Thomas Truman Wyly Armstrong, Manch. R. 23rd Jan. 1918, but to rank from 26th Mar.

John Boyle, Cam'n Highrs. 29th July 1917, but to rank from 3rd July 1916.

To be Second Lieutenants. John Trevor Williams, Gen. List. 23rd Jan. 1918, but to rank from 26th Sept. 1917. Stephen Arthur Fitch, Gen. List. 11th Sept. 1918, but to rank from 15th June 1918. Andrew Forbes, Gen. List. 6th Nov. 1918, but to rank from 24th June 1918.

The KING has approved the grant of temp. rank, as shown below, in the Ind. Defence Force, to the following gentlemen: -

34th (Upper Burma) Bn. To be Captain. 1st Apr. 1917. John Bucknall Mercer Adam.

14th Tenasserim Bn.

To be Second Lieutenant. Phillip Noel Illingworth. 7th Oct. 1919.

The KING has approved the transfer of the undermentioned officer of the Indian Army to the temporary non-effective list:-

6th Jan. Major G. K. Channer, D.S.O. 1920.

The KING has approved the retirement of the following officers, and the grant of rank as shown below:-

INDIAN ARMY.

Major A. H. Ommanney. 28th July 1919.
Captain R. Dane, M.C., in consequence of wounds, and is granted the rank of Major. 1st Oct. 1919.

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capt. H. B. Bennett, in consequence of ill-health. 9th Sept. 1919. Lieut. R. G. Black, in consequence of ill-

health, and is granted the rank of Captain. 2nd Sept. 1919.

India Office, 23rd January, 1920.

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE.

The KING has approved the promotion of the undermentioned officer of the Royal Indian Marine:

· Lieutenant to be Lieut.-Commander. R. H. Garstin. 9th Oct. 1919.

Note.—In the notification in the Lon. Gaz. dated 21st Mar. 1919, regarding the grant of commissions to certain officers of the Royal Indian Marine, for "Frederick Henry Beckingsale," under the heading of Temp. Lieuts., read "Frederick Harvey Beckingsale."

> India Office, 23rd January, 1920.

The undermentioned officer of the Indian Army is cashiered by sentence of a General Court-Martial:

Second Lieutenant Kenneth Angus Murray. 21st June 1919.

Civil Service Commission, January 23, 1920.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Admiralty, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Jefferson Bond, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division, has been promoted to an Examinership in the Ministry of Labour, with a special certificate granted by the Civil Service Commisioners.

NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT, 1911.

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Minister of Health, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Sections 65 and 67 of the National Insurance Act, 1911, and Section 3 of the Ministry of Health Act, 1919, to make regulations applicable to the determination of appeals and disputes under section 67 (1) of the National Insurance Act, 1911, and of disputes under Section 27 (1) of the National Insurance Act, 1913, between an approved society and any person as to whether that person is or was at any date a member of that society for the purposes of Part I. of the National Insurance Act, 1911, and between two or more approved societies.

Copies of the draft regulations can be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.

Dated this 23rd day of January, 1920.

Ministry of Health,

Whitehall, London, S.W. 1.

EDUCATION ACT, 1918 (Section 44).

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Board of Education, after the expiration of at least forty days from the date of the London Gazette in which this notice appears, to make Temporary Regulations for Scholarships and other Awards in Art.

Copies of the draft Regulations can be purchased through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1920.

L. A. Selby-Bigge.

Board of Education.

STOCKPORT.

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Stockport (hereinafter called the Corporation), being the Urban Sanitary Authority for the said Borough, have made application to the Ministry of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, to partially repeal, alter, or amend the Stockport District Waterworks Act, 1861, and the Stockport Corporation Water Act, 1899, so

(1) To empower the Ministry of Health on the application of the Corporation from