverend S. J. Warren, Chaplain 4th Class, from the Reserve List, Class I, to be Chaplain 4th Class, R.D. 10. Dated 28th September, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Defence Rifle Clubs accepted.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 9th October, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Clubs, under section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Nightcaps Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Nightcaps.

Miller's Flat Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Miller's Flat.

Date of acceptance, 4th September, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 9th October, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to Major N. Annabell, *M.C.*, Central Depot, Corps of N.Z. Engineers.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Dismissal from the Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 9th October, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the dismissal of the undermentioned from the New Zealand Defence Forces under section 6 (b), Defence Act, 1909, he having been convicted by the Civil power:—

No. 10/34. H. T. G. McAuley, 1st Battalion, the Canterbury Regiment.

Dated 2nd October, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 13th October, 1925.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Otaki, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

OTAKI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Street-improvements.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Otaki was taken on the 9th day of September, 1925, on the proposal of the Otaki Borough Council to borrow £5,000 for the purpose of carrying out street-improvements, including the purchase of roller, scarifier, crushing-plant, and other equipment within the borough and district.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 101; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 109; informal votes, 9.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Sewerage.

Pursuant to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Otaki was taken on the 9th day of September, 1925, on the proposal of the Otaki Borough Council to borrow

the sum of £5,000 for the purpose of completing the present sewerage scheme and to give any necessary financial assistance to ratepayers for private drains and sanitary works.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 101; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 108; informal votes, 10.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

J. P. BRANDON, Mayor.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1925.

Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Gisborne and the County of Cook.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th October, 1925.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the Borough of Gisborne are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said borough having been altered by Order in Council dated the 7th day of September, 1925, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and published in *Gazette* No. 63, of the 10th day of September, 1925.

And also in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the County of Cook affected by the said Order in Council dated the 7th day of September, 1925, are hereby defined as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF BOROUGH OF GISBORNE.

ALL that area in the Gisborne Land District bounded by a line commencing at the south-eastern corner of the Gisborne Park Racecourse, situated in Block II, Turanganui Survey District, proceeding in a north-easterly direction along the boundary between the Gisborne Park Racecourse and Elgen Township and the production thereof to the right bank of the Taruheru River; thence in an easterly direction along the right bank of the said Taruheru River to the north-western side of Lytton Road; thence along the production of that side of Lytton Road, across Taruheru River, to and along the left bank of the said Taruheru River to the south-eastern corner of Allotment 4, Whataupoko No. 3; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of said Allotment 4, Whataupoko No. 3, to and across Te Hapara Road and along the south-eastern boundary of Subdivision 35, Whataupoko No. 3 Block, to the centre of Ormond Road; thence north-westerly along the middle of Ormond Road to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Whataupoko No. 5 Block; thence north-easterly to and along the eastern boundary of the aforesaid Whataupoko No. 5 to the middle of Howarth Street; thence south-easterly along the middle of Howarth Street to the middle of Valley Road; thence south-westerly along the middle of the aforesaid Valley Road to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Subdivision 43, Whataupoko No. 3; thence in a south-easterly direction across the aforesaid Valley Road and along the aforementioned south-west boundary till it intersects the western boundary-line of the Cook Hospital site; thence north-easterly and south-easterly generally along the boundaries of the aforesaid Cook Hospital site to and along the south-western boundary of Subdivision 46, Whataupoko No. 3; thence along the south-western boundary of Lot 38, Whataupoko No. 4, across Mangapapa Road, and along the south-western boundary of Lot 45, Whataupoko No. 4, to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 45; thence north-easterly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 45, 46, 47, and 48, Whataupoko No. 4, to the westernmost corner of Section 6, Block E, of Whataupoko No. 6; thence along the south-western boundaries of Sections 6, 7, 8, and 9, Block E, Whataupoko No. 6 aforesaid, to the southernmost corner of Section 9 aforesaid; thence across Ballance Street to the westernmost corner of Section 13 of the aforesaid Block E, Whataupoko No. 6; thence in a south-easterly direction along the south-western boundary of the aforesaid Section 13 and Section 14 of Block E, Whataupoko No. 6, to an angle in Hill Road at its junction with a public road; thence due south across Hill Road to the north-western corner of Lot 2 of Section 53, Block D, Whataupoko No. 6; thence in a south-westerly direction along the north-western boundaries of Lots 2 and 1 of Sections 53 and 47, Block D, Whataupoko No. 6, to and across Adams Road to the north-western corner of Lot 9 of Section 47, Block D, Whataupoko No. 6; thence in a south-easterly direction along the south-western boundary of the aforesaid Lot 9 and the south-western boundaries of parts of Sections 47 and 48 of Block D, Whataupoko No. 6 aforesaid, and the production thereof to the middle of Richardson Avenue; thence in a north-