6th Bn. Foresters--Capt. C. V. H. C. Blackwall, T.D., from Active List, to be Capt.

1st July 1928. Lt. V. H. Armitage, M.C., from Active List, to be Lt. 22nd Aug. 1928.

8th Bn. Midd'x R.—Lt. E. T. W. Wells, from Active List, to be Lt. 22nd Aug. 1928.
2nd Lt. P. S. Mitcheson, from Active List, to be 2nd Lt. 22nd Aug. 1928.

12th Lond. R.—Lt. J. B. C. Grundy, from Gen. List, T.A. (St. Paul's Sch. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C.), to be Lt. 22nd Aug. 1928.

India Office, 24th August, 1928.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Majs. to be Lt.-Cols.

A. B. Wakelin, O.B.E. (provl.), 24th Mar. 1928.

J. H. B. Peyton (provl.), 23rd Apr. 1928.H. S. Cardew, M.C., 1st July 1928.

Lt. to be Capt.

R. N. Burkett (since retd.), 31st Jan. 1923.

The undermentioned Capts. are granted antedates of rank in substitution for the notifn. in the Gaz. of the 20th Mar. 1925:-

30th Jan. 1921.

R. M. Lunt (now R. Signals), L. S. Ingle, M.C., J. H. Rigg.

23rd Mar. 1921.

D. M. L. Hennessey, M. G. O'Leary, M.B.E., F. W. Keenan, P. J. Doherty, G. F. White, M.C., A. Felix-Williams, S. W. Haylock, E. W. H. Hamilton, A. L. Fell, F. W. Harland, T. Hudson, F. S. Corke.

The rank of Capt. L. K. Spencer, M.C., as notified in the Gaz. of the 4th May 1928, is antedated to the 30th Jan. 1921.

The undermentioned appt. is made:— To be Capt.

Capt. Noel Oliver Willis, from Som. L.I., 21st June 1928, with seniority as Lt. 1st Sept. 1915, and as Capt. 3rd Sept. 1917.

Lt.-Col. H. C. Stevens retires, 13th Aug. 1928.

Capt. R. P. M. Tipping, 1/1st Madras Prs. forfeits 3 months service for purposes of promotion, 22nd Sept. 1924. (Substituted for the notifn, in the Gaz, of the 18th Nov. 1927.)

Capt. H. G. Morris, 2/13th F.F. Rif., forfeits 2 years service for purposes of promotion, 19th Jan. 1928.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

The undermentioned appts. are made:

Mechanist Serjt.-Majs. from R.A.S.C. to be Qr.-Mrs. with rank of Lt., 20th Dec. 1927.

John Hardy, George Henry Ruse, Charles Collison, Sidney George Lipscombe, Frederick William Whitaker, Verne Jackson, Arthur Fryde.

The undermentioned officers retire:-

Commy. & Maj. A. Waters, 14th Apr. 1928. Asst. Commy. & Lt. C. J. Creagh, 1st Apr. 1928.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned appts, are made:— To be Capt.

Priya Nath Lahiri, M.B., 2nd Aug. 1927, with seniority 28th July 1922.

To be Lts.

Lt. Wajid Ali Khan, M.D. (from temp. commn. I.M.S.), 2nd Aug. 1927, with seniority 10th May 1926.

Lt. Surendra Nath Lahiri, M.B. (from temp. commn. I.M.S.), 2nd Aug. 1927, with seniority 27th Aug. 1926.

Harnand Lal Batra, M.B., 2nd Aug. 1927.

Asst. Surgn. Leonard George Backhurst (from I.M. Dept.), 10th Nov. 1927.

Birendra Nath Hajra, M.B., 10th Nov. 1927, with seniority 10th Nov. 1926.

The name of Mungaldas Tuljaram Khandwalla is as now notified and not as in the Gazs. of the 8th Feb. 1921 and 1st June 1928.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capt. A. J. Dancey to be Maj., 13th Feb. 1927.

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

Norman Richard Cleaver, 29th Feb. 1928, with seniority 5th Mar. 1921.

Vertannes Stephen Vertannes, 12th Dec. 1927, with seniority 19th Apr. 1921.

George West Donaldson, 8th Dec. 1927, with

seniority 25th Sept. 1922. Frank Leslie Hooton-Fox, 14th Apr. 1928,

with seniority 2nd Apr. 1923. Henry Macfarlane, 4th Apr. 1928, with senior-

ity 12th July 1923. Fraser Leopold Peradon, 15th Nov. 1927, with

seniority 25th Jan. 1924.

Walter Colin Dickson, 17th May 1928, with seniority 14th Apr. 1924.

Jotindra Chandra Sinha, 26th June 1928, with seniority 7th Feb. 1927.

Coimbatore Venkatramana Krishnaswami, 26th June 1928, with seniority 10th June 1928.

To be Lts.

Shrinivas Vithal Kirtane, 21st May 1928, with seniority 20th Oct. 1925.

Jyotirmoy Banerjee, 22nd June 1928.

To be 2nd Lt.

Gerrard Macklin Eccles, 1st June 1928.

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

The undermentioned officers resign their hon, commus.:

Hon. Lt. Gyannath Raina, 14th June 1928. Hon. Lt. Jiwan Krishan Dar, 22nd June 1928.

MEMORANDA.

Subadar-Maj. & Hon. $\mathbf{Lt}.$ TirlokSauntiyal, Bahadur, M.B.E., I.O.M., late 2/18th R. Garhwal Rif., is granted the hon. rank of Capt. on retirement, 1st June 1928.