Air Ministry. 21st October, 1921.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS.

STORES BRANCH.

Flight Lt. Walter John Brice CURTIS, O.B.E., is transferred to the Stores Branch. 21st Oct. 1921.

TECHNICAL BRANCH.

Lt. Richard Anderson Webster (O.) to be Lt., Cat. A. 13th Aug. 1918. (Substituted for the notifications in the Gazettes of 7th Feb. 1919 and 21st Jan. 1919.)

2nd Lt. Leonard Francis Bennett is transferred to the unemployed list. 6th Nov. 1919. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 25th Nov. 1919.)

MEMORANDUM.

The christian names of Pilot Officer Herbert Halyburton Fell are as now described, and not as stated in the Gazette of 21st June 1921.

India Office, 21st October, 1921.

The Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed the persons mentioned below to superintend the transfer of Lascars or other persons at the ports stated, and to grant the certificate required under section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic.,

The fee to be paid for every Lascar or other person in respect of whom such certificate is applied for is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

Mr. D. J. Davies (Southampton). Mr. J. G. Dendy (Port of London).

India Office, 21st October, 1921.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Ind. Army, Ind. Med. Dept. and Ind. Army Res. of Officers:

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel. R. Garratt. 15th May 1921.

Captain to be Major.

Bt. Maj. C. T. M. Smith. 23rd May 1921.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

A. Beckett. 14th Nov. 1920.

1st May 1921.

O. J. T. Milne, H. W. Dulcken, L. C. M. Bellamy.

- 5th May 1921. E. N. Marston, G. R. Strachan, C. A. P.
- C. R. C. Lundy, M.C. 9th May 1921.
 P. S. Le Geyt. 10th May 1921.
 H. S. White. 16th May 1921.

21st May 1921.

E. D. Anderson, W. M. Clapp.

P. D. Alexander. 31st May 1921.

R. G. Burnell. 5th June 1921.

18th June 1921.

P. T. Clarke, E. S. E. Rerrie.

R. C. Milling. 5th July 1921.

25th July 1921.

J. E. Averill, P. A. Green, K. Jermyn.

M. S. Bendle. 30th July 1921.

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant. G. E. Gray. 15th Mar. 1920.

Temporary Second Lieutenants to be temp. Lieutenants.

1st Dec. 1920. Gul Sher Khan, Ajit Anil Rudra.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Semior Asst. Surgns., with rank of Lieutenant, to be Senior Asst. Surgns., with rank of Capt.

W. E. Moody. 21st Sept. 1920. C. Thompson. 21st Dec. 1920. C. Thompson.

21st Sept. 1920. And to remain seconded.

H. R. Byrne, St. J. E. Hendricks, J. H. A. Donnelland.

To be Senior Asst. Surgns., with rank of Lieutenant.

First Class Asst. Surgns.

W. R. Browne. 21st Sept. 1921.E. D. White. 21st Dec. 1921.

And to remain seconded. F. G. Steinhoff. 21st Sept. 1921.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

A. Platts. 5th Dec. 1920.

R. G. B. Prescott. 6th Apr. 1921, W. H. Page. 6th June 1921.

Wi. C. Wickham. 8th Aug. 1921

Temp. Lieutenants to be temp. Captains. S. T. Jones. 25th June 1921. William Alexander Ramsay. 29th July 1921. L. J. Penny. 30th July 1921.

The KING has approved the grant or the relinquishment of actg. rank in the Ind. Army and Ind. Med. Service as shown below:-

Armowred Cars.

Lieut. F. A. B. Jones, 101st Grenadiers, attd., to be actg. Capt. while Comdt., No. 7 Armoured Motor Battery. 29th June 1921.

82nd Punjabis.

(actg. Lt.-Col.) H. J. H. Davson, Maj. D.S.O., relinquishes his actg. rank on ceasing to comd. a Bn. 14th July 1921.

Indian Medical Service.

Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) C. A. Gill to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. No. 166 Indian Cavalry Field Ambulance in Egypt. From

8th June 1918 to 16th Apr. 1919. Capt. J. W. Van Reenan to be actg. Lt.-Col. while comdg. a Combined Casualty Clearing

Station. 29th Feb. 1921.

Note.—Lon. Gaz. notifn., dated 9th Sept. 1921, regarding the relinquishment of his actg. rank of Maj. by Capt. (Bt. Maj.) C. L. St. J. Tudor is cancelled.