India Office,

2nd May, 1930.

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

INDIAN ARMY.

Maj.-Gen. F. M. Wilson, C.B., C.M.G. (retd.) is apptd. Col. Comdt. of the Indian Army Service Corps.

Maj. S. S. Whitaker, M.C., to be Lt.-Col., 11th

Mar. 1930.

2nd Lt. Misri Chand to be Lt., 1st Dec. 1929. Capt. J. C. Gain, M.C., relinquishes the temp. rank of Maj. on ceasing to be employed as a D.A.D. of S. & T., 25th Aug. 1920. The promotion of Lt. W. H. Sherwood (since

retd.) is antedated to the 20th Dec. 1919.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the unempld. List:—

Maj.-Gen. R. C. Wilson, D.S.O., M.C., 25th Feb. 1930.

Lt.-Col. R. C. G. Pollock, 20th Feb. 1930.

The undermentioned officers are restd. to full pay:

Col. M. Saunders, D.S.O., 25th Feb. 1930. Lt.-Col. C. A. Brown, 6th Mar. 1930.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Asst. Comms. & Lts. to be Depy. Comms. & Capts.

P. Lyons, 1st Feb. 1930. E. Clift, 24th Mar. 1930.

Commy. & Maj. H. S. Clements retires, 13th Apr. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Maj. R. de S. B. Herrick, D.S.O., to be Lt. Col., 30th Jan. 1930.

The initials of Maj. A. H. Harty are as now notified and not as in the Gaz. of the 18th Apr. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Senr. Asst. Surgns. & Capts. to be Senr. Asst. Surgns. & Majs.

T. W. Twells, 26th Feb. 1930. E. D. Shave, 26th Feb. 1930.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capts. to be Majs.

F. A. Farquharson, M.C., 16th Oct. 1927. C. J. R. W. Currie, 18th Oct. 1928.

Lts. to be Capts.

R. A. Smith, 4th Nov. 1928. Vishnoo Raghunath Gadre, 5th Mar. 1930.

2nd Lts. to be Lts.

G. W. Gordon, 18th Nov. 1928. Muhammad Abdul Hamid, 5th Jan. 1929. Mohammad Muslihuddin Khan, 23rd June 1929. F. H. U. Smith, 30th June 1929. Surendropal Singh, 15th Dec. 1929. F. Coates, 1st Jan. 1930. Sarjiwan Lal Consul, 13th Jan. 1930. C. C. Schmidt, 31st Jan. 1930.

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

Charles Ernest Stone, 24th Sept. 1929, with

seniority 7th Apr. 1923. Eric Bridgnell, 5th Feb. 1930, with seniority 25th May 1927.

To be Lts.

William Louis Charles Gerard Cook, 7th Mar. 1930, with seniority 27th June 1929. Sarat Kumar Mukerji, 6th Mar. 1930.

To be 2nd Lts.

Cyril Cheshire, 12th Feb. 1930, with seniority 16th Dec. 1927.

Sirdar Naseer Ahmed, 13th Mar. 1930.

The name of 2nd Lt. Surendropal Singh is as now notified and not as in the Gaz. of the 23rd Dec. 1927.

The undermentioned officers resign their commns. :-

Capt. L. J. C. Wood, 18th Feb. 1930. Capt. F. R. Brislee, 11th Mar. 1930. 2nd Lt. A. J. Silver, 6th Mar. 1930.

Maj. D. G. Robinson, having failed to report his address, ceases to belong to the Reserve, 1st Jan. 1929.

Capt. E. J. Parkhill, having no longer a permanent residence in India, Burma or Ceylon, ceases to belong to the Reserve, 1st June, 1929.

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

The undermentioned officers resign their hon. commns. :-

1st Sept. 1928.

Hon. Lt. A. V. Jakkal.

Hon. Lt. K. C. Goude.

Hon. Lt. S. V. Gune.

Hon. Lt. A. G. Jadhav. Hon. Lt. Maung Po Chu.

Hon, Lt. Htin Ši Lao.

Hon. Lt. Kodandra Madayya Appachu, 25th Feb. 1930.

The notifn. in the Gaz. of the 10th Jan. 1930, regarding the promotions of Hon. 2nd Lts. N. G. Suru and N. G. Naralkar, is cancelled.

MEMORANDUM.

The following addition is made to the list of officers who held appts. on the Staff of the Force employed in East Persia, published in the Gaz, of the 13th June 1922:

Under the sub-heading "Deputy Assistant Directors of Mechanical Transport" insert

Capt. (temp. Maj.) /H. P. Raymond, O.B.E., R.A.S.C., from 6th June to 30th Sept. 1920. Capt. (actg. Maj.) H. P. Raymond, O.B.E., R.A.S.C., from 1st Oct. to 14th Nov. 1920.

(Substituted for the notifn. in the Gaz. of the 14th Sept. 1923.)

WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT, 1925.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the National Health Insurance Joint Committee, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 33 of the Widows' Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act, 1925, and by the Contributory Pensions (Joint Committee) Regulations, 1925, to make Regulations in conjunction with the Treasury setting out a Memorandum of reciprocal arrangements between the said Joint Committee with the consent of the Treasury on the