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- G. D. Baines.
- I. F. G. Hall.

J. W. B. Tindall.

G. B. Harvey.

E. W. D. Vaughan, M.C.

Lts. to be Capts.

14th Jan. 1931. Haji Nur Ahmad Khan, M.C., I.O.M. K. B. Dalvi.

17th Jan. 1931.

I. H. Reeve.

The undermentioned officers retire :--

Col. H. M. D. Shaw, D.S.O., 1st Feb. 1931. Lt.-Col. W. S. J. Scruby, O.B.E., 9th Feb. 1931.

Capt. J. W. A. Parsons, 17th Feb. 1931.

Col. R. H. Anderson is restd. to full pay, 23rd Dec. 1930.

Maj. H. G. Tranchell is transferred to the Supy. List, 18th June 1930.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Mechst. Offr. & Capt. W. F. Norris to be Mechst. Offr. & Maj., 1st Oct. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Capt. E. Benjamin relinquishes his temp. commn., 15th Dec. 1930.

INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Hon. Capts.

15th Oct. 1930.

Sub.-Maj. & Hon. Lt. Dayal Singh, *Bahadur*. Sub. & Hon. Lt. Muhammad Husain.

> ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lt. H. S. Sodhi to be Capt., 4th Apr. 1930.

To be Capts.

Leo Brentford, 21st Nov. 1930, with seniority 23rd Sept. 1921.

Muneeb-ud-Din Minhas, 29th Nov. 1930, with seniority 29th Nov. 1926.

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

Hon. Lt. Jalpa Parshad Misra resigns his commn. with permission to retain his hon. rank and wear the prescribed uniform, 1st Mar. 1930.

Civil Service Commission,

February 27, 1931.

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 NON-ESTABLISHED SITUATION OF JUNIOR TECHNICAL EXAMINER (MALE) IN THE LANDS BEANCH OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 18 and 22; candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the examination. A candidate who attained the age of 18 on the first day of the examination would be admitted, but a candidate who attained the age of 22 on that day would not be admitted.

The following exceptions to the above age limits are allowed :---

(i) Persons who have served or are serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years during which they have so served.

(ii) 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. 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—

(a) In the case of candidates serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissoners.

(b) In the case of natural-born British subjects who served in His Majesty's Armed Forces in the Great War between the 4th August, 1914, and the 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 naturalborn British subject, and (b) neither the father nor the paternal grandfather had acquired any other nationality by naturalisation or by any other voluntary and formal act.

The consent of the authorities of the War Office is required before a candidate either of whose parents was of other than British nationality at birth can be appointed to that Department.

3. 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 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.

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.