

46 Rev. Matthew MULLINEAUX.

New Zealand Chaplains' Dept., attd. 2nd N.Z. Entrenching Bn.

Q. During operations near DICKEBUSCH on 8th and 9th May, 1918.
The Medical Officer became a casualty very early on the morning
of the 8th. The Reverend MULLINEAUX took charge of the Regimental
Aid Post, dressed the wounded, and supervised the evacuations.
The Regimental Aid Post was subjected to very heavy H.E. and Gas
shell fire for at least 12 hours, and but for his exceptional skill,
energy, and administration a serious congestion of wounded would
have occurred. His untiring energy and cheerful service in
providing comfort for the troops under adverse circumstances was
a great asset to the Battalion.