

The undermentioned relinquish their commns. on ceasing to be empld. :—

Lt. P. B. Whillier. 2nd April 1918.

2nd Lt. J. R. McGregor. 26th April 1918.

Lt. C. E. Lugard (Lt. E. Surr. R.). 27th May 1918.

Lt. E. V. Maclean (Lt., R.F.A., T.F.). 30th May 1918.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) A. M. W. Wells (Lt., R.N.V.R.). 7th June 1918.

15th June 1918.

Lt. (temp. Capt.) W. Murray (Capt., Sea. Highrs.).

Lt. (Hon. Capt.) H. Gartside-Tippinge (Lt., R.N.).

Lt. M. B. Hughes (Asst. Paymaster, R.N.V.R.). 17th June 1918.

*India Office,*

21st June, 1918.

The KING has approved the appointment of Honorary Major-General His Highness Maharajadhiraja Sri Sir Bhupindar Singh Mahindar, Bahadur, G.C.I.E., G.B.E., Maharaja of Patiala, to be Honorary Colonel of the 15th Ludhiana Sikhs. Dated 15th June, 1918.

*India Office,*

21st June, 1918.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Indian Army, Indian Army Departments, and Indian Army Reserve of Officers:—

INDIAN ARMY.

*Majors to be Lieut.-Cols.*

28th Oct. 1917.

W. J. Mitchell.

5th Dec. 1917.

Bt. Col. H. J. P. Browne.

Bt. Lieut.-Col. H. W. Jackson.

Bt. Col. A. Skeen, C.M.G., A.D.C.

A. M. Houston.

Bt. Lieut.-Col. W. W. Bickford, C.I.E.

*Captains to be Majors.*

17th Oct. 1917.

E. S. Hancock.

19th Oct. 1917.

B. M. Carroll.

22nd Oct. 1917.

Hon. M. W. R. De Courey, D.S.O.

H. B. Vernon, M.C.

A. S. Auret.

T. O. Wilkinson.

W. K. P. Wilson.

12th Dec. 1917.

H. Gillies.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

8th Dec. 1917.

*Dy. Commy. with the hon. rank of Capt. to be Commy. with the hon. rank of Major.*

F. J. Utting.

*Asst. Commy. with the hon. rank of Lieut. to be Dy. Commy. with the hon. rank of Capt.*

A. Robertson.

*To be Asst. Commy. with the hon. rank of Lieut.*

Condr. W. Willingford.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

*Lieuts. to be temp. Majors.*

1st Aug. 1917.

Temp. Capt. J. K. Williams.

3rd Dec. 1917.

A. E. B. Forbes.

*Lieuts. to be Capts.*

18th Aug. 1917.

H. L. Cooper.

1st Nov. 1917.

R. Neild.

*Lieuts. to be temp. Capts.*

19th Apr. 1917.

D. P. Copeland.

31st Oct. 1917.

H. B. Bennett.

G. T. Gill.

1st Dec. 1917.

S. S. Angelo.

21st Dec. 1917.

W. E. J. Dobbs.

*Lieuts. to be temp. Capts. but without pay and allowances of that rank.*

8th Dec. 1917.

W. J. O'Grady.

10th Dec. 1917.

H. C. B. Jollye.

21st Dec. 1917.

S. L. Nathan.

*Sec. Lieuts. to be temp. Capts.*

5th Dec. 1917.

G. H. Allen.

8th Dec. 1917.

S. H. Covernton.

15th Dec. 1917.

H. Banham.

*Sec. Lieuts. to be temp. Capts., but without pay and allowances of that rank.*

4th Dec. 1917.

W. R. C. Callander.

C. E. Jones.

*Sec. Lieuts. to be Lieuts.*

24th Feb. 1916.

C. Russell (since decd.).

13th Mar. 1917.

Tempy. Capt. A. E. Baird.

*Sec. Lieuts. to be temp. Lieuts.*

26th Nov. 1917.

H. Linskill.

9th Dec. 1917.

J. S. Manook.

10th Dec. 1917.

A. M. Walker.

NOTE.—The promotion of Lieut. A. E. Baird, I.A.R.O., to the temp. rank of Capt. is antedated to 13th Mar. 1916 (but without pay and allowances prior to 10th Apr. 1917).

NOTE.—In the notification in the London Gazette of 2nd Nov. 1917, against the name of Sec. Lieut. W. P. Chowns, after the words