RESERVE OF AIR FORCE OFFICERS.

Donald Hugh Berrow CLARK is granted a commission in Class A.A., General Duties Branch, as a Pilot Officer on probation. 30th Aug. 1926.

Flight Lt. Dumaresq LE BAS 15 transferred from Class D.2 to Class D.1. 29th Aug. 1926.

India Office, 17th September, 1926.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

F L. S. Brett, 22nd July 1926.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

29th Mar. 1926.

P. R. White, C. M. Lane, J. G. Robinson, H. O. Hutton, R. G. E. W. Alban, H. S. Eldred, H. B. Ellis, M.M., C. E. Case, V. R. Wright-Neville.

NOTE I.M.S. The promotion to Maj. of Capt. C. R. O'Brien, M.B., is antedated from 1st Mar. 1918 (as notified in the Lond. Gaz., dated 15th Nov. 1918) to 1st Sept. 1917.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Staff:

Capt. (temp. Maj.) R. R. B. Falcon, attd., 117th Mahrattas, relinquishes the temp. rank of Maj., on ceasing to be employed as a Divl. Recr. Officer, 18th May 1920.

2nd Battalion, 1st King George's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Capt. (actg. Maj.) G. de H. Murison relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be empld. as sec. in comd. of a Bn., 20th June 1921.

Note.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn., dated 20th Apr. 1920, regarding the relinquishment of actg. rank by Capt. N. C. Jackson, for "Lieut. (actg. Capt.) N. C. Jackson " read " Capt. (actg. Maj.) N. C. Jackson."

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Lt.-Col. A E. Johnson, D.S.O., 11th Sept. 1926.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Sen. Asst. Surgn. with rank of Maj. J. A. F. Harvey, 29th June 1926.

MEMORANDUM.

Lt.-Col. L. A. Bethell, O.B.E., on completion of tenure of comd., is placed on the unemployed list, 14th Sept. 1926. The following appointments have been made in India :---

COMMANDS & STAFF.

Bde. Comdr.

8th Ind. Inf. Bde.—Col. (temp. Col. Comdt.) S. B. Pope, D.S.O., I.A., 4th July 1926.

G.S.O., 1st Grade.

- Poona District—Col. T. G. Gayer-Anderson, C.M.G., D.S.O., Brit. Serv., 16th July 1926.
- G.S.O's., 3rd Grade.
- G.S.Bch., A.H.Q.—Capt. C. C. Whyte, M.B.E., Manch. Regt., 12th July 1926.
- Wazir. Dist.—Capt. C. O. Crawford, M.C., 1st Bn., 2nd Punjab Regt., 20th July 1926.
- Pres. & Assam Dist.—Capt. C. P. Bayer, Welch Regt., 18th July 1926.
- Madras Dist.—Capt. B. H. Chappel, 1st Bn., 2nd Bom. Pnrs., 1st July 1926.
- 67th Inf. Bde. (Bannu F.F.).—Capt. D. Stuart, 1st Bn., 5th Mah. L.I., 1st Aug. 1919.

D.A.A.G's.

- A.G.Bch., A.H.Q.—Capt. J. A. C. Pennycuick, D.S.O., R.E., 12th July 1926.
- A.G.Bch., A.H.Q. (temp.).—Capt. M. S. Bendle, 4th Horse, 8th Apr. 1926.

Bde. Maj's.

- 3rd Ind. Inf. Bde.—Maj. D. McA. Hogg, M.C., R.E., 12th July 1926,
- 10th Ind. Inf. Bde.—Maj. W. St. J. Carpendale, 1st Bn., 1st Gurkha Rif., 23rd July 1926.

Staff Capt.

Ambala Bde. Area—Capt. J. L. Carter, M.C., 4th Bn., 12th F.F. Regt., 23rd July 1926.

Dep. Dir. of Contracts.

M.G.S.Bch., A.H.Q.—Maj. L. d'E. Lenfesty, R.A., 26th July 1926.

Dep. Asst. Dir., A. & T.F. (temp.).

A.G.Bch., A.H.Q.—Capt. M. S. Bendle, 4th Horse, 25th Nov. 1925.

Supt. Phys. Trny.

N. Comd.—Lieut. P. Fennelly, D.C.M., North'n Regt., 9th July 1926.

NorE.—In Lond. Gaz. notifn., dated 21st June 1921, regarding the appmt. of Temp. Capt. D. F. Campbell, M.C., as Staff Capt., 4th Ind. Inf. Bde., for "Temp. Capt. D₆ F. Campbell, M.C., Scott Rif." read "Temp. Lieut. (temp. Capt.) D. Campbell, Cameronians."

The following officers have vacated appointments in India :---

Commands & Staff.

Bde. Comdr.

8th Ind. Inf. Bde.—Col. (temp. Col. Comdt.) J. L. Furney, I.A., 4th July 1926.