

might prescribe, and whereas owing to unforeseen circumstances it has not been possible to complete the necessary reductions within the said twelve months:

Our Will and Pleasure is that the operation of Our said Warrant be extended for a further period of three months, with effect from 25th April, 1923.

Given at Our Court of *Saint James's*, this 25th day of *April*, in the 13th year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

Peel.

India Office,
23rd *April*, 1923.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Mr. Atul Chandra Chatarji, C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Governor-General of India.

India Office,
4th *May*, 1923.

The KING has approved the appointment of Major-General P. Holland-Pryor, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., M.V.O., as Colonel of the 1st Duke of York's Own Skinner's Horse.

The KING has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Ind. Army:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

L. S. H. Smithers. 23rd July, 1922.

Captain to be Major.

E. W. Burdett, M.C. 17th Aug. 1922.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

27th Oct. 1922.

J. Stephenson (prov.), W. P. Hugh-Gorrings (prov.), C. C. R. Reynolds (prov.).

W. O. Bowen (prov.). 21st Dec. 1922.

H. Hughes. 21st Dec. 1922.

J. W. H. Harrison, M.C. 31st Jan. 1923. (Lon. Gaz. notifi., dated 23rd Mar. 1923, regarding this officer is cancelled.)

The promotion of the following officers to the rank of Capt. is antedated to the dates mentioned against their names:—

19th May, 1919.

W. J. Slim, M.C., A. H. Virgin, J. E. Redding, G. N. Wilkinson, O.B.E., G. de H. Murison, E. R. Greer, H. C. L. Heywood, R. H. Wordsworth, W. N. Powell, M.C., W. F. Q. Shuldham, T. P. Roper, J. Martin, M.C., J. Teague, M.C., E. M. Forbes-Taylor, W. D. Churcher, H. D. Sillick, P. G. Westmacott, G. M. K. Young.

M. L. Corley-Smith, M.C. 6th Oct. 1919.

P. A. Green. 5th July, 1921.

The KING has approved the transfer of the following officers of the Roy. Engrs. (Extra Regt. Empld. List) to the Roy Engrs. (Ind. Army) and their promotion to the rank of Capt., with effect from the dates specified.

(Prom. to Capt. not to count for pay prior to 24th Jan. 1922.)

ROYAL ENGINEERS (INDIAN ARMY).

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Alfred Ernest Deacon. 24th Aug. 1919.

Alexander Henley MacGuffie. 24th Oct. 1921.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Capt. S. S. Sokhey to be actg. Maj. while employed as Registrar, No. 27, Ind. Gen. Hosp. in Mesopotamia, from 17th Feb. 1918 to the 15th Oct. 1919.

The KING has approved the admission to the Ind. Army Res. of Officers of the undermentioned officer, with effect from the date specified:—

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

To be Second Lieutenant.

Jacob Fisher Davies, Gen. List, attd., 122nd Rajputana Infantry. Dated 9th Oct. 1917. (Lon. Gaz. notifi., dated the 8th July 1919, regarding this officer is cancelled.)

The KING has approved the grant of rank on resignation or relinquishment as shown below:—

INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned, whose resignation was notified in the Lon. Gaz. dated 26th Jan. 1923, is granted the rank of Lieut.:—
F. R. Hutton.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned, the relinquishment of whose temp. commns. are notified in the Lon. Gazs. dated 9th and 23rd Mar. 1923, are granted the rank of Capt.:—

J. L. Rebello.

Nirendra Nath Ghosh.

Narayan Mahade Bodas.

Ram Chandra Ganda.

Amrita Nath Banerji.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

The undermentioned, whose relinquishment of their temp. commns. was notified in the Lon. Gaz. dated 14th June 1921, are granted rank as shown below:—

26th *Hyderabad Rifles.*

As Major.

H. J. Dunlop, V.D.

As Captain.

W. H. Ruddie.

H. W. Jamieson.

NOTE.—I.M.S. The relinquishment of his temp. commn. by Capt. Gopalkrishna Ramrao Padbidri is postdated from 15th Sept. 1922 (as notified in the Lon. Gaz. dated 15th Dec. 1922) to 15th Jan. 1923.

The KING has approved the resignation of the undermentioned officer, with effect from the date specified:—

INDIAN ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Capt. J. K. Martyn, M.C., 1st Nov. 1922, and is granted the rank of Maj. (Lon. Gaz.