The undermentioned appointment has been made in India:—

Field-Marshal Sir William R. Birdwood, Bt., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., K.C.S.I., C.I.E., D.S.O., 2nd Army, to be Commander-in-Chief in India, in succession to General Sir Claud W. Jacob, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., 2nd Army, vacated, 6th Aug. 1925.

India Office, 4th September, 1925.

#### ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

The KING has approved the promotion of the undermentioned officer of the Roy. Ind. Marine, with effect from the date specified:—

Engineer-Lieutenant-Commander to be Engineer-Commander.

G. N. Rowe (temp. Engr.-Comdr.), 24th Apr. 1925.

Civil Service Commission, 4th September, 1925.

In pursuance of the Provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd July, 1920, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce the undermentioned Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, etc. (including Assignments to the Clerical Class), for the months of May, June, July and August, 1925:—

### I.—CERTIFICATES ISSUED.

August 1, 1925.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Shorthand Typist, Constance Phyllis Bartholomew.

Writing Assistants, Jamesina Baird, Florence Beesley, Gladys Harriet Breeze, Jessie McLean Brown, Mabel Grace Collins, Violet Cragg, Ellen Downham, Joan Mary Frith, Isabelle Margaret Gore, Constance Marguerite Hastings, Gladys Eleanor Moncur, Gertrude May Sopp.

Ministry of Labour: Departmental Clerical Class (Women), Rose Emily Aird, Gwendolyn May Bowen, Grace Florence Brookes, Grace Emily Chapman, Margaret Wilkinson Wylie.

#### AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

War Office: Ex-Soldier Clerks, William Alfred Esau, John Henry King, Peter Stephenson, William Andrew Taylor, Cecil, Warren.

Post Office: Female Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Edinburgh, Catherine Wright Chalmers.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION AND UNDER THE SECOND PROVISO OF CLAUSE 4 OF THE GENERAL REGULATIONS.

War Office: Ex-Soldier Clerk, William Clark.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Board of Control (England): Attendant in the State Institution Service, Roland Sydney Fenton. Prison Department, Scotland: Female Warder, Elizabeth McGlashan Bloodworth.

Post Office: Draughtsman, Bernard Ivory.

Skilled Workman, Alec Adamson.

Porter or Postman, London, Francis Walter Baillie.

Postman' or Porter, London, Edward Charles Gleen.

Postmen, William Herbert Osborne (Cosham, Portsmouth), Sydney Victor Tait Palmer (Petersfield).

Under the second proviso of Clause 4 of the General Regulations.

Post Office: Postman, Ringwood, William George Thomas.

August 4, 1925.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Writing Assistants, May Adelaide Horsley, Dorothy McGill.

Typist, Mildred Inman.

Ministry of Labour: Departmental Clerical Class (Women), Barbara Hendry Gair, Elsie Marjorie Scott.

Post Office: Female Telegraphist, London, Josephine Alwin Palmer.

#### AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Departmental Clerical Class, Charles Edwin Bennett.

Customs and Excise. Women Pension Officers, Elsie Marjorie Cheverton, Lilian Foster, Christine Charlotte Elizabeth Kerswell, Margery Rigby, Florence Marie Taylor, Irene Helen Wiseman.

War Office: Ex-Soldier Clerks, Henry Thornhill Hart (Unestablished), Magnus Herbert Hedge.

Fost Office: Clerical Cless (Men), Edward William Wallace Currer, Andrew Young Fyfe, Robert McHardy, Handel Stepney.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE 4 OF THE GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London, Edwin James Hobbs.

#### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Board of Control (England): Nurse in the State Institution Service, Doris Parr.

Post Office: Draughtsman, Eugene Wilfrid Neall.

Female Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Lauceston, Kathleen Mary Lane.

Telephonist, Hitchin, Ena Lois Frances Ganu.

# Under Clause 8 of the General Regulations.

National Galleries, Scotland: Keeper, Stanley Cursiter.

## Under Clause 10 (c) of the General Regulations.

Ministry of Labour: Professional Clerk in the Solicitor's Department, Geoffrey Cheesbrough Pratt.