ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capt. G. L. Rossiter to be Maj., 16th Dec. 1932.

The undermentioned officers resign their commns.:—

Lt. G. W. Gordon, 12th Jan. 1933. Lt. D. L. B. Riley, 25th Jan. 1933.

Capt. F. T. Billingsley, having attained the maximum age limit for service, ceases to belong to the Reserve, 26th Jan. 1933.

MEMORANDA.

Andrew Joseph Forde, M.B.E., the relinquishment of whose temp. commn. in the Ind. Army Res. of Officers was notified in the Gazette of 6th Oct. 1922, is granted the rank of Capt.. 1st Oct. 1926.

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Hon. 2nd Lt. Dhrubendra Chandra Bhanj
Deo, 2nd (Calcuta) Bn. University Training
Corps, I.T.F., is removed from the Indian
Land Forces, His Majesty having no further
occasion for his services, 24th Jan. 1933.

Civil Service Commission, March 24, 1933.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COM-PUTERS, CLASS II, UNDER THE WAR DEPART-MENT IN THE OFFICE OF THE EXTERNAL BALLISTIC DEPARTMENT, ORDNANCE COMMITTER, WOOLWICH.

N.B.—These regulations are liable to alteration from time to time.

1. Application for appointment shall be made in the first instance to the Secretary, Ordnance Committee, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, S.E.18. When a vacancy occurs, the War Office will cause notice to be given by an advertisement in the Press, which will include a statement of the last day fixed for the receipt of applications.

2. Candidates must have attained the age of 21 and must not have attained the age of 35 on the last day fixed for the receipt of applications; provided that in reckoning age for this purpose a candidate who has served in the Army, Navy or Air Force may deduct from his actual age any time which he has so served. Female candidates must be unmarried or widows, and will be required to resign their appointments on marriage.

3. Every candidate must be a natural-born British subject, the child of a person who is, or was at the time of death, a British subject; provided that exception may be made:

(a) In the case of candidates serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners.

(b) In the case of natural-born British subjects who served in His Majesty's Armed Forces in the Great War between 4th August, 1914, and 11th November, 1918.

(c) In the case of natural-born British subjects who have satisfactorily completed a period of not less than five years' service on full pay in His Majesty's Regular Forces.

Provided also that if the Civil Service Commissioners are satisfied, in the case of any candidate who is a British subject but does not fulfil all the requirements of the rule as to nationality and descent, that the candidate is so closely connected by ancestry and upbringing with His Majesty's dominions that an exception may properly be made to that rule, they may accept such candidate as eligible provided that this discretion shall not be exercisable unless (a) the father or the paternal grandfather of the candidate was a natural-born British subject, and (b) neither the father nor the paternal grandfather had acquired any other nationality by naturalization or by any other voluntary and formal act. The consent of the War Office is required

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can be appointed.

4. Other things being equal preference will be given to candidates who have served in His Majesty's Forces during the Great War between 4th August, 1914, and 11th November, 1918.

No person will be eligible who obtained from any tribunal established under the Military Service Acts, 1916-1918, exemption from service in His Majesty's Forces under those Acts on the ground of conscientious objection to the undertaking of military service, or, although not so exempted, declined to comply with obligations imposed upon him by those Acts.

5. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to apply for

appointment.

No person actually serving in the Army, Navy or Air Force will be eligible for consideration unless he produces, when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to apply for appointment, dated before his appearance before the Selection Board, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate education authority has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

6. Candidates must have mathematical qualifications equivalent to the London Uni-

versity Intermediate Examination.

- 7. The completed application forms will be scrutinized by the War Office, and selected candidates will be interviewed by a Board consisting of representatives of the War Office and of the Civil Service Commissioners. The Selection Board will recommend for appointment to the vacancies existing those candidates whom they consider most suitable, provided they find them qualified. The decision of the Selection Board will be final. Candidates must themselves defray any expenses incurred in attending before the Board.
- 8. The candidate or candidates selected for appointment will, subject to satisfying the Civil Service Commissioners as to health and character, and to the payment of a fee of £1, be appointed in an established (pensionable) capacity subject to a period of probation not exceeding 2 years.
- 9. Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential