Tempy. Sub. Lt. (A) D. G. ALLEN, Temporary Commission terminated on transfer to R.A.F.V.R. 26th

July 1949.
Tempy. Elect. Sub. Lt. D. A. G. KELLY, Temporary Commission terminated on transfer to R.C.N.(R). 28th June 1949.

Tempy. Sub. Lt. (Sp.) N. G. GODDARD, Temporary Commission terminated. 8th Aug. 1949.

To be Tempy. Sub. Lts. (Sp.) with seny. as stated:-A. SCOTT. 1st Feb. 1949.
S. ATKINSON. 15th June 1949.
E. SKELDING. 5th July 1949.

Air Ministry, 2nd September, 1949.

The KING has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decorations con-ferred upon the personnel indicated in recognition of valuable service rendered during the war:—

Conferred by Her Maiesty The Queen of the Netherlands.

Bronze Lion.

Flight Lieutenants.

Dennis Frank Liddle (48794), Royal Air Force. James Scott Surron, D.F.M. (145724), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Bronze Cross.

Flight Lieutenants.

William Robert CHALK, D.F.C. (47910), Royal Air Force,

Jack Noel Francis (47316), Royal Air Force. Henry Arthur King (174666), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Flying Officer.

Denis Mark PEEL (174216), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Frank Hampson SEDGWICK (1516657), Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

1531331 George Derek GLEAVE, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Sergeant.

1573465 William Johnstone AULD, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.

Commonwealth Relations Office, 2nd September, 1949.

ARMY IN INDIA RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

As from the 14th August, 1947, all European officers of the Army in India Reserve of Officers, excluding those employed on full pay on the Special List (ex-Indian Army) British Army, will be deemed to have relinquished their commissions. They are permitted to retain any substantive or honorary rank held at the date of relinquishment.

(The notifn. in the Gazette dated 10th Sept. 1948, is cancelled.)

The KING has approved the following promotion, retirements, relinquishments, etc.:—

INDIAN ARMY.

The notifn. regarding the relinquishment by Maj.-Gen. E. D. Giles, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., of the appt. of Colonel of the Scinde Horse in the Gazette dated 1st Oct. 1948, is cancelled.

Emergency Commission.

War Subs. Lt. F. J. HARPER (E.C.5036) relinquishes his commn., 30th Nov. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

SPECIAL LIST. (EX INDIAN ARMY) BRITISH ARMY.

Maj. (War Subs. Lt.-Col.) W. W. A. LORING (IA.272) to be Lt.-Col., 30th Aug. 1949.
Maj. P. L. H. Hill (IA.1341) retires, 29th June 1948.

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their

War Subs. Lt. J. CAINE (E.C.15588), 21st Sept. 1947, and is granted the hon rank of Capt. War Subs. Lt. C. G. HARDY (E.C.15892), 24th June 1948, and is granted the hon rank of Capt.

War Subs. Maj. K. W. Marley-Clarke (E.C.987), 29th Aug. 1949, on appt. to Short Serv. Commn.

Departments.

t. (War Subs. Capt.) (E.M.A.E.) R. O. Jones (OW/127) retires, 1st Oct. 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Emergency Commission.

War Subs. Capt. (D.C.) A. E. Wales (OS/494) relinquishes his commn., 23rd June 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Medical Service.

Lt.-Col. S. T. Davies (MZ/7196) retires, 31st Aug. 1949.

Civil Service Commission.

2nd September, 1949.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, the following amendment has been made to the Temporary (Reconstruction) Regulations for the Competitive Selection of Radio Operator, Class I (Male), formerly styled Wireless Telegraphist, in the Post Office Wireless Service, dated the 26th November, 1946, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, viz.:—

Regulation 6. To read "Candidates must possess the Postmaster-General's First Class Certificate of Proficiency in Radiotelegraphy and have had practical experience as a Wireless Operator in the Post Office or elsewhere."

Civil Service Commission, 2nd September, 1949.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury and the Secretary of State for Foreign

RECRUITMENT UNDER NORMAL REGULATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATIONS HEADQUARTERS. (DEPARTMENT OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE.)

- 1. No candidate may compete more than twice under Normal Regulations.
- 2. Age. Candidates must be at least $20\frac{1}{2}$ years and under 26 years of age on the 1st day of August, 1950. But the Commissioners may at their discretion admit a candidate who was born on or after 2nd August, 1923, if he rendered civilian service otherwise than under the National Service Acts and so was debarred from competing in 1949 by the terms of the proviso to paragraph 1 of the Regulations governing the Normal Open Competition of 1949 for recruitment to the Government Communications Headquarters, to the Government Communications Headquarters, but in other respects complies with the requirements of these Regulations.
- 3. Marriage. (i) Both men and women are eligible. (ii) Married women who have formerly been established civil servants and have drawn marriage gratuity (other than those who are widows or divorced, or who are separated from their husbands, or whose husbands suffer without hope of recovery from total physical or mental incapacity) will not be eligible unless they undertake to refund on appointment the marriage gratuity paid.
 - 4. Nationality. (1) Every candidate must
 - (a) be a natural-born British subject; and
 (b) have been born within the United Kingdom
 or within one of the self-governing Dominions of
 parents both of whom were also born within the
 United Kingdom or within one of the selfgoverning Dominions governing Dominions.
- (2) No departure from this rule will be made without the special permission of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and then only in exceptional cases and in favour of candidates who are British subjects and who also satisfy one of the following conditions:
 - (a) If natural-born British subjects, they must

(i) have at least one parent who is, or was at death, a British subject; or
(ii) have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service