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TERRITORY OF NEW GUINEA.

No. 23 of 1921.

AN ORDINANCE

Relating to the Service and Execution of Process.

BE it ordained by the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *New Guinea Act 1920*, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the *Service and Execution of Process Ordinance 1921*. Short title.

2. The provisions of the *Service and Execution of Process Act 1901-1918* of the Commonwealth shall apply to the service and execution in the Territory of the civil and criminal process of the Courts of any State or part of the Commonwealth and the execution in the Territory of the judgments of those Courts in like manner as if the Territory were part of the Commonwealth.

Provided that in that application of the Act section eight of the Act shall be read as if after paragraph (a) there were inserted the following paragraph:—

“(a b) If the writ is issued or is to be served in the Territory of New Guinea—Three months;”.

Dated this eighth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

FORSTER,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

E. J. RUSSELL,
for Prime Minister.

PROCLAMATION

Australia to wit.
FORSTER,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by the *Quarantine Act 1908-1920* it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, declare that any place beyond or in Australia is infected with a quarantinable disease or that a quarantinable disease may be brought or carried from or through that place, and that thereupon and so long as the Proclamation remains in force that place shall be a proclaimed place within the meaning of that Act:

And whereas the quarantinable disease plague exists in Sydney in the State of New South Wales:

Now, therefore I, Henry William, Baron Forster, the Governor-General aforesaid, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby declare that Sydney in the State of New South Wales is a place infected with plague or is a place from which plague may be brought or carried to other parts of Australia.

This Proclamation may be cited as Quarantine Proclamation No. 88.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth this eighth day of December, One thousand nine (L.S.) hundred and twenty-one, and in the twelfth year of His Majesty's reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. MASSY GREENE, Minister for Health.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Provided that agricultural seeds, grass seeds, vegetable seeds, flower seeds, and the seeds of pine trees may be imported into Australia subject to the exception of the seeds of any plant of the family *Rosaceae*, and the seeds of any fruit tree.

This Proclamation may be cited as Quarantine Proclamation No. 87.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth this eighth day of December, One thousand nine (L.S.) hundred and twenty-one, and in the twelfth year of His Majesty's reign.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. MASSY GREENE, Minister for Health.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

IN pursuance of the *Commonwealth Railways Act 1917*, I, Henry William, Baron Forster, Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, hereby approve of the following By-law, No. 21, made by the Commonwealth Railways Commissioner under the powers conferred by that Act.

Dated this eighth day of December, 1921.

FORSTER,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

LITTLETON E. GROOM,
Minister for Works and Railways.

PROCLAMATION

Australia to wit.
FORSTER,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by the *Quarantine Act 1908-1920* it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, prohibit the importation into Australia of any plants or parts of plants, and that the power of prohibition shall extend to prohibition generally, or with limitations as to place and subject-matter, and either absolutely or subject to any specified conditions or restrictions:

And whereas by a Proclamation published in the *Gazette* of 29th September, 1921, owing to the existence of Pear Blight or Fire Blight (*Bacillus Amylovorus*) in the Dominion of New Zealand, the importation into Australia from the said Dominion of all plants and parts of plants (including fruit), was prohibited subject to certain conditions:

And whereas it is desirable to modify the said Proclamation:

Now therefore I, Henry William, Baron Forster, the Governor-General aforesaid, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby repeal the said Proclamation, and I do hereby prohibit the importation into Australia from the said Dominion of all plants, and parts of plants (including fruit):

Commonwealth Railways Act 1917.

Pursuant to the powers in that behalf conferred upon me by the *Commonwealth Railways Act 1917*, I hereby make the By-law set forth hereunder, to come into operation as from the first day of November, 1921.

NORRIS G. BELL,
Commonwealth Railways Commissioner.

Melbourne, 30th November, 1921.

BY-LAW No. 21.

The Commissioner will not be liable in respect of the loss of, or damage to, goods at Darwin occurring while the goods are—

- being received into trucks from any vessel at the Jetty, or unloaded from a truck into any vessel at the Jetty;
- on the Jetty or being conveyed between a Sorting Shed and the Jetty in either direction;
- stored on the Jetty, or in a Sorting Shed; or
- in the process of receipt of delivery at a Sorting Shed.

NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF REGULATIONS.

Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office at the price indicated.

Title of Act.	Citation of Statutory Rules.	Particulars of Regulations comprised in Statutory Rules.	Date on which made.	To come into operation.	Price of Statutory Rules.
<i>Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1916</i>	S.R. 1921, No. 227	Amendment of Telephone Regulation 13. (Telephone subscribers carrying on illegal business)	8.12.21	Forthwith	s. d. 0 3
<i>War Service Homes Act 1918-1920</i>	S.R. 1921, No. 228	War Service Homes Regulations.—After regulation 15 is inserted regulation 15A. (Recovery of money due)	8.12.21	Forthwith	0 3
<i>Defence Act 1903-1918</i>	S.R. 1921, No. 229	Australian Military Regulations 1916.—Regulations 167 and 173 inclusive are repealed and heading and new regulation made in lieu. (School of Instruction for the Training of an Instructional Staff of Non-Commissioned Officers.) Regulation 505 is repealed and new regulation made in lieu. (Offences against the Act)	8.12.21	Forthwith	0 3
<i>Quarantine Act 1908-1920</i>	S.R. 1921, No. 230	Quarantine (Plague) Regulations 1921	8.12.21	Forthwith	0 3
<i>Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902-1918</i> (Nineteenth amendment)	S.R. 1921, No. 231	Commonwealth Public Service Regulations—Amendment of regulation 104	8.12.21	Forthwith	0 3

W. M. HUGHES, Prime Minister.

PERMANENT MILITARY FORCES.

WAR DISABILITY SUPERNUMERARY LIST.

Staff Corps.

Lieutenant T. L. HUXTABLE, Staff Corps, is transferred to the Staff Corps, War Disability Supernumerary List, dated 1st November, 1921.—(Ex. Min. No. 468.)

GRANVILLE RYRIE, Acting Minister for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

GRANT OF SUBSTANTIVE RANK ON THE RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the undermentioned being granted substantive rank on the Reserve of Officers equivalent to that held by them in the Australian Imperial Force at the date of the signing of the Armistice, dated 1st January, 1921, except where otherwise stated:—

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Captain.—Honorary Captain LOUIS MICHAEL PIGOTT, Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve.

To be 2nd Lieutenants.—ALFRED GORDON HENRY BOUGHEN and IVAN SCHRODER WEBLEY.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Majors.—Captain (Honorary Major) HUBERT EVELYN ULICK BURKE, Unattached List, Senior Cadets; Captains VINCENT WELLESLEY SAVAGE, D.S.O., and HARRY MANDER NORTH and Lieutenant LESLIE GEORGE FUSSELL, Reserve of Officers.

To be Captains.—Honorary Captain WILLIAM JOHNSTONE BINNS, M.C., Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve, and Lieutenant ALFRED LESLIE POLSON, M.C., Reserve of Officers.

To be Lieutenant.—JACK MORRISON GREGORY.

CANCELLATION.

Referring to Executive Minutes Nos. 494/1920 and 176/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 93, dated 28th October, 1920, and No. 43, dated 12th May, 1921, concerning the grant of the substantive rank of Lieutenant on the Reserve of Officers to FREDERICK WILLIAM NORTON, the notification which appeared in Executive Minute No. 176/1921 is cancelled.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Majors.—HAROLD BRUCE SUTTOR and ERNEST EDERBLOM KING, Captain JOHN VICTOR HUME GUEST, Reserve of Officers, and Honorary Captain JOSEPH STANLEY REED, Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve.

To be Captains.—FREDERICK GEORGE CODE and Lieutenants JOHN ALAN JOHNSTON and STANLEY GLADSTONE GILMOUR, Reserve of Officers.

To be Lieutenants.—ROSS HEPBURN, NORMAN CLYDE JOHNSON, LIONEL FOSTER ARMSTRONG, and JOHN STAWEL KENNEDY.

To be 2nd Lieutenants.—AUBURN DOUGLAS CALLOW. (This amends the notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 271/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 61, dated 28th July, 1921.)

CANCELLATION.

Referring to Executive Minutes Nos. 367/1921 and 368/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 70, dated 8th September, 1921, and No. 72, dated 15th September, 1921, respectively, concerning the appointment of FREDERICK ALEXANDER BURROWS as 2nd Lieutenant, Reserve of Officers, the notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 367/1921 is cancelled.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Captain.—JOHN FRANCIS STUART MURRAY, M.B.E., M.C., 1st March, 1921, and Lieutenant EDWARD THEODORE PASCOE, Reserve of Officers.

CANCELLATIONS.

Referring to Executive Minute Nos. 336/1920 and 403/1920, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 61, dated 22nd July, 1920, and No. 72, dated 2nd September, 1920, respectively, concerning the appointment of RICHARD CLARENCE SEXTON to be Captain, Reserve of Officers, the notification respecting his appointment which appeared in Executive Minute No. 403/1920 is cancelled.

The notification respecting the appointment of A. T. MATTERS as Lieutenant, Reserve of Officers, which appeared in Executive Minute No. 297/1920, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 59, dated 8th July, 1920, is cancelled, as he is already serving as an officer on the Active List, Australian Military Forces.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Captain.—ROBERT ALYTH KEAY.

To be Lieutenant.—CYRIL CECIL FLOWER.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Major.—Honorary Major BERTRAM INGRAM, Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve.

To be Captains.—Honorary Captains REGINALD M. WEBSTER, GEORGE MUSGRAVE PARKER, DAVID SMITH HENDERSON, CLEMENT GORDON HARRIS, and DONALD PEDRO LUCADON WELLS, Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve.

CANCELLATION.

The notification respecting the appointment of Honorary Lieutenant WILLIAM THOMAS ELLIS as Lieutenant, Reserve of Officers, which appeared in Executive Minute No. 287/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 61, dated 28th July, 1921, is cancelled, as he is already serving as a Warrant Officer (Class II.), Australian Instructional Corps.—(Ex. Min. No. 470.)

GRANVILLE RYRIE, Acting Minister for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the undermentioned officers, serving on the 30th March, 1921, with units of the Old Organization, the Unattached List, the Reserve of Officers, &c., being transferred, appointed, or promoted to the following units under nomenclature of the New Organization, with the ranks stated against their respective names, and with regimental or corps seniority in the order shown; such transfers, appointments, promotions, &c., to take effect from the 31st March, 1921, unless otherwise stated:—

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

Australian Army Medical Corps.—Colonel A. H. MARKS, C.B.E., D.S.O., Australian Army Medical Corps, and to be supernumerary to the establishment of Colonels, with pay and allowances of Lieutenant-Colonel, from 31st March, 1921, to 31st July, 1921; Colonel A. G. BUTLER, D.S.O., Australian Army Medical Corps, and to be supernumerary to the establishment of Colonels, with pay and allowances of Lieutenant-Colonel, from 31st March, 1921, to 31st August, 1921; Major C. J. WEDDON, Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) F. C. WOOSTER, D.S.O., and Major H. S. McLELLAND, Australian Army Medical Corps; Captain (Honorary Major) W. R. KELLY, from the Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve and to be Major, 1st September, 1921; Captain G. A. C. DOUGLAS, Captain (Honorary Major) J. S. SMYTH, and Captain C. M. LILLEY, Australian Army Medical Corps; Captain (provisionally and temporarily) E. CUPLIN, and Captain (temporarily) R. WALLACE, Australian Army Medical Corps, and to be Captains; Captains E. S. MEYERS and W. J. FEARNLEY, Australian Army Medical Corps; Captain (provisionally and temporarily) E. J. SAVAGE, Australian Army Medical Corps, and to be Captain (provisionally); Captain (provisionally) D. E. A. BUCHANAN, Captain (Honorary Major) J. G. AVERY, Captain (provisionally) A. D. McKENZIE, Captains E. G. THOMSON, M.C., P. E. VOSS, M.C., C. SHELLSHEAR, R. M. ALLAN, M.C., J. V. J. DUHIG, B. L. HAET, and W. L. MILLETT, Australian Army Medical Corps; Honorary Captain N. C. TALBOT, M.C., from the Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve, 2nd Military District, and to be Captain, 1st September, 1921; Captain WALTER HENRY STEEL, from the Reserve of Officers, 3rd Military District, and to be Captain (provisionally), 1st September, 1921; Lieutenant (provisionally) I. V. YOFFA, Australian Army Medical Corps; BURNETT LESLIE WOODBURN CLARKE, M.B., B.S., to be Lieutenant (provisionally), 1st September, 1921.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Major A. H. CORY, Australian Army Veterinary Corps; Captain A. J. McKENZIE and Captain (provisionally) S. SPEER, Australian Army Veterinary Corps.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Major M. HENRY, D.S.O., Australian Army Veterinary Corps, 31st March, 1921, and to be Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st July, 1921; Captain C. N. CALLOW, Australian Army Veterinary Corps, and to be Major; Majors C. L. O'GORMAN and R. C. BELL, from the Reserve of Officers; Captains R. A. DOWLING and F. C. E. GEYER, from the Reserve of Officers, 3rd Military District; Captains W. L. HINDMARSH and H. S. LUCAS, from the Reserve of Officers; Honorary Captain L. L. MANCHESTER, from the Australian Army Veterinary Corps Reserve, 3rd Military District, and to be Captain; Captain G. K. THORPE, from the Reserve of Officers; FRANK WHITEHOUSE, B.V.Sc., to be Captain (provisionally), 1st July, 1921; JOHN NORMAN LAWSON, B.V.Sc., HAROLD GEORGE RICH, B.V.Sc., and IAN CLUNIES-ROSS, B.V.Sc., to be Lieutenants (provisionally), 1st July, 1921.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Captain (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) W. A. KENDALL, Captain and Brevet-Major J. KENDALL, O.B.E., and Captain (Honorary Major) G. G. HESLOP, D.S.O., Australian Army Veterinary Corps, and to be Majors; Major S. FLETCHER, M.C., from the Reserve of Officers; Captain (Honorary Major) R. J. DE C. TALBOT, Australian Army Veterinary Corps, and to be Major (provisionally); Major H. WORTHINGTON, from the Reserve of Officers, and to be Captain; Captain W. H. FINNEY, from the Reserve of Officers, 4th Military District; Captains A. C. WILSON, D. T. JONES, and J. B. LEITCH, V.D., and Captain (provisionally) R. N. JOHNSTONE, Australian Army Veterinary Corps; Captain R. H. HEYWOOD, from the Reserve of Officers; Private ALFRED EDWIN PHILLIPS to be Honorary Captain, 16th April, 1917; Honorary Captain A. E. PHILLIPS to be Captain; Captains H. TUCKER, E. A. MYLREA, and P. T. KELYNACK, from the Reserve of Officers, with corps seniority next before Captain G. FETHERS; Honorary Captain D. J. SEFTON, from the Australian Army Veterinary Corps Reserve, and to be Lieutenant (provisionally), with corps seniority next before Lieutenant (provisionally) H. W. BENNETTS.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Australian Army Service Corps.—Lieutenant-Colonel L. C. SANDO, D.S.O., Australian Army Service Corps, with pay and allowances of Major; Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) F. L. HENLEY, D.S.O., O.B.E., Australian Army Service Corps; Lieutenant F. C. DREW, Lieutenant (provisionally) C. W. MARTIN, Lieutenant J. B. MACMAHON, and Lieutenant (provisionally) L. H. DREWER, Australian Army Service Corps.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Major C. A. LOXTON, Australian Army Veterinary Corps; Captain and Brevet-Major F. MURRAY-JONES, Australian Army Veterinary Corps; Captains (provisionally) W. R. B. WAKEHAM and R. H. F. MACINDOE, O.B.E., Australian Army Veterinary Corps, and to be Captains; Captain (provisionally) S. J. KNEEBONE, Australian Army Veterinary Corps.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Major E. A. LE SOUEF, V.D., Australian Army Veterinary Corps; Captain E. A. WESTON and Captain (provisionally) A. L. M. CLARK, Australian Army Veterinary Corps.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

ARMY VETERINARY CORPS.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—Captain (provisionally) R. C. T. PHILIP, Australian Army Veterinary Corps. (Ex. Min. No. 466.)

GRANVILLE RYRIE, Acting Minister for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following changes being made in connexion with the Australian Military Forces:—

AWARD OF THE MEDAL FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE.

Ordnance Department.—Major and Quartermaster W. CHALMERS, Army Head-Quarters.

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

1ST CAVALRY DIVISION.

Cavalry.

14th Light Horse.—Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) F. EVANS, M.C., is transferred from the 2nd Light Horse (old organization) and to be Captain, with regimental seniority next after Captain W. C. Logan, 31st March, 1921.

DISTRICT BASE.

Staff.

Major W. R. KELLY, Australian Army Medical Corps, is appointed Assistant Director of Hygiene, 1st September, 1921.

Unattached List.—Captain A. J. MACDONALD is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st November, 1921; Captain R. C. NOWLAND is transferred from the 36th Battalion, 2nd Military District, 1st November, 1921.

Reserve of Officers.—Captain R. A. CLINTON, M.C., is appointed to the Australian Engineers, 2nd Military District, 31st March, 1921.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

1ST DIVISION.

Infantry.

13th Battalion.—The resignation of Lieutenant W. N. DANN of his commission is accepted, 1st November, 1921.

33rd Battalion.—Lieutenant H. E. BEAN is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 3rd Military District, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant C. L. Sturt, M.C., 31st March, 1921.

35th Battalion.—Captain E. T. MANEFIELD, M.C., is appointed to command the Senior Cadet Battalion and is granted the honorary rank of Major whilst holding such appointment, 16th November, 1921.

2ND DIVISION.

Staff.

Lieutenant J. P. AUSTIN, M.C., is seconded from the 45th Battalion, and is appointed Divisional Gas Officer, Divisional Head-Quarters, 1st November, 1921.

Infantry.

20th Battalion.—Lieutenant J. M. HESSON is transferred from the 5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant G. R. H. BURRELL, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant (provisionally) C. B. FRYER is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be 2nd Lieutenant, 1st December, 1921.

36th Battalion.—To be Major—Captain W. E. SMITH, M.C., 1st December, 1921. Lieutenant A. H. MINCHIN is transferred from the 5th Battalion, 53rd Infantry Regiment, 31st March, 1921, and to be Captain, 1st July, 1921; Captain R. C. NOWLAND is transferred to the Unattached List, 1st Military District, 1st November, 1921; Lieutenant E. M. RAYNES is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st December, 1921.

45th Battalion.—Lieutenant (provisionally) J. P. AUSTIN, M.C., is transferred from the 5th Battalion, 45th Infantry Regiment, and to be Lieutenant, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant J. W. Stockham, 31st March, 1921. (The notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 117/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 27, of 24th March, 1921, is cancelled). Lieutenant W. L. O. MALLARD, M.C., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant A. C. Bird, 31st March, 1921.

56th Battalion.—Captain D. CHALMERS, M.C., is transferred from the 5th Battalion, 2nd Infantry Regiment, with regimental seniority next after Captain S. A. Pinkstone, M.C., 31st March, 1921.

Engineers.

Australian Engineers.—Signal Service.—Major G. G. S. GORDON, D.S.O., is appointed to command the 1st Divisional Signals and to be Lieutenant-Colonel, 1st December, 1921.

Army Service Corps.

Australian Army Service Corps.—Captain H. M. TATHAM, M.C., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with corps seniority next after Captain L. K. Stevenson, 31st March, 1921; Captain H. F. COHEN is transferred from the Unattached List, with corps seniority next after Captain J. K. L. Eaton, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) E. W. ATKINSON is appointed from the Reserve of Officers and to be Captain, with corps seniority next after Captain H. F. Cohen, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant H. P. CHAMBERLAIN, M.C., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 5th Military District, with corps seniority next after Lieutenant S. Berkeley, 31st March, 1921.

FIXED DEFENCES.

Engineers.

Australian Engineers.—Fortress Units.—Lieutenant J. N. RUSSELL is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 15th September, 1921. (This amends the notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 384/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 74, of 22nd September, 1921.) The resignation of Lieutenant L. J. DUFFY of his provisional appointment is accepted, 1st December, 1921.

Reserve of Officers.—Major H. A. MANN, M.C., is appointed to the 29th Battalion, 3rd Military District, 31st March, 1921; Captain W. J. EARLE, M.C., is appointed to the Australian Engineers, 4th Military District, 31st March, 1921; Captain T. N. W. B. STEELE, M.C., is appointed to the 2nd Light Horse, 1st Military District, 31st March, 1921.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

2ND CAVALRY DIVISION.

Staff.

Captain H. W. CUMING, M.C., is seconded from the 13th Light Horse, and is appointed Staff Officer, 2nd Grade, Administrative Staff, Divisional Head-Quarters, 1st November, 1921.

Cavalry.

*8th Light Horse.—To be Lieutenants (provisionally).—*WILLIAM FLEMING BELCHER, GEORGE ARTHUR GABSIDE, and JOSEPH ALBERT WRIGHT, 20th October, 1921.

*13th Light Horse.—*Captain H. W. CUMING, M.C., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with regimental seniority next after Captain A. J. Arnott, 31st March, 1921.

3RD DIVISION.

Staff.

Major H. A. MANN, M.C., is seconded from the 29th Battalion and is appointed Staff Officer, 2nd Grade, Administrative Staff, Divisional Head-Quarters, 1st November, 1921; Captain H. O. TOWNSEND, O.B.E., is seconded from the 59th Battalion, and is appointed Assistant Staff Officer, 2nd Grade, Administrative Staff, Divisional Head-Quarters, 1st July, 1921. (This amends the notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 336/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 65, of 18th August, 1921.)

Infantry.

*24th Battalion.—*Lieutenant G. W. BEEFORTH-MILJOEN is transferred from the 46th Battalion, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant J. B. Cairnduff, 1st November, 1921.

*29th Battalion.—*Major H. A. MANN, M.C., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 2nd Military District, with regimental seniority next after Major G. S. Armfield, 31st March, 1921.

*37th Battalion.—*Captain R. G. MOSS, M.C., is transferred from the 2nd Battalion, 37th Infantry Regiment, with regimental seniority next before Captain J. A. Whitaker, 31st March, 1921.

*46th Battalion.—To be Lieutenants—*2nd Lieutenant PERCY MAGNUS; Senior Cadets; Captain ROBERT WILLIAM McCULLOUGH, Senior Cadets; 2nd Lieutenant GEOFFREY WILLIAM BEEFORTH-MILJOEN, Senior Cadets; CYRIL ERIC MURRAY and AUBYN CLAUDE SCOTT, 2nd Lieutenants; RAYMOND TAIT SEXTON, JAMES HENRY DOOLY, and ALFRED ERNEST ROBINSON, Senior Cadets; THOMAS HALE SHAW and 2nd Lieutenant ARCHIBALD JAMES MACARTHUR, Senior Cadets, 1st July, 1921. (This amends the notification respecting these officers which appeared in Executive Minute No. 368/1921, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 72, of 15th September, 1921.)

*48th Battalion.—To be Lieutenant—*RICHARD TREGURTHA ROLLS, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant L. Withall, 31st March, 1921. *To be Lieutenant (provisionally)—*PERCY CLARENCE SPILLER, 1st December, 1921.

4TH DIVISION.

Infantry.

*8th Battalion.—*Lieutenant C. E. HUNKIN is transferred to the 10th Battalion, 1st October, 1921.

*38th Battalion.—To be Lieutenant—*2nd Lieutenant WALLACE ANDREW SCOLES, Senior Cadets, 1st December, 1921.

Engineers.

*Australian Engineers.—(i) Field Units.—To be Lieutenant (provisionally)—*WILLIAM FREDERICK DENCH, 1st December, 1921. *(ii) Signal Service.—*Lieutenant S. FOUNTAIN, D.C.M., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with corps seniority next after Lieutenant O. F. Metcher, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant F. E. MOORE, M.B.E., is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with corps seniority next after Lieutenant S. M. LARKINS, 31st March, 1921.

Army Service Corps.

*Australian Army Service Corps.—*Lieutenant J. G. S. STEWART is transferred from the 6th Battalion, with corps seniority next after Lieutenant C. E. Windridge, 1st November, 1921.

*Unattached List.—*Captain R. J. L. HILDYARD is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st November, 1921; Quartermaster and Honorary Captain S. E. SIMPSON is placed on the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform, 1st November, 1921.

*Reserve of Officers.—*Major E. S. ANDERSON, M.C., is appointed to the Australian Engineers, 2nd Military District, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant G. E. GABRIEL, M.M., is appointed to the Australian Engineers, 4th Military District, 31st March, 1921; Lieutenant H. E. BEAN is appointed to the 33rd Battalion, 2nd Military District, 31st March, 1921; 2nd Lieutenant E. C. BROWNE is appointed to the Australian Engineers, 2nd Military District, and to be Lieutenant (provisionally), 31st March, 1921.

The undermentioned officers are placed on the Retired List, with the ranks stated, and with permission to wear the prescribed uniform, 1st December, 1921:—With the rank of

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Major—Honorary Major T. CHERRY; with the honorary rank of Major—Captain S. SHERLOCK; with the rank of Captain—Captains G. WHITE, V.D., J. W. M. BUICK, and C. J. DUNCAN; with the honorary rank of Captain—Honorary Captain W. J. COTTER.

The undermentioned officers are retired under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 158 (h), 1st December, 1921:—Honorary Captains L. R. STEELE, R. J. LOOSLI, and T. B. RYAN, and Lieutenant H. T. DOWNE.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

2ND CAVALRY DIVISION.

Cavalry.

*23rd Light Horse.—To be Lieutenant—*ERNEST RUSSELL STUART, 9th November, 1921.

4TH DIVISION.

Infantry.

*10th Battalion.—*Lieutenant C. E. HUNKIN is transferred from the 8th Battalion, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant (provisionally) J. A. TRAVERS, 1st October, 1921.

*27th Battalion.—To be Lieutenant (provisionally)—*WILLIAM HERBERT HICKSON ADAMS, 1st November, 1921.

*43rd Battalion.—To be Lieutenants—*Captain JAMES BERNARD O'CONNOR, Senior Cadets, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant (provisionally) G. G. G. SOLLY, 1st August, 1921; Lieutenant FRANCIS GRIFFITH JOHN PLACE, Senior Cadets, and 2nd Lieutenants IVOR ODLUM CLAXTON and ALBERT BALDOCK, Senior Cadets, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant (provisionally) H. G. BURDON, 1st November, 1921. *To be Lieutenant (provisionally)—*HAROLD GEORGE BURDON, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant (provisionally) J. B. SPELLS, 1st November, 1921. Lieutenant J. B. O'CONNOR is appointed to command, temporarily, the Senior Cadet Battalion, and is granted the honorary rank of Captain whilst holding such appointment, 1st October, 1921. Captain (Honorary Major) H. THOMSON, M.C., relinquishes the command of the Senior Cadet Battalion and the honorary rank of Major, 30th September, 1921.

*Reserve of Officers.—*Captain W. H. FINNEY is appointed to the Australian Army Veterinary Corps, 3rd Military District, 31st March, 1921.

Rifle Clubs.

*Amalgamation.—*The East Torrens and the Reedbeds Rifle Clubs are amalgamated and designated the "Reedbeds Rifle Club."

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

13TH MIXED BRIGADE.

Infantry.

*11th Battalion.—*Lieutenant D. A. JAMES is granted the honorary rank of Captain whilst commanding a Company of the Senior Cadet Battalion, 31st March, 1921.

*Reserve of Officers.—*Lieutenant H. P. CHAMBERLAIN, M.C., is appointed to the Australian Army Service Corps, 2nd Military District, 31st March, 1921.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

12TH MIXED BRIGADE.

Engineers.

*Australian Engineers (Field Units).—To be Captain—*Lieutenant F. H. FOSTER, with corps seniority next after Captain N. E. DOWDEN, 1st October, 1921.

Infantry.

*51st Battalion.—*Lieutenant W. J. HAWLEY is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st November, 1921.

*52nd Battalion.—To be Lieutenant—*2nd Lieutenant ALBERT GRAY BENJAMIN, Senior Cadets, 16th November, 1921.

OLD ORGANIZATION.

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

*Australian Army Medical Corps.—*Colonel D. G. CROLL, C.B.E., and Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. ROSS, D.S.O., are transferred to the Unattached List, 31st August, 1921; Captains A. M. LANGAN and J. J. POWER, D.S.O., are transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be Majors, 31st March, 1921, and 9th July, 1921, respectively; Captains M. S. PATTERSON and L. P. WINTERBOTHAM are transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 31st March, 1921; Captains R. S. BERRY and G. A. RENWICK are transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 31st October, 1921; Captain (provisionally) H. EVANS is transferred to the Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve, and to be Honorary Captain, 1st April, 1921; Captain (provisionally and temporarily) M. L. CAMERON and Captain (provisionally)

J. H. MACARTHUR are transferred to the Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve and to be Honorary Captains, 1st November, 1921; Captain A. P. ROSS is placed on the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform, 30th November, 1921; Lieutenant (provisionally) W. L. CALOV is transferred to the Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve, and to be Honorary Captain, 9th October, 1921.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

4th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—Captain T. J. McHUGH is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 4th November, 1921.

13th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—The appointment of W. H. PIGGOTT to be Lieutenant (temporarily) is terminated, 1st December, 1921.

17th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Major W. V. J. BLAKE is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st December, 1921.

20th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—Lieutenant (temporarily) L. N. EGGLEY is retransferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be Captain, 1st November, 1921.

30th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant L. V. SIMPSON of his temporary appointment is accepted, 1st December, 1921.

Australian Army Medical Corps Reserve.—To be Honorary Captain—NORMAN CHARLES TALBOT, M.B., Ch.B., 6th April, 1915.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

29th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant (provisionally) (Honorary Captain) A. L. T. COLE, M.C., of his commission is accepted, on appointment to the Royal Australian Air Force, 31st March, 1921. The appointment of N. BAECLAY, D.C.M., to be Lieutenant (temporarily) is terminated, 1st December, 1921. (Ex. Min. No. 467.)

GRANVILLE RYRIE, Acting Minister for Defence.