The undermentioned officers retire: -

Lt.-Col. F. M. Matthews, M.V.O., O.B.E., 15th Mar. 1939.

Lt.-Col. A. E. Drysdale, D.S.O., M.C., 1st Apr. 1939.

Lt. H. E. M. Fairley resigns his commn., 6th Mar. 1939.

"Spec. List" of Qr.-Mrs., I.A.

Maj. (Qr.-Mr.) A. V. Brown retires 1st Apr. 1939.

## INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

The undermentioned officers retire:

Capt. (Depy. Commy.) A. E. Hames on account of ill-health, 28th Feb. 1939.

Lt. (Mech. Offr.) R. G. Moon, 29th Mar. 1939.

### INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Maj. (Sen. Asst. Surg.) G. R. Aitkins retires 6th Feb. 1939.

# ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lt. N. B. S. Hewett to be Capt., 29th Jan. 1939.

The undermentioned appt. is made: -

To be Lt.

William Charles Holland Hastings, 11th Jan. 1939, with seny, from 10th Aug. 1938.

#### MEMORANDA.

Lt.-Col. K. F. D. Gattie, D.S.O., M.C., Queen's R., is granted the local rank of Brig. whilst offg. Comdr., 2nd (Rawal.) Infy. Bde., 15th July 1938.

Maj. W. F. Campbell, I.A. (Supy. List), is granted the local rank of Lt.-Col., without effect on pay or pension, whilst holding the apptmt. of Resident in Waziristan, 20th Feb. 1939.

Col. W. H. Verschoyle-Campbell, O.B.E., M.C., Brit. Serv., relinquishes the local rank of Maj.-Gen., 5th Nov. 1938.

## COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Maj. R. Martin, M.C., I.A.O.C., to be Asst. Ord. Consulting Offr., India Office, 20th Feb. 1939, vice Maj. J. W. A. Harrison, M.C., I.A.O.C., vacated.

India Office, 20th March, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to appoint
Abraham Jeremy Raisman, Esquire,
C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, to be
a Member of the Executive Council of the
Governor-General of India upon the retirement of Sir Percy James Grigg, K.C.B.,
K.C.S.I.

NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE ACT, 1936.

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 forty days from this date, in exercise of the powers conferred by the National Health Insurance Act, 1936, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, to make regulations to be entitled the National Health Insurance (Arrears) Amendment Regulations 1939;

And that on account of urgency the National Health Insurance Joint Committee under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, made regulations entitled the National Health Insurance (Arrears) Amendment Regulations 1939, to come into operation forthwith as provisional rules, to continue in force until regulations have been made in accordance with the

provisions of Section 1 of that Act.

Copies of the provisional rules so made, which constitute the draft of regulations to be made as aforesaid, can be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Dated this thirty-first day of March, 1939.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.1.

#### MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

COLNE VALLEY SEWERAGE BOARD.

Public Health (Drainage of Trade Premises)
Act, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Health in the exercise of his powers under subsection (2) of section 12 of the above Act has made an Order conferring certain functions of a local authority, under the said Act, on the Colne Valley Sewerage Board. Copies of the Order may be obtained at the Offices of the Board, at Bayley Hall, Hertford. Unless before the 1st day of May, 1939, notice of objection to the Order is given to the Minister of Health at the Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.1, the Order will become final and come into operation on the said date.

#### MINISTRY OF HEALTH.

PORT SANITARY REGULATIONS, 1933.

The Minister of Health hereby declares in pursuance of the above mentioned Regulations that the provisions of Article 6 of the Regulations (relating to the sending of wireless messages) shall apply on and from the first day of July, 1939, until he shall otherwise declare, to the district of the Barry port health authority.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Health this thirtieth day of March nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

(L.S.) F. Slator,

Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Health.