Majs. to be Lt.-Cols.

J. G. Dormer, 17th July 1930.

H. M. M. Hackett, M.C., 3rd Aug. 1930.

G. N. Miller, 10th Aug. 1930.

13th Aug. 1930.

E. G. T. Tuite-Dalton, M.C.

S. G. C. Murray, C.I.E.

R. Tilly, M.C.

K. D. Allan. C. H. Harrison, O.B.E.

F. B. Abbott, D.S.O. Bt. Lt.-Col. W. K. Rebsch, D.S.O.

A. C. Bird.

Capt. to be Maj.

A. E. Stevens, R.E. (I.A.), 14th Aug. 1930.

Lt.-Col. (prov.) F. A. Corfield, D.S.O., O.B.E., is confirmed in rank.

The undermentioned officers retire: Lt.-Col. C. W. Butler, O.B.E., 25th Aug. 1930. Lt.-Col. F. E. W. Baldwin, 10th Sept. 1930. Maj. F. C. G. Campbell, M.C., 21st Aug. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

The promotion of Maj. L. F. Brandenbourg, M.B., is antedated to the 29th Jan. 1923.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Senr. Asst. Surgns. & Lts. to be Senr. Asst. Surgns. & Capts.

12th July 1930.

D. L. Mackay (secd.).

C. H. Mason (secd).

G. K. A. Bartels.

1st Class Asst. Surgns. to be Senr. Asst. Surgns. with rank of Lt.

12th July 1930.

Edward George Crunden (secd.). Richmond Clement Ireland (secd.). Percy Thorpe.

The date of the retirement of Senr. Asst. Surgn. & Maj. N. P. Shemain is the 15th Feb. 1930, and not as notified in the Gaz. of the 1st Aug. 1930.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

2nd Lt. W. V. Berkley to be Lt., 5th Aug. 1930.

The undermentioned appts. are made:-To be Capt.

William George Edwin Baxter, M.B.E., 22nd May 1930, with seniority 8th Aug. 1923.

To be Lt.

Eryx Vere Staynor, 28th July 1930, with seniority 8th Jan. 1926.

To be 2nd Lts.

Anthony Rylands Thomas, 1st Aug. 1930. Stanley Derrington Jupp, 6th Aug. 1930.

Maj. A. J. Dancey resigns his commn., 16th July 1930.

The undermentioned officers, having no longer a permanent residence in India, Burma or Ceylon, cease to belong to the Reserve:-Maj. J. M. Mackenzie, M.C., 20th Feb. 1930. Lt. M. C. Wadia, 21st July 1930. Civil Service Commission, September 26, 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 OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR THE SITUATION OF FEMALE SORTING ASSISTANT IN THE GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON.

These Regulations are liable to alteration for future examinations.

1. The limits of age for these situations are 15 and 18, and the governing date on which candidates must be of the prescribed age is the 1st October preceding the examination.

In reckoning age for competition, persons who have served in any established civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding two years which they may have spent in such service.

- 2. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—
 - (a) That they are unmarried or widows.
 - (b) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

Every candidate must be a natural-born British subject, the child of a person who is or was at the time of death a British subject; provided that exception may be made in the case of persons serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners.

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 naturalborn 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.

- 3. At each Examination the number of candidates to be selected will be such as may from time to time be fixed.
- 4. The subjects of Examination and the marks they carry will be as follows:-

1. English ... 300 2. Reading Manuscript 100 ••• ••• 3. Arithmetic ... 200 4. Geography 200

Candidates must obtain such an aggregate number of marks as to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners.

5. The Examination is open only to candidates who actually reside with their parents or guardians in the London Postal area or at places not far outside the London Postal area. which are within easy daily travelling distance. of the office of employment. No candidate will be eligible for appointment unless she can satisfy the Postmaster-General that