ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

General Hospitals-Capt. F. G. Armstrong, M.B., having attained the age limit, relinquishes his commn. and retains his rank. 26th Jan. 1928.

### ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

The Rev. J. W. H. Barker, M.A., Chapln. 4th Cl., having attained the age limit, is ret. and to be Hon. Chapln. 4th Cl., with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. 12th Feb. 1928.

### India Office, 9th March, 1928.

The KING has approved the appointment of Lt.-Gen. Sir A. Skeen, K.C.B., K.C.I.E., C.M.G., as A.D.C. Gen. to His Majesty, vice Gen. Sir G. de S. Barrow, K.C.B., K.C.M.G. Dated 14th Feb. 1928.

The KING has approved the following Promotions, Appointments, Retirements, &c.:-

## INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned appts. are made:— To be Maj.

Maj. Geoffry Boutflower, O.B.E., from R.A.S.C., 10th Jan. 1928, with seniority as Lt. 23rd Aug. 1908, as Capt. 23rd May 1915, and as Maj. 23rd May 1921.

To be Capt.

Lt. George Nayler, from R.A.S.C., 6th Jan. 1928, with seniority as Lt. 14th July 1917, and as Capt. 14th July 1920 antedated to 7th July 1920.

The undermentioned officers retire:-

Lt.-Col. Reginald H. Anderson, 3rd Oct. 1927. Lt.-Col. E. G. S. Trotter, 21st Jan. 1928. Lt.-Col. E. R. L. Browning, 1st Feb. 1928.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the unempld. list:-

Lt.-Col. C. F. M. Worsley, 30th Dec. 1925. Lt.-Col. F. E. W. Baldwin, 1st Dec. 1927.

Lt.-Col. L. D. Watling, 22nd Jan. 1928.

# INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Asst. Commy. & Lt. W. A. Norris, M.B.E. (since deceased), to be Depy. Commy. & Capt. 9th July 1924, and to be Commy. &

Maj. 9th July 1927. Condr. Robert Matthew Batt to be Asst. Commy. with rank of Lt., 4th Nov. 1927.

## ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned appts. are made:-To be Maj.

Bal Krishna, 15th Dec. 1927, with seniority 3rd Feb. 1926.

To be Capts.

George Norman Francis, 18th May 1925, with seniority 9th Jan. 1919. (Substituted for the notifus. in the Gazs. of 17th July 1925 and 19th Nov. 1926.)

William Henry Ryman, 14th Nov. 1927, with seniority 19th May 1923.

Kaye John Stuart Dowland, 7th Dec. 1927, with seniority 24th July 1924.

Sourendra Mohon Pathak, 30th Dec. 1927, with seniority 19th Jan. 1926. Henry Murray Winn, 27th Jan. 1927.

To be Lts.

Prahlad Das Kapur, 22nd Dec. 1927, with seniority 19th June 1926. Vasantrao Malharrao Chitnis, 21st Dec. 1927.

### INDIAN LAND FORCES.

The undermentioned appts. are made:-To be Hon. 2nd Lts.

Vadakedathu John Kurien, 1st Dec. 1927. Muhammad Ayub Khan, 12th Dec. 1927. Zarin Khan, 13th Dec. 1927. Ali Muhammad Khan, 20th Dec. 1927.

Hon. 2nd Lt. Maung Ba Than resigns his hon. commn., 1st Jan. 1928.

#### MEMORANDA.

Subadar-Maj. Bakhshi Autar Singh, late 1/2nd Punjab R., is granted the hon. rank of Lt. on retirement, 8th Sept. 1926. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gaz. of 1st Oct. 1926.) Subadar-Maj. Shaikh Ahmed, Bahadur, 10/5th Mah. L.I., is granted the hon. rank of Lt. on retirement, 1st Jan. 1927. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gaz. of 1st Oct. 1926.)

The undermentioned appts, have been made in India:-

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Dist. Comdr.—Maj.-Gen. C. A. C. Godwin, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., I.A., 25th Dec. 1927

Bde. Comdrs.

N. Comd.—Col. (Ty. Col. Comdt) E. C. Gepp, D.S.O., Brit. Serv., 25th Dec. 1927

S. Comd.—Col. (Ty. Col. Comdt.) A. Campbell-Ross, D.S.O., I.A., 25th Dec. 1927.

Col. R.T.C. (G.S.O. 1).

A.H.Q.—Col. W. J. Shannon, C.M.G., D.S.O., Brit. Serv., 1st Dec. 1927.

G.S.O., 2nd Gr.

A.H.Q.—Maj. H. G. C. Laird, D.S.O., 1/17th Dogra R., 18th Dec. 1927.

G.S.O., 3rd Gr.

R'pindi Dist.—Capt. R. G. Ekin, 5/13th F.F. Rif., 24th Oct. 1927.

S.O.R.E., 1st Gr.

S. Comd.—Maj. (Bt. Lt.-Col.) W. G. Tyrrell, D.S.O., R.E., 24th Nov. 1927.

D.A.A.G's.

Peshawar Dist.—Capt. C. A. Osborne, 2/11th Sikh R., 1st Dec. 1927.

Comd.—Capt. R. G. Williams, 2/19th Hyd. R., 1st Jan. 1928.

Bdc. Majs.

Multan Bde.—Capt. E. R. S. Dods, M.C., 2/4th Bom. Grs., 20th Dec. 1927.