sary to institute, and will be required to undergo a period of probation for two years at a College or University in the United Kingdom approved by the Secretary of State. Selected candidates will be entitled to free passages to and from the United Kingdom and will be paid an allowance at the rate of £200 sterling per annum during the period of probation, subject to good conduct. At the end of this period of probation they will be tested by the Civil Service Commissioners, or by an authority in India specially empowered in this behalf, in Indian Law and Languages, and in any other subjects which may be prescribed, and in riding. They will not be appointed to the Indian Civil Service until they have been certified to have fulfilled these tests.

10. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application through persons of influence will disqualify him for ap-Spontaneous recommendations pointment. from persons who are not themselves acquainted with the candidate's work at school, or at the University, or otherwise, will be disregarded.

Recruitment in United Kingdom.

For Rule 5 of the Rules of 7th January, 1919, relating to the appointment of candidates who have served in H.M.'s Forces during the War which stands as follows:-

"5. Every candidate must have received continuous and systematic education of a high type until at least the age of 18, and must produce satisfactory evidence that if he has not received University education, he would have been justified in proceeding from school to a University with a view to taking high honours'

it is proposed to substitute the following

"5. Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that they have received whole-time continuous and systematic education up to the age of 18, or to the date of entering H.M.'s Forces, whichever is the earlier, and must also produce satisfactory evidence that if they have not received University education, they would have been justified in proceeding from school to a University with a view to taking high honours."

On account of urgency the Secretary of State for India in Council has, under section 2 of the Statute 56 and 57 Victoria, ch. 66, made the above rules to come into operation forthwith as provisional rules to continue in force until rules have been made in accordance with the provisions of section 1 of that Act.

Copies of the foregoing new Rules and of the Form of Application referred to in the Rules for recruitment in India may be obtained from the Secretary, Judicial and Public Depart-ment, India Office, S.W. 1.

> India Office, 4th November, 1919.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following Officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, Indian Army Departments, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, and Indian Defence Force:

INDIAN ARMY.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

5th May 1919.

P. H. Hockaday, C. F. L. Ruck, J. Magner.

G. Kirkbride. 1st June 1919.

A. V. F. Hampton. 5th June 1919. C. Campbell-Harris. 16th June 1919, H. J. Underwood. 17th June 1919.

22nd June 1919.

D. N. Pitcairn, E. M. Carter, E. O. Whitamore.

J. C. Platts. 25th June 1919.

B. K. White. 3rd July 1919.

C. T. I. Roark. 7th July 1919.

E. C. F. Clennell, M.C. 8th July 1919.

14th July 1919.

R. H. Baines, M.C., E. Cameron.

L. E. Wilson. 18th July 1919.

W. H. Pike. 20th July 1919.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

J. McE. Lowson. 9th June 1919.

26th June 1919.

R. A. Latimer, L. C. Langley.

Temp. Second Lieutenants to be temp. Lieutenants.

E. T. Lloyd. 19th Mar. 1919.

7th June 1919.

E. Livesey, A. C. Sparham, W. Duckenfield, E. W. Wyatt (since deceased), B. Brunger.

Kumar Shri Mulraj Singh. 15th June 1919.

.10th July 1919. T. H. Hall, H. W. M. Stott.

Note.—In the notification in the Lon. Gaz. dated 16th Sept. 1919, making certain promotions in the Indian Army, for "J. W. V. Sadlier" read "J. W. V. Sadleir."

Note.—With reference to the notification in the Lon. Gaz. dated 6th Apr. 1917, Major George Elliott Dundas Mouat, D.S.O., 1/63rd Palamcottah L.I., will take seniority in his present rank next below Major George Harley Newcombe, Supy. List, and next above Major Mark Eliot, Army Clothing Dept., his previous forfeited service having been restored for good service in the field.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Temp. Lieutenants to be temp. Captains.

Shambhu Nath Aggarwal, M.B. 4th July

Anthony Peter Dias. 4th May 1919.

Gurudinanall Lokran Dudani, M.B. 11th May

Iqbal Singh Nalwa, M.B. 16th May 1919. Jamshed Edulji Frenchman, M.B. 19th May 1919.

Shanker Ganpatrao Wagle, M.B. 20th May 1919.

Jayashanker Girishanker Trividi. 20th May 1919.

Narayan Hari Kulkani. 27th May 1919. George Durairaj Ganamuttu. 28th May 1919.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

To be Asst. Commissary with the rank of Lieutenant.

Conductor George William Sanderson. 21st Oct. 1918.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant to be temp. Major.

B. Temple. 7th July 1919.