INFANTRY.

6th Bn. Welch R.—Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.) E. H. Bagley, T.D., from Active List, to be Lt.-Col. (Bt. Col.). 17th Feb. 1928. (Substituted for the announcement regarding this offr. which appeared in the Gazette of 9th Mar. 1928).

6th Bn. N. Stafford R.—2nd Lt. W. Hutchison, from Active List, to be 2nd Lt. 24th Mar. 1928.

VOLUNTEER FORCE.

Lt. T. S. Glover (Maj. ret. T.F.), North Berwick Cadet Corps, having attained the age limit is ret. 24th Mar. 1928.

> Air Ministry, 23rd March, 1928.

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned award in recognition of gallant and distinguished service rendered in the operations in the Penjwin area of Iraq during the period April-May, 1927:—

Awarded the Distinguished Service Order. Squadron Leader Francis Henry Coleman.

> Air Ministry, 23rd March, 1928.

The names of the undermentioned have been brought to notice in a report dated 16th June, 1927, from Air Vice-Marshal Sir Edward Leonard Ellington, K.C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., Air Officer Commanding, British Forces in Iraq, for distinguished services rendered in connection with the operations in the Penjwin area of Iraq during the period April-May, 1927:—

### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Flight Lieutenant Guy Murton Moore, M.C. Flight Lieutenant Richard Harrison, D.F.C. 86025 Sergeant (Pilot) Frederick William Newman.

335992 Leading Aircraftman Basil Henry Reeves.

## IRAQ LEVIES.

 Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Reginald Barke, C.B.E., T.D., 5th Bn. The North Staffordshire Regiment (Territorial Army) and Iraq Levies.

Major Eric Thornburgh Horner, M.C., The Norfolk Regiment and Iraq Levies.

Captain and Brevet Major Ralph Havelock Lewis Fink, M.C., The Cheshire Regiment and Iraq Levies.

Lieutenant Edmund Graham Buckley, The Rifle Brigade and Iraq Levies.

55416 Corporal Barkhu Bobo.

# IRAQ ARMY.

Captain John Valentine Adair, M.C., Regular Army Reserve of Officers, 12th Lancers and Iraq Army. Muquaddam Mahdy bin Saleh, M.C. Al-Rais Muhammad Zaki bin Mahmud Al-Wara.

5460 Jundi Amin bin Qawar.

IRAQ POLICE.

Captain C. H. Shepherd, Inspecting Officer, Iraq Police. H.C. 190 Hussein Asad.

> India Office, 23rd March, 1928.

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

#### INDIAN ARMY.

Majs. to be Lt.-Cols.

B. R. Reilly, C.I.E., O.B.E., 18th Jan. 1928.

J. S. Graham, 1st Feb. 1928.

W. G. Neale, 15th Feb. 1928.

Capts. to be Majs.

R. T. Lawrence, M.C., 17th Oct. 1927.

J. F. Abbott, M.C., 17th Oct. 1927.

Lts. to be Capts.

J. M. Morin, 16th July 1927.

K. C. Packman, 17th Oct. 1927.

A. V. Dawson, 17th Oct. 1927.

The promotion to the rank of Capt. of the undermentioned officers is antedated to the 5th July 1921 and not the 30th July 1921 as notified in the Gaz. of 20th Mar. 1925:—

J. E. B. Seagar, J. R. K. Wallace, M.C., J. A. Lewis, M.C., C. G. Sailai, G. F. Taylor, R. B. Seed, F. W. O. Robinson, G. A. Falconer, L. W. Wood, E. H. Howe, T. E. Bartleet.

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

Capt. & Bt. Maj. Reginald George Lockyer Major, from R.A.S.C., 30th Jan. 1928, with seniority as Lt. 20th Dec. 1916, as Capt. 15th Dec. 1919, and as Bt. Maj. in the Army 16th Sept. 1926.

Capt. Reginald Gordon Schute, from R.A.S.C., 21st Nov. 1927, with seniority as Lt. 20th Aug. 1918, and as Capt. 5th July 1921.

Lt. Hubert Charles Franklin, M.C., from R.A.S.C., 18th Jan. 1928, with seniority as Lt. 20th Aug. 1918, and as Capt. 5th July 1921.

Lt. John Archibald Forbes, from R.A.S.C., 19th Jan. 1928, with seniority as Lt. 20th Mar. 1919, and as Capt. 18th Feb. 1928.

Lt. John Brownlow Shephard, from D.C.L.I., 16th Apr. 1927, with seniority as Lt. 16th July 1921, and as Capt. 16th July 1927.

To be Lts.

Lt. James Patrick Hill Watson, from R.U. Rifs., 4th Apr. 1927, with seniority 24th Mar. 1923.

Lt. Thomas Oliver Martin Edwards, from Worc. R., 12th Jan. 1928, with seniority 1st May 1925.