To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Warrant Officer Class I Edward Coleman, Royal New Zealand Army Ordnance Corps. To be Ordinary Officers of the Civil Division aptain (Quartermaster) Donald William of the said Most Excellent Order:— Captain STEWART, New Zealand Regular Force.

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9th June, 1949.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on e occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, and on the advice of His Majesty's New Zealand Ministers, to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:-

To be an Ordinary Commander of the Military. Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Acting Group Captain George Ernest WATT, A.F.C., Royal Air Force.

To be an Ordinary Officer of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Squadron Leader Alston Leonard Partelow (N.Z. 70227), Royal New Zealand Air Force.

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Flight Lieutenant Stanley George THOMPSON (N.Z. 70246), Royal New Zealand Air Force.

Warrant Officer John William MOYNIHAN (N.Z. 70402), Royal New Zealand Air Force:

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- To be Ordinary Knights Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent
- Joseph William Allan HEENAN, Esq., C.B.E., formerly Under Secretary of Internal Affairs, New Zealand.
- James Shelley, Esq., M.A., of Wellington. For outstanding services in the fields of Education, Broadcasting and Drama.
- To be Ordinary Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—
- Gordon Herriot Cunningham, Esq., D.Sc., Ph.D., of Auckland. For services in the field of plant research and plant diseases in New Zealand.
- James Sawers, Esq., formerly Manager, New Zealand Railways. General

- Lieutenant-Colonel Francis William VOELCKER D.S.O., M.C., High Commissioner Western Samoa.
- Miss Margharita Elizabeth Anderson, of Balclutha. For services as Matron of the Balclutha Hospital.

Philip Barling, Esq., of Dunedin. For valu-

able public services.

John Andrew Dempsey, Esq., of Wellington. For valuable services with New Zealand Police Force.

Miss Elsie Mary Haines, of Wellington. For services in connection with organisation and

training of dental nurses.
Kirihi Teriri Maihi Kawiti, Esq., of Bay of Islands. For valuable services to the Maori

people.

- William Morrison, Esq., of Wanganui, for-merly President of the New Zealand Counties Association. For valuable public services.
- Percy Shaw, Esq., of Auckland. For, valuable public services especially in connection with the establishment of a Chair of Obstetrics and Gynaecology at Auckland University College.

Riki Te Mairiki Taiaroa, Esq., of Leeston. For valuable services to the Maori people.

Nugent Hermann Welch, Esq., of Wellington. For valuable services in the field of art in New Zealand.

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:-

Leonard Delabere BESTALL; Esq., of Napier. For services in the fields of art and music. James Davidson HARPER, Esq., of Wellington. For services in the interests of returned servicemen.

Theodore Wright Leslie, Esq., of Wellington. For long services in the field of sport.

Mary Ann, Mrs. McIntyre, of Dunedin. services in connection with welfare work in Dunedin.

William Morton, Esq., of Auckland. long services in connection with amateur sport in New Zealand.

Miss Mary Elizabeth O'SHEA, of Ashburton. For services as obstetrical nurse at Granity.

Ethel Watkins Taylor, Mrs. PRITCHARD, of Gisborne. For long services as District Nurse and Honorary Child Welfare Officer.

Claude Page Reilly, Esq., of Nelson. For long services to the community particularly in the sphere of School Committee work.

Miss Edna Scott, of Wellington. For services in connection with Kindergarten work.

Miss Constance SMEDLEY, of Whangarei. For long service as District Nurse and Inspector in the North Auckland district.

Robert Tutaki Panapa STEWART, Esq., of Hastings. For services in connection with the organisation of Maori shearers during the war years.

The Reverend Hadden Kingston VICKERY, of Auckland. For services as Chaplain to the

Flying Angel Missions to Seamen. James Edward Weir, Esq., of Auckland. For services as Secretary to Y.M.C.A. with H.M.N.Z.S. Philomel.

Miss Claire Elizabeth Wylle, of Dunedin. For services as Head Teacher at the Special School at Itekaieke.