

Gunnery to be Comd. Gunnery—

Thomas H. Skuse. 1st July 1921.

George A. J. Blundell. 1st July 1921.

Alfred J. Mallett, D.S.C. 27th July 1921.

Alfred W. Wright. 27th July 1921.

Warrant Ship. Harry E. Chappel to be Comd. Ship. 29th July 1921.

R.N.R.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Cecil J. H. Cowdy, R.D., placed on the Retd. List at own request. 2nd Aug. 1921.

Admiralty, 4th August, 1921.

Acting Eng. Lieut. Harold Lang to be Eng. Lieut. 1st July 1920.

R.N.R.

Lt.-Cdr. John H. H. Scudamore, D.S.C., R.D., placed on Retired List at own request, with rank of Comdr. 2nd Aug. 1921.

Lt.-Cdr. Thos. W. F. Winter placed on Retired List at own request. 2nd Aug. 1921.

*Admiralty, 5th August, 1921.**R.N.V.R.*

Lieut. Frank R. Blair placed on Retired List at own request. 29th July 1921.

R.N.R.

Sir William Petersen, K.B.E., to be Honorary Commander. 29th July 1921.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Captain Newenham R. de la C. Cornwall, R.D., has been appointed a Royal Naval Reserve Aide-de-Camp to the King, in the vacancy created by the retirement of Captain Sir Bertram F. Hayes, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., R.D., A.D.C. 30th June 1921.

Admiralty, 6th August, 1921.

Eng. Lt. (ret.) Montague J. Speer to be Eng. Lt.-Cdr. (ret.). 6th Aug. 1921.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1921.

The following decorations have been conferred by His Majesty the King of the Belgians on British Naval Officer and Men in recognition of services rendered during the War:—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission to the Officer and Men concerned to wear the decorations in question.

Croix de Guerre.

Lieut. Basil Baseby, D.S.C., R.M.A.

Gnr. George Bennett, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./14161.

Gnr. George Crosby, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./14299.

Gnr. George Morton, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./13234.

Gnr. Ernest Popplewell, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./2636 (s).

Gnr. Edwin J. F. Randall, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./13696.

Cpl. Edward G. Rook, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./13037.

Gnr. Louis Siebert, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./13199.

Gnr. Frederick S. Willis, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./13329.

R.N.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following Officers:—

Lieut.-Cdr. Harman A. L. Bond.

Lieut.-Cdr. William B. S. Starr.

Lieut.-Cdr. Charles C. Cartwright, O.B.E.

Lieut.-Cdr. Sebastian F. Newdigate.

Lieut.-Cdr. William Soutter.

Lieut.-Cdr. Herbert J. Giles.

Lieut.-Cdr. Vivian R. O'Reilly.

Lieut.-Cdr. John B. Browning.

R.N.V.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following Officer:—

Lieut.-Cdr. Cecil M. Dillon.

*Air Ministry,**9th August, 1921.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

PERMANENT COMMISSIONS.

STORES BRANCH.

Flying Officer Henry Edwin Thomas CROCKER is granted a permanent commission, retaining his present substantive rank and seniority. 17th June 1920.

SHORT SERVICE COMMISSIONS.

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions as Flying Officers, with effect from, and with seniority of, the dates indicated, except where otherwise stated:—

* Francis Joseph Edward FEENEY, D.S.O. 29th July 1921.

* John Mecreedy MCALERY. 27th July 1921.

26th July 1921.

Arthur John BARLOW.

Edward Fowles HAYLOCK.

Alec Dudley PAGE, M.M.

Percy WILSON, M.C. 18th July 1921. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 26th July 1921.)

* These officers, previously substantive Flight Lts., will be placed at the head of the list of Flying Officers, but junior to all officers similarly reduced in rank on the grant of permanent or short service commissions.

SECONDING.

The undermentioned Lts. (Army) are granted temporary commissions as Flying Officers on seconding for four years' duty with the R.A.F.:—

8th July 1921.

Francis Frederic INGLIS (Duke of Cornwall's L.I.).