H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

The Ministry of Fuel and Power, 7, Millbank, London, S.W.I.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant for the County of Renfrew.

Colonel William Norman Walker, M.C., of 3, Octavia

Colonel William Norman Walker, M.C., of 5, Colonel Terrace, Greenock,
Lieutenant-Colonel James Clark Campbell, T.D., of Glenlora, Lochwinnoch,
Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Walter Guy Shaw Stewart,
Bt., M.C., of Ardgowan, Inverkip,
Captain Ian Pountney Coats, of Ardgryfe, Houston,
Sir Alexander Thomson Taylor, K.B.E., of The
Grange Kilmacolm. Grange, Kilmacolm,

to be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated 16th July, 1945. (022)

Commission signed by His Majesty's Lieutenant for the County of Flint.

ieutenant-Colonel (temporay Brigadier) Hugh Salusbury Kynaston Mainwaring, C.B.E., D.S.O., of Hafod y Coed, St. Asaph, in the County of Flint, to be a Deputy Lieutenant for the County Lieutenant-Colonel of Flint.—Dated this 1st day of August, 1945. (121)

India Office, 24th August, 1945.

The KING has approved the appointment of Maj.-Gen. (Actg. Lt.-Gen.) Sir F. W. MESSERVY, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., I.A., as Colonel of the 16th Light Cavalry.

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

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

The undermentioned officers retire: Capt. C. R. BLUETT, 19th Sept. 1943. Cdr. J. J. McNulty, 18th Oct. 1944.

INDIAN ARMY.

Majs. to be Lt.-Cols. F. H. Lewis (I.A. 849), 5th July 1945. Ty. Lt.-Col. G. A. Fullerton, D.S.O. (143 I.A.), 5th July 1945. Ty. Lt.-Col. A. JARDINE, M.B.E. (A.I. 623), 7th July 1945.

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned appts. are made: -To be 2nd Lts.
Bdr. William Burles Biggs, R.A. (E.C. 15962), 15th Oct. 1944. Hon. Capt. Maurice Victor Bradley (E.C. 1878), 3rd Feb. 1945.

25th May 1945. 6101187 Pte. John Alderson Scott, The Queen's R. (E.C. 16107). 167239 Pte. Neville Maurice Bleach, R. Scots

3067239 Pte. Neville Maurice Bleach, R. Scots (E.C. 16108).
6101178 Pte. Ian Hyde, The Queen's R. (E.C. 16109).

John Leonard Streeton (E.C. 16117), 1st June 1945.

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The undermentioned officers relinquish their Commns. on account of ill-health:—

Lt. F. O. Hill (E.C. 13693), S.E.Q.M. (I.A.) 16th Feb. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Maj. J. H. Barnes (E.C. 9653) 23th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. W. D. Perrett (E.C. 12708) 20th Aug. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Lt. L. Domhill (Domeneghetti) (E.C. 8889) 20th Aug. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. C. A. Senior (E.C. 10354) 21st Aug. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. J. E. Freeman (E.C. 8135) 21st Aug. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. R. B. S. Cocksedge (E.C. 13109) 23rd Aug. 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Maj. E. Massingнам, O.B.E. (E.C. 9238), relinquishes his commn. 1st June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Capt. F. G. Bennett (E.C. 9117) is dismissed the service by sentence of a Gen. Court-Martial, 9th June 1945.

Spec. List of Qr.-Mrs. (I.A.). To be Lts.

7811000 A/R.S.M. Richard Johnson, E. York R. (E.C. 15941), 13th Apr. 1945. 3526877 C/Sgt. Frederick John Howard, Manch. R. (E.C. 16098), 21st May 1945.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Emergency Commissions.

Sub.-Condr. (P/A/Cdr.) to be Lt. (Asst. Comsy.). Fred KNIGHT (OC 249, 16th June 1945.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Lt.-Col. B. H. SINGH, M.C., retires 14th Dec. 1944.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS. Capt. to be Maj. F. BERRY (RO/2997), 5th July 1945.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

Under the above Act the Minister of War Transport has made the London-Edinburgh-Thurso Trunk Road (Bedfordshire) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 7), 1938 (Extension of Time) Order, 1945, extending for a further period of three years the time within which the powers of compulsory purchase conferred upon him by the London-Edinburgh-Thurso Trunk Road (Bedfordshire) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 7) 1938, as extended by the London-Edinburgh-Thurso Trunk Road (Bedfordshire) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 7), 1938 (Extension of Time) Order, 1942; may be exercised. Copies of the Order may be obtained from the Ministry of War Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1937.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made an Order dated 18th August, 1945, relating to the detention in quarantine of imported dogs.

Copies of the above-mentioned Order may be obtained from The Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Animal Health Division, 99, Gresham Street. London. E.C. 2.

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AGRICULTURAL MARKETING ACT, 1931.

Notice of Submission of Amendments to a Scheme.

Notice is hereby given that the Hops Marketing Board have duly submitted to the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries centain amendments of the Hops Marketing Scheme, 1932.

Copies of the amendments may be obtained, on

Copies of the amendments may be obtained, on payment of 1d. per copy (post free), from the Hops Marketing Board, 30-33, Central Buildings (Hop Exchange), Southwark Street, London, S.E., on application to the Secretary (G. J. Bellew, Esq.), or may be inspected on personal application at the before mentioned address between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on weekdays other than Saturdays and any Bank Holiday Bank Holiday.

Any objections and representations with respect to the said amendments should be made to the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, and should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, so as to reach him not later than 6th October, 1945; objections received after that date will not be considered. Every objection must be made in writing and must state the grounds of objection and the specific modifications required.

J. A. McGilvray, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2. 20th August, 1945.