INDIAN LAND FORCES.

Hon. Sec.-Lieut. Maniapanda Muttanna Timmayya. 1st Apr. 1924.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Maj. R. J. K. Potter. 6th Apr. 1924.

The undermentioned, whose retirement was notified in the Lond. Gaz., dated 24th June, 1921, is granted the rank of Lt.-Col. on retirement:

Maj. C. F. Woodward, Ind. Army, retd.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Commissaries with rank of Major.

J. O'C. Phelan. 12th Feb. 1923.

F. Snook. 1st July 1924.

The KING has approved the retirement of the following officers, under the provisions of the Royal Warrants, dated the 23rd April 1922 and 23rd April 1923, with effect from the dates specified:-

INDIAN ARMY.

Captains.

D. H. Gordon-Powell. 23rd Dec. 1922.

L. Hayes, M.C. 18th Jan. 1923.G. S. Lightfoot. 19th May 1923.

L. W. B. Jennings, M.C. 13th Dec. 1923.

Memorandum.

Lieutenant Geoffrey Herman Garratt, 1st Bn., 7th Rajput Regt., is dismissed the service by sentence of a General Court Martial, with effect from 23rd May 1924.

India Office, 25th July 1924.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

The KING has approved the grant of the rank of Lieutenant, R.I.M. retired, to the undermentioned, the relinquishment of whose temporary commission was notified in the Lond. Gaz., dated 13th July 1920:-

W. Sheppard (late temp. Lieut. R.I.M.).

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

LAND DRAINAGE ACTS, 1861 AND 1918. RIVER WELLAND DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

Alteration of Boundaries.

Notice is hereby given, that the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries has prepared a draft Order, under the Land Drainage Act, 1918, for the amendment of the Welland Drainage Order, 1922, by reducing the rate leviable on lands in Area "D" of the above Drainage District until such time as an effective scheme of works for the improvement of the outfall of the River Welland shall be undertaken, and extending the area of the Drainage District by the inclusion therein of certain lands situate in the Parish of Holbeach at present admitted into the Welland Drainage Outfall District.

A copy of the draft Order and map have been deposited at the office of Mr. Leopold C. Harvey, 11, Market Place, Spalding, for public inspection for the period of one calendar month | S.W. 1.

from the date hereof. Copies of the draft Order (without the map) may be obtained from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries at the address mentioned below at the price of 1s.

Any objection to the draft Order should be made in writing and sent by post to the Secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries at the address mentioned below, so as to reach that office within one calendar month from the date hereof.

> (Sgd.) A. T. A. Dobson, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 10, Whitehall Place London, S.W. 1.

25th July, 1924.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES. (DATED 24TH JULY, 1924.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (INFECTED AREAS) ORDER OF 1924 (No. 130).

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 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:-

Extension of Infected Area.

1. The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Order of 1924 (No. 127), shall be read and have effect as if such part of the parish of Towcester as lies to the north of the railway from Wappenham to Stoke Bruerne were included in and formed part of the Infected Area No. 5, described in the First Schedule to that Order.

Amendment of Previous Order.

2. The provision of Article 1 of the Footand-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Order of 1924 (No. 127), relating to the movement of animals into a specified Infected Area shall be read and have effect as if it referred to Area No. 11, described in the First Schedule to that Order, and not to Area No. 8, described in the said Schedule.

Short Title.

3. This Order may be cited as the FOOT-AND-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Order of 1924 (No. 130).

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Agriculture and Minister of Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-fourth day of July nine-teen hundred and twenty-four.

(L.S.)J. Jackson, Authorised by the Minister.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place,