

Lieutenant V. J. Innes, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Staff Officer in Charge No. 2 Regimental District, Paeroa, dated 31st May, 1929, and is appointed Area Officer, Area 2A, and Adjutant, 1st Battalion, Hauraki Regiment. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Lieutenant G. H. Heal, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Area Officer, Area 2A, Paeroa, dated 31st May, 1929, and is appointed Area Officer, Area 1A, Auckland. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Lieutenant I. R. Withell, Royal N.Z. Artillery, relinquishes the appointment of Area Officer, Area 11B, and Adjutant, Otago Mounted Rifles, Dunedin, dated 14th May, 1929, is seconded to the N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps, and appointed Assistant Inspecting Ordnance Officer and Ordnance Mechanical Engineer at General Headquarters, Wellington. Dated 16th May, 1929.

Lieutenant C. Shuttleworth, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Assistant to Staff Officer in Charge No. 11 Regimental District, Dunedin, dated 14th May, 1929, and is appointed Area Officer, Area 11B, and Adjutant, Otago Mounted Rifles. Dated 15th May, 1929.

Captain J. L. Findlay, *M.C.*, N.Z. Permanent Air Force, relinquishes the appointment of Officer Commanding, N.Z. Air Force Depot, Wigram Aerodrome, Sockburn, dated 20th May, 1929, and proceeded to England on 25th May, 1929, for attachment to the Air Ministry for a period of twelve months.

Captain M. W. Buckley, N.Z. Permanent Air Force, relinquishes the appointment of Flying Instructor, Wigram Aerodrome, dated 20th May, and is appointed Officer Commanding, N.Z. Air Force Depot, Wigram Aerodrome, Sockburn. Dated 21st May, 1929.

Captain W. R. Burge, *M.C.*, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Area Officer, Area 5A, Wellington, dated 17th April, 1929, and is seconded to the N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps with his original rank and seniority, and appointed Assistant Chief Ordnance Officer, Trentham. Dated 18th April, 1929.

Captain W. M. Bell, N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps (*super-numerary*) is appointed Ordnance Officer, Main Depot, and Officer in Charge Trentham Military Camp. Dated 15th March, 1929.

Lieutenant H. E. Erridge, N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps, is appointed Ordnance Officer, Main Depot, Trentham, and Ordnance Officer, Central Military Command. Dated 14th May, 1929.

#### THE REGIMENT OF ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Hon. Lieutenant H. A. Wilson, *D.C.M.*, is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Hon. Captain, with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 15th May, 1929.

#### COMMANDS.

Colonel J. N. McCarroll, *C.M.G.*, *D.S.O.*, v.d., relinquishes command of the 1st N.Z. Mounted Rifles Brigade, and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (a). Dated 31st May, 1929.

Lieutenant-Colonel M. Aldred, the Auckland Mounted Rifles, relinquishes command of the regiment, dated 31st May, 1929, and is appointed to command the 1st N.Z. Mounted Rifles Brigade, and is granted the rank of Colonel. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Major W. C. H. Stevens, the Auckland Mounted Rifles, is appointed to command the regiment, and is granted the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Lieutenant-Colonel L. C. Chaytor, *M.C.*, v.d., the Nelson-Marlborough Mounted Rifles, relinquishes command of the regiment, and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 9. Dated 31st May, 1929.

Major G. N. Taylor, v.d., the Nelson-Marlborough Mounted Rifles, is appointed to command the regiment. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Colonel A. B. Charters, *C.M.G.*, *D.S.O.*, v.d., A.D.C., relinquishes command of the 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (a). Dated 31st May, 1929.

Lieutenant-Colonel S. J. E. Closey, *M.C.*, the Waikato Regiment, relinquishes command of the 1st Battalion, dated 31st May, 1929, and is appointed to command the 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and is granted the rank of Colonel. Dated 1st June, 1929.

Major R. D. McFarland, *M.C.*, the Waikato Regiment, is appointed to command the 1st Battalion, and is granted the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st June, 1929.

#### THE AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

Hon. Lieutenant and Bandmaster J. A. Stewart is transferred to the Northern Depot, Corps of N.Z. Engineers. Dated 31st May, 1929.

#### THE OTAGO MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant D. S. A. Weir to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th November, 1928.

#### THE MANAWATU MOUNTED RIFLES.

Everard Franklin to be Bandmaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1929.

#### THE REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants resign their commissions. Dated 27th May, 1929:—

C. Anderson, 7th Field Battery.  
W. L. Noedl, 8th Field Battery.

#### CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

##### *Northern Depot.*

Honorary Lieutenant and Bandmaster J. A. Stewart, from the Auckland Mounted Rifles, to be Honorary Lieutenant and Bandmaster, with seniority as from the 29th October, 1927. Dated 31st May, 1929.

##### *Central Depot.*

Lieutenant A. R. Entrican is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 5. Dated 1st June, 1929.

##### *Southern Depot.*

2nd Lieutenant R. Faville to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th May, 1929.

#### THE N.Z. INFANTRY.

##### *The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own).*

2nd Lieutenant E. P. Baty ceases to be posted to the 6th C. Battalion, and is posted to the 5th C. Battalion. Dated 23rd May, 1929.

##### *The Waikato Regiment.*

Captain F. H. P. Rogers ceases to be posted to the 1st Battalion, and is posted to the 1st C. Battalion. Dated 30th May, 1929.

##### *The Wellington Regiment.*

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

T. B. Nelson, 1st C. Battalion. Dated 15th November, 1928.

A. H. Fear, 4th C. Battalion. Dated 15th November, 1928.

G. D. L. Lawn, 2nd C. Battalion. Dated 11th February, 1929.

H. L. Hawkins, 2nd C. Battalion. Dated 1st March, 1929.

D. C. Bryson, 4th C. Battalion. Dated 9th May, 1929.

A. T. McL. Scott, 1st Battalion. Dated 9th May, 1929.

J. E. F. Vogel, 4th C. Battalion. Dated 9th May, 1929.

2nd Lieutenant H. A. H. Insull, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the Hawke's Bay Regiment. Dated 8th June, 1929.

2nd Lieutenant N. H. Ames, from the Nelson-Marlborough and West Coast Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority as from the 19th August, 1925, and is posted to the 1st Battalion. Dated 27th May, 1929.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) T. B. Nelson, 1st C. Battalion, is confirmed.

Ivan Austin Bird to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is posted to the 2nd C. Battalion. Dated 18th September, 1928.

Ralph Hogg to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), and is posted to the 5th C. Battalion. Dated 27th May, 1929.

Lieutenant J. Sillitoe, *M.C.*, *M.M.*, is posted to the Retired List with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 8th June, 1929.

##### *The Hawke's Bay Regiment.*

2nd Lieutenant H. A. H. Insull, from the Wellington Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant with seniority as from the 15th May, 1925, is posted to the 1st C. Battalion. Dated 8th June, 1929.

##### *The Canterbury Regiment.*

Captain J. A. Meikle, 1st Battalion, to be Major. Dated 2nd April, 1929.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. B. Allen, 4th C. Battalion. Dated 7th December, 1928.

G. Morris, 1st Battalion. Dated 7th December, 1928.

C. M. Gray, 1st Battalion. Dated 7th December, 1928.

N. W. M. Hawkins, 1st Battalion. Dated 7th December, 1928.