

The KING has approved the transfer of the undermentioned officers to the temp. non-effective list, with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Maj. R. H. Skinner. 13th Sept. 1920. (Lon. Gaz. notifs., dated 15th and 25th Nov. 1921, regarding this officer are cancelled.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Sec. Lieut. B. T. Tinton. 11th Feb. 1921.

The KING has approved the retirement of the following officers, with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Maj. R. H. Skinner (temp. non-effective list), on account of ill-health. 9th Dec. 1922.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Maj.-Gen. J. B. Smith, C.B., C.I.E. 22nd Jan. 1923.

Lt.-Col. E. C. MacLeod. 9th Feb. 1923.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Commissaries with rank of Lieutenant.

W. Davies. 28th Dec. 1916.

A. F. Belchem. 1st Apr. 1922.

The KING has approved the retirement of the following officers, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th April 1922, with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Captains:—

R. B. Quin. 5th Oct. 1922.

D. G. Lewis, M.C. 19th Dec. 1922.

K. K. O'Connor, M.C. 18th Jan. 1923.

G. H. Simms. 13th Feb. 1923.

Lieutenants:—

S. Lewis-Lewis. 21st Nov. 1922. (Lon. Gaz. notifs., dated 12th Jan. 1923, regarding this officer is cancelled.)

R. E. Powell. 22nd Dec. 1922.

B. G. Angel. 21st Jan. 1923.

A. G. Warren. 13th Feb. 1923.

H. A. Weeks. 13th Feb. 1923.

Civil Service Commission.

February 16, 1923.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS RESPECTING OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR THE SITUATION OF MALE TELEGRAPHIST IN LONDON IN THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

These Regulations are liable to alteration from time to time.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 15 and 17. Candidates must be within the prescribed limits of age on the day of the Examination.

2. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

(a) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

(b) That they are natural-born British subjects and the sons of fathers also natural-born British subjects.

3. At each examination the number of candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

4. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz.:—

1. English.
2. History.
3. Geography.
4. Arithmetic.

Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners in Handwriting and in the Examination as a whole.

5. The Examination is open only to candidates actually resident in the London district; and no candidate will be eligible for appointment unless he can satisfy the Postmaster-General that he possesses the required local residential qualification. It will be within the authority of the Postmaster-General to decline to employ a candidate successful in the Examination if he is not satisfied on enquiry that the candidate complies with this requirement.

6. Candidates must be at least 5 feet in height, and no officer will be retained in the Service who does not attain the height of 5 feet 4 inches before completing his nineteenth year.

7.—(i) Persons actually serving in the Army, Navy or Air Force are ineligible to compete. (ii) Persons holding situations in the Civil Service, Probationary Engineer Cadets in the Navy, and Apprentices in His Majesty's Dockyards must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, before the commencement of the competition.

8. Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate education authority has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

9. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such time and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

10. A fee of 10s. will be required from every candidate attending an Examination.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 13TH FEBRUARY 1923.)

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1914, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

1. With a view to prevent the introduction and spread of Foot-and-Mouth Disease, an Inspector of the Ministry, acting under its direction, may