

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Commy. and Maj. G. C. Hall retires, 7th Jan. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Capt. J. H. Barrett to be Maj., 2nd Nov. 1929.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

To be Capt.

Pritam Varialsingh Karamchandani, 10th Aug. 1929, with seniority 22nd Sept. 1922.

Evan Owen Jones, 5th Sept. 1929, with seniority 13th June 1928.

Bonbehari Bhattacharji, 9th Sept. 1929.

Lt. S. Chopra resigns his commn., 1st July 1929.

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

Hon. 2nd Lts. to be Hon. Lts.

N. G. Suru, 17th Aug. 1929.

N. G. Naralkar, 1st Sept. 1929.

Hon. Lt. K. Raghavan resigns his hon. commn., 1st Nov. 1929.

MEMORANDUM.

Subadar-Maj. and Hon. Lt. *Rai Sahib* Lachhman-das, *Bahadur*, late I.M.D., is granted the hon. rank of Capt. on retirement. 16th Sept. 1929.

*Civil Service Commission,
January 10, 1930.*

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 RESPECTING COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GENERAL AND LEVANT CONSULAR SERVICES, TO STUDENT INTERPRETERSHIPS IN THE FAR EAST, AND TO POSTS IN THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER GRADE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF OVERSEAS TRADE.

1. Candidates will be required to appear before a Board of Selection which will meet at the Office of the Civil Service Commission on the second Tuesday in May, and will decide which candidates possess suitable qualifications for entry into the General, Levant and Far Eastern branches of the Consular Services, and to posts in the Intelligence Officer Grade in the Department of Overseas Trade, in order to enable them to compete at the examination prescribed below. Candidates may appear before this Board at any time after they have attained the age of nineteen; but a candidate who is not recommended for acceptance by the Board of Selection may not appear before that Board for interview a second time unless he is specifically notified after his first appearance that the Board will be prepared to see him again.

2.—(i) Candidates must have attained the age of 21 and must not have attained the age of 24 on the first day of August in the year in which the Examination is held.

(ii) Candidates for appointment to the General and Levant Consular Services and to Student Interpreterships in the Far East must be unmarried.

3. Candidates must be natural-born British subjects, and born within the United Kingdom or in one of the self-governing Dominions of parents also born within those territories, except when the circumstances are such as to justify a departure from the general rule, in which case they can be allowed to compete by special permission of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, provided they fulfil the conditions of the rule in respect of nationality prescribed for candidates for admission to His Majesty's Civil Service as a whole, viz.:—

“Candidates must be natural-born British subjects and the sons of fathers also natural-born British subjects; 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.”

4. No person actually serving in the Army, Navy or Air Force will be eligible for admission to the examination unless he produces to the Civil Service Commissioners when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to attend the examination, dated before the commencement of the competition, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the examination before the commencement of the competition.

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.

5. Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners as to their health and character.

6. The Examination will include the following subjects. The numerical value is shown against each subject.