

hed to headquarters. He was promi- ntly associated with aerial relief duties ring the Murchison and Hawke's Bay thquakes.

Rev. G. Robson.

A former student of St. John's College, ekland, the Rev. George Robson was ained in 1911. He left as chaplain h the Expeditionary Force in 1917, r being awarded the Military Cross. m 1923 to 1927, when he was appoint- to his naval chaplaincy post, he was r of Te Awamutu.

Commissioned Gunner Harvey.

ommissioned Gunner Harvey has been of those responsible for the efficient nery training of men of the New land Division of the Royal Navy. served in the last war and was pro- ed to commissioned gunner in 1928.

ARMY TRAINING

Promotions And Postings

he following commissioned officers recently entered the Trentham ilization Camp on being posted to the s shown:—Lieutenant A. W. Suther- , N.Z.M.C., to first section, third on; Lieutenant C. K. Horne, to o details; Captain J. C. Caughey and ain H. R. Feran, from Papakura, to 2 General Hospital; Lieutenant Me- ie to Camp Pay Office; Lieutenant i. Cumming, to 4th Reinforcements edical officer; Lieutenant J. Borrie, amp medical headquarters; Lieuten- W. J. Scholefield, to 4th Reinforce- s, 2nd Div. Signals.

e following men from Burnham o have been transferred to the Cen- District School of Instruction, Trent- for training as prospective N.C.O.'s: Baird, A. Bromwich, R. A. Grace, liver, G. N. Sommerville, and P. R.

ansfers and postings to the recently- ed specialist, forestry,—railway, and eering units have been notified as ws:—

18th Army Troop Company:—Staff- ant L. H. Percival, N.Z.T.S., from Training Unit.

19th Army Troop:—Sergeant E. E. verett, from Army School; R. J. from No. 2 Training Unit.

14th Forestry Company:—R. J. n, from 25th (Wellington) Bat- ; O. N. Stokes and J. J. Fitzgerald, Burnham Camp.

5th Forestry Company:—L. G. C. , from No. 2 Training Unit; A. V. R. D. Healy, L. M. Booth, A. A.

Forestry Company (number of ot stated):—A. B. Donald, from Wellington) Battalion.

Railway Unit (number not stated): aines

following promotions and appoint- have appeared in recent routine :—Staff-Sergeant S. G. Tonks, C., to be Warrant Officer II; Ser- P. L. Wilson, N.Z.D.C., to be Staff- nt; Privates A. M. Bridger, F. J. r, and L. W. Egan, all N.Z.D.C., to porals; Acting-Sergeant J. E. F. to be sergeant; Private A. D. Me- k to be corporal; H. J. Smith, ay Office, to be Warrant Officer II.

band of women helpers was active in preparing supper requirements. The hall presented an animated scene, the colourful frocks of the girls mingling with the khaki, navy and air force blue of the various service uniforms worn by the men.

Their Excellencies who were attend- ed by Captain Lord Dormer and Major R. Stuart-French, were received by an official party consisting of Mrs. P. Fraser, Hon. F. Jones and Mrs. Jones, Hon. W. E. Barnard and Mrs. Barnard, the mayor and mayoress of Wellin- ton, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. A. Hislop, Mr. F. E. Bailey, chairman of the A.N.A. Club executive and Mrs. Bailey, Mes- dames H. F. O'Leary and E. Puttick, club hostesses, Mr. R. C. Burton, vice- chairman and Mrs. Burton, Mesdames E. Luke, H. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibbons, Mr. C. Morton, club sec- retary, Colonel Row, Colonel Cowles and Major and Mrs. Reeves.

From the mayor's room, where Lord- and Lady Galway were welcomed, the party proceeded to the ballroom. On the entrance of the vice-regal guests the orchestra played the National Anthem and, as pre-arranged, the men formed a lane through which their Ex- cellencies and the official party walk- ed to their special alcove. From here the dancing was watched for some time.

Interest Appreciated.

Later from the stage, the mayor, Mr. Hislop, addressed the men and their partners and referred to the wonderful gesture made by their Excellencies in coming to this dance for members of the Third Echelon. Lord Galway ex-

pressed the pleasure Lady Galway and he felt in being present at such a splen- did gathering. Led by the mayor three hearty cheers were given for their Ex- cellencies.

Upstairs, the official party entertain- ed Lord and Lady Galway at supper. A cheery fire burned in the room, and on the table, spread with a lace covering, a lovely centrepiece of pink camellias and fern was arranged.

On Friday night an exceedingly large number of men and girls enjoy- ed dancing at the A.N.A. Club. In addition to the executive the follow- ing assisted in the activities of the club, Mesdames H. Bannerman, Arm- strong, Mr. and Mrs. L. George, Mr. and Mrs. M. Manthel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward, Mr. B. Hartman, Misses D. Harris and McDiarmid. The supper committee acknowledges its ap- preciation of a supper hamper from the Pahautanui branch of the Women's Division of the Farmers' Union, per Mrs. O. Abbott.

Finding ten shillings too much in his pay, Tommy chuckled gleefully and went on the spree.

Next week he found ten shillings too little—and hared it to the pay- master's office.

"Why didn't you say anything when you were overpaid?" asked the officer.

Tommy thought for a few moments. Then: "Well, sir, anyone can forgive a mistake once, but when it happens twice it's high time to complain."

MEN OF FORCES

Exemption From National Security Tax

STATEMENT BY MINISTER

Members of the New Zealand Ex- peditionary Force, both in camp in the Dominion and overseas, are to be exempt from the payment of National Security Tax on their military pay. This was made clear in an interview last night by the Minister of Finance, Mr. Nash, who said that the applica- tion of this tax was exactly similar in all respects to that of the social security charge.

"The exemption from social security charge of members of the forces is effected by regulations gazetted last year," the Minister said, "and as it is specifically provided in the Finance Act which imposed the National Security tax that it is to be assessed, collected, and recovered in precisely the same way as the Social Security charge, the soldiers are thus exempt also from this tax. The members of the Expedition- ary Force in an out of the Dominion are also free from income tax on mili- tary pay."

These concessions did not extend to members of the permanent staff re- maining in New Zealand, Mr. Nash added, and would only apply to the military pay of the territorial forces called up for training.



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VICE-REGAL INTEREST

and Lady Galway At Special A.N.A. Dance

Special dance for men of the Third on and of the Navy and Air was given by the A.N.A. Club turday night in the Wellington Hall. During the evening their encies, Viscount and Viscountess y paid a visit to the dance. More 1000 guests were present. e ten in the morning willing s worked to transfer mthe hall, e occasion. Flags of the Empire draped around the gallery, round llars and in front of the organ, untung festooned the walls. Al- for sitting out were arranged the gallery and the supper were set under the main bal- at the rear of the ballroom, there were also drinks and te stalls. Foliage decorated the From the same early hour, a

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