

India Office,
28th May, 1926.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Ind. Army Depts. and Army in Ind. Res. of Off., with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Deputy Commissary with rank of Captain to be Commissary with rank of Major.

A Waters, 29th Nov. 1925.

Assistant Commissaries with rank of Lieutenant to be Commissaries with rank of Captain.

W. Thomas, 29th Nov. 1925.

I. Clements, 1st Feb. 1926.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Second Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

A. E. Fitzpatrick, 15th Jan. 1926.

The KING has approved the confirmation in his rank of the undermentioned officer, whose provisional promotion was notified in the Lond. Gaz. dated 25th May 1923:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Major F. D. Leslie (now retired).

NOTE, I.M.S.—The promotion to Maj. of Capt. C. J. Stocker, M.C., M.D., is antedated from the 29th July 1923 (as notified in Lond. Gaz. dated 14th Sept. 1923), to the 29th Jan. 1923.

The KING has approved the grant or the relinquishment of acting or temporary rank as shown below:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Staff.

Capt. A. B. Craddock, O.B.E., 4th Hazara Pnrs., to be temp. Maj. while holding an appmt. as Admin. Comdt. (graded as D.A.Q.M.G.) from 20th Oct. 1919 to 31st Mar. 1921.

2/5th Light Infantry.

Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) K. D. M. Henderson, M.C., 1/17th Infy. attd., relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comd. a Bn., 5th Dec. 1919.

NOTE.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn. dated 14th Apr. 1922, regarding the grant of the actg. rank of Maj. to Capt. (now Maj.) H. J. Huxford, for "23rd May 1918" read "25th May 1918."

The KING has approved the grant of an honorary commission in the Ind. Land Forces to the following gentlemen, with effect from the dates specified:—

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

To be Honorary Second Lieutenants.

Jagat Singh, 20th Nov. 1925.

Nazir Ahmad, 15th Feb. 1926.

NOTE I.A.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn. dated 24th July 1917, regarding the admission to the Ind. Army of William Ewart Jackson, for "William" read "Wilfred".

The KING has approved the relinquishment of his temporary commission by the undermentioned officer with effect from the date specified:—

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieut. E. J. Harwood, 12th Aug. 1922, and is permitted to retain the rank of Lieut.

The KING has approved the resignation of his honorary commission by the undermentioned officer with effect from the date specified:—

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

Hon. Sec. Lieut. Abdur Rahman Khan, 12th Mar. 1926.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Col. S. H. E. Nicholas, C.I.E., 26th May 1926.

Lt.-Col. C. F. W. Hughes, M.C., 29th May 1926.

MEMORANDUM.

On completion of tenure of comd. the following officers are placed on the unemployed list:—

Lt.-Col. F. Skipwith, 1st Feb. 1926.

Col. G. W. C. Lucas, 18th May 1926.

Lt.-Col. A. S. Hay, D.S.O., 18th May 1926.

The following appointments have been made in India:—

COMMANDS & STAFF.

Bde. Comdr.

10th Ind. Inf. Bde.—Col. (temp. Col. Comdt.)

R. C. Wilson, D.S.O., M.C., I.A., 25th Feb. 1926.

G.S.O's. 2nd Grade.

N. Comd.—Capt. N. G. Hind, M.C., 2nd Bn., 2nd Gurkha Rif., 9th Mar. 1926.

Pres. & Assam Dist.—Maj. P. N. W. Wilson, D.S.O., M.C., R. Fus., 9th Mar. 1926.

G.S.O. 3rd Grade.

Madras Dist.—Capt. W. H. A. Bishop, Dorset Regt., 25th Aug. 1921.

Signal Officer in Chief.

G.S.Bch., A.H.Q.—Col. H. C. Hawtrey, C.M.G., D.S.O., R. Sigs., 11th Feb. 1926.

Asst. to Sig. Off. in Chief.

G.S.Bch., A.H.Q.—Capt. W. R. C. Penney, M.C., R. Sigs., 1st Mar. 1922.

Maj. H. I. Allen, D.S.O., R. Sigs., 1st Mar. 1926.

Col. Comdt. R.A.

S. Comd.—Col. (temp. Col. Comdt.) A. S. Cotton, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., A.M., Brit. Serv., 15th Feb. 1926. (Substituted for the notifn. which appeared in the Lond. Gaz. dated 23rd Apr. 1926).