



LIEUTENANT R. E. MOORE

Dick Moore was born in Auckland on the 18th February, 1922. His education was received at King's College, Auckland, where he had a brilliant career. He was head prefect and a member of the first XV for three years, and senior athletic champion for two years. In addition he holds the New Zealand Secondary Schools Hurdles and High Jump Records.

He enlisted with the Waikato Mounted Rifles (4th Light Armoured Fighting Vehicle Regiment) in December, 1940, and was granted a commission in October, 1941. He was appointed aide-de-camp to Major-General H. E. Barrowclough, C.B., D.S.O., M.C., E.D., at the 1st Division in June, 1942, and he continued to act as aide-de-camp when the General took over the 3rd Division in August, 1942. He remained at Divisional Headquarters

until he was posted to the 37th Battalion in March, 1944, when the unit was at Green Island.

A farmer by occupation, his sporting interests have centred mainly in horses, particularly in hunting and showing.

His post-war address will be Howick, Auckland.

CAPTAIN M. L. MORGAN

Captain Morgan, who was a foundation member of the 37th Battalion, was born at Wellington on 4th December, 1914. He attended Wellington College and Victoria University College, graduating LL.B.

Captain Morgan was employed in a Wellington legal firm, and later in the legal department of the State Advances Corporation. He was transferred to the Corporation's Branch at New Plymouth as legal officer in 1939.

He commenced service with the Taranaki Regiment on 1st July, 1940, being commissioned two months later, and subsequently being promoted to Lieutenant. Service in the N.Z.E.F. commenced in July, 1941, when he entered Army School, Trentham, with the rank of 2nd Lieutenant. He was posted to 37th Battalion in December, 1941, as Medium Machine Gun Platoon Commander, and served through Fiji, a great deal of his time being spent on Courts Martial and Courts of Enquiry.

Before leaving New Zealand for New Caledonia he was appointed Second in Command of C Company, and was appointed Officer Commanding in March, 1943, which position he held, owing to senior officers being at courses, through the Vella operations till December, 1943, when he resumed his appointment as Second in Command.

Captain Morgan has lost count of the number of Summaries of Evidence he has taken and Courts of Enquiry he has presided over. He claims active participation in over 50 Courts Martial since being in the Force, as well as being unofficial (and unpaid) coroner to the Division. He advocates professional allowance for lawyers in the Forces, and will be pleased to renew old associations with military "clients" after the war from 1700 to 1800 hours daily at the bar of New Plymouth's leading hostelry.

