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Pilot Officer Phillip Douglas Vernon HACKETT. 11th Aug. 1926.

The undermentioned relinquish their commissions on completion of service:-

Flying Officer John Richard Cox. 20th Apr. 1926.

Flight Lt. Franklin Geoffrey Saunders, M.C. 20th Apr. 1926.

Pilot Officer Reginald John Ewins. 19th June 1926.

Flight Lt. Charles Henry Young, M.B. 13th July 1926.

Flying Officer Joseph Harold HUXLEY, F.C. 4th Aug. 1926. D.F.C.

Flying Officer Horace William Owen. 7th Aug. 1926.

Flying Officer Philip Thomas HUBBARD 21st Aug. 1926.

The commission of Pilot Officer on probation William Dougall is terminated on cessation of duty. 28th July 1926.

Princess Mary's R.A.F. Nursing Service.

Miss Kate Maud BEALL resigns her appointment as Staff Nurse, actg. Sister. 13th Aug. 1926.

India Office, 27th August, 1926.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

R. F. Ewart, D.S.O. (Bt.-Lt.-Col.), 25th July 1926.

28th July 1926.

G. F. W. Anson, O.B.E., Supery List; R. W. MacDonald, D.S.O., Supery List; G. H. Morgan; G. D. Ogilvie, C.I.E., Supery List; W. A. MacD. Garstin, O.B.E., Supery. List; D. M. Field, Supery. List; L. G. Crosthwait, Supery. List; F. M. Bailey, C.I.E., Supery. List, M. S. Hewett, D.S.O.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

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

W. H. King, and to remain seconded, 8th Apr.

C. E. B. O'Connor, 8th Apr. 1926.

Assistant Commissary with rank of Lieutenant to be Deputy Commissary with rank of · Captain.

J. Quigley, 8th Apr. 1926.

To be Assistant Commissaries with rank of Lieutenant.

Condr. Gerald Butler O'Connor, 16th May

Condr. Robert Joseph Briant, 8th Apr. 1926.

The KING has approved the confirmation in their rank of the following officers:-

INDIAN ARMY.

Majors.

K. C. S. Erskine, M.C., R. G. MacGregor, M.C., J. McK. Anderson, M.C.

Captains.

F. R. Dickinson, W. F. H. Herdon.

Note.—The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of the following officers is antedated to the dates shown against their names.

INDIAN ARMY.

Lieutenants.

R. G. Purvis, 12th Sept. 1918.

L. W. Smith, 10th Nov. 1918.

H. Ll. Browne, 13th Feb. 1919.

K. T. Stephens, M.C. (now Capt.), 13th Feb. 1919.

24th Apr. 1919.

W. M. Fairley (now Capt.), C. L. Lewis, G. M. Barker (now Capt.), P. R. White, T. H. Flye, S. F. W. Matthews, J. McI. Robertson, M.C. J. A. Adams, 23rd Aug. 1919.

S. Taylor, 2nd Nov. 1919.

20th Dec. 1919.

D. A. Gregson (now Capt.), W. T. Hungerford, H. B. Ellis, M.M., F. G. T. Davis (now Capt.), L. B. Marchant, A. E. Cartmel,

D. L. Clark (now Capt.), 1st May 1920. W. H. Sellick (now Capt.), 16th July 1920.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Staff.

Capt. (temp. Maj.) H. H. Rich, 2nd Bn., 6th Rajput. Rif., relinquishes the temp. rank of Maj. on vacating an appmt. as G.S.O., 2nd Grade, 1st Aug. 1920.

38th King George's Own Central India Horse. Capt. (now Maj.) C. O'B. Daunt, M.C., to be actg. Maj. while empld. as Sec. in Comd. of a Regt., from 5th June to 30th Sept. 1918, inclusive.

4th Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles.

Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) (now Col.) B. U. Nicolay, C.B., relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col., 3rd Aug. 1918.

The KING has approved the admission to the Ind. Army of the undermentioned officer with effect from the date specified:—

INDIAN ARMY.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieut. Clarence Campbell Whadcoat, exchange from 14/20th Hussars, 17th July 1925, but to rank from 13th Aug. 1916. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Lond. Gaz. of 8th Jan. 1926).

Note.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn., dated 21st Apr. 1925, regarding the admission to the Ind. Army of Lieut. Cyril Louesy Lawrance Stokes, for "5th May 1915," as date of rank, read "5th May 1916".