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Ministry of Fuel and Power,  
Dean Stanley Street, S.W.1.  
17th November, 1943.

The Ministry of Fuel and Power gives notice that the persons named below have been appointed on a temporary basis to be Junior Inspectors of Mines under the Coal Mines Acts, 1887 to 1919, and also to act as Inspectors for the purposes of (1) Metalliferous Mines Regulations Acts, 1872 and 1875, (2) the Quarries Act, 1894, and (3) the Factories Acts, 1937, so far as it applied to any premises or place in or adjacent to a quarry or mine.

*Junior Inspectors of Mines.*

Carver, James—3rd September, 1943.  
Kerr, John—23rd August, 1943.  
Welch, Frederick Harbottle—20th September, 1943.  
Ministry of Fuel and Power,  
London, S.W.1.  
17th November, 1943.

*Admiralty, 16th November, 1943.*

*R.N.*

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Admiral Sir Percy L. H. Noble, K.C.B., C.V.O., has been appointed First and Principal Naval Aide-de-Camp to The King to date 21st October, 1943, in succession to the late Admiral of the Fleet Sir A. Dudley P. R. Pound, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.V.O.

*R.N.*

Admiral Sir John C. Tovey, G.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., to be Admiral of the Fleet. 22nd Oct. 1943.  
Vice-Admiral Sir Lionel V. Wells, K.C.B., D.S.O., to be Admiral. 22nd Oct. 1943.  
Rear-Admiral Arthur M. Peters, C.B., D.S.C., to be Vice-Admiral. 22nd Oct. 1943.  
Engr. Capt. B. J. H. Wilkinson, C.B.E., to be Engr. Rear-Admiral. 11th Nov. 1943.  
Capt. (E) C. W. S. Gibson to be Rear-Admiral (E). 11th Nov. 1943.  
Lt. E. Kirton (Retd.) to be Lt.-Cdr. (Retd.). 23rd Sept. 1943.  
Actg. Lt. W. F. Cooper to be Lt. with seny. of 2nd July 1939.  
Proby. Tempy. Sub-Lt. (E) F. S. Ham, R.N.V.R., transferred to R.N. in rank of Tempy. Sub-Lt. (E) with seny. of 12th Sept. 1942.  
Cdr. A. B. Fanshawe placed on Retd. List with rank of Capt. 13th Nov. 1943.  
Lt.-Cdr. H. C. Skinner placed on Retd. List with rank of Cdr. 18th Nov. 1943.  
Lt.-Cdr. G. C. Harris placed on Retd. List with rank of Cdr. 7th Nov. 1943.  
Tempy. Sub-Lt. (E) N. J. M. Bennett to be Tempy. Lt. (E) with seny. of 23rd Apr. 1943.  
Actg. Sub-Lt. P. H. T. Rees to be Sub-Lt. with seny. of 1st Aug. 1942.

Lts. to be Lt.-Cdrs. with seny. as stated:—

N. Scott-Elliott, D.S.C. 1st Nov. 1943.

E. W. Ridley. 10th Nov. 1943.

Actg. Sub-Lts. (E) to be Sub-Lts. (E) with seny. as stated:—

D. G. Satow. A. J. Monk. 1st Aug. 1942.

W. E. Morris. F. W. A. Passmore. G. D. van Someren. J. D. East. A. N. S. Burnett. D. G. Greaves. B. R. Bland. D. J. Rowarth. J. B. Chevallier. 1st Oct. 1942.

F. N. O. Bartlett. H. H. Shepherd. 1st Dec. 1942.

J. P. H. Brown. 16th Apr. 1943.

Actg. Lts. (E) to be Lts. (E) with seny. as stated:—

J. L. Wood. 1st Aug. 1942.

B. M. Cunningham. 1st Mar. 1943.

Actg. Lt. G. Kilmartin to be Lt. with seny. of 30th Sept. 1940.

Lt. H. J. Jennings (Retd.) to be Lt.-Cdr. (Retd.). 21st Sept. 1943.

Cd. Gunr. B. Quick to be Lt. 2nd Nov. 1943.

Lt (E) W. H. Sheppard (Retd.) to be Lt.-Cdr. (E) (Retd.). 16th Oct. 1943.

Actg. Lt. (E) J. G. W. Bingham to be Lt. (E) with seny. of 1st Dec. 1942.

Sub-Lt. (A) J. T. Nicholson to be Lt. (A). 15th July 1942.

Group Capt. R. F. S. Morton, R.A.F. (Retd.), to be Tempy. Cdr. (A) R.N. 1st Nov. 1943.

Sub-Lt. (A) R. H. W. Blake to be Lt. (A). 1st Nov. 1943.

Actg. Paymr. Lt.-Cdrs. to be Paymr. Lt.-Cdrs. with orig. seny. as stated:—

G. H. Nicholls. 1st Oct. 1940.

K. H. Derwent. 1st Oct. 1941.

W. L. F. Hughes. 1st July 1943.

Lt. B. G. B. Bordes, D.S.C., to be Lt.-Cdr. 1st Nov. 1943.

Lt. G. Payne (Retd.) to be Lt.-Cdr. (Retd.). 21st Sept. 1943.

Sub-Lts. to be Lts. with seny. as stated:—

L. E. D. Wise. 1st Mar. 1943.

G. C. Hathway. 16th Apr. 1943.

R. W. Bartleman. B. D. Davidson. 16th May 1943.

G. B. Burdon. 1st Aug. 1943.

R. T. Walker, D.S.C. 1st Nov. 1943.

Lt.-Cdr. R. J. Berry placed on Retd. List with rank of Cdr. 11th Feb. 1942. (In substitution for notice appearing in London Gazette of 4th June 1943.)

Cdr. (E) E. H. Vincent placed on Retd. List with rank of Capt. (E). 10th Nov. 1943.

Shipwt. Lt. W. H. Royall, M.B.E. (Retd.), to be Shipwt. Lt.-Cdr. (Retd.). 25th Oct. 1943.

Surgn. Cdr. J. C. Brown, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., placed on Retd. List with rank of Surgn. Capt. 14th Nov. 1943.

Lt. J. Shorten placed on Retd. List. 15th Nov. 1943.

Tel. Lt. S. H. Hewison placed on Retd. List. 15th Nov. 1943.

Cd. Tel. T. W. Bacon to be Tel. Lt. 15th Nov. 1943.

Wt. Aircraft Offr. D. P. Ward to be Lt. (A) with seny. of 10th Aug. 1942.

*Admiralty, 1st November, 1943.*

*R.M.*

The undermentioned Tempy. Lts. (Actg. Tempy. Majs.) granted the war sub. rank of Tempy. Capt. and to retain the rank of Actg. Tempy. Maj.:—

T. D. S. Adams. 31st Oct. 1943.

C. R. Blount. 1st Nov. 1943.

H. Alexander. 1st Nov. 1943.

*Admiralty, 8th November, 1943*

*R.M.*

Lt. C. G. H. Miers to be Actg. Capt. 31st Oct. 1943.  
Tempy. 2nd Lt. J. H. McLeod to be Tempy. Lt. 5th Nov. 1943.

*Admiralty, 9th November, 1943.*

*R.M.*

Tempy. Lt. (Actg. Tempy. Maj.) R. Parry-Ellis, M.C., granted the war sub. rank of Tempy. Capt. and to retain the rank of Actg. Tempy. Maj. 9th Nov. 1943.

Tempy. Lt. (Actg. Tempy. Capt.) J. G. Burton to relinquish the rank of Actg. Tempy. Capt. 26th Oct. 1943.

The undermentioned to be Tempy. 2nd Lts.:—

William Joseph Archer. Michael William Bruce North Coates. Albert Barnes Blake. Matthew Dickie. 6th Nov. 1943.

The undermentioned to be Tempy. 2nd Lts.:—

Derrick Trevor Burrows. Terence John Hutson. Sidney James Ball. John Downes Torrance. Jack Edward Jewell. Albert Gainsford Brackley. Oswald Maton. John Baldwin Duncan. Cyril Charles Holdaway. John Dobson. William Ackroyd. Henry James Burke Brandon. Gerald Graham Clarke. Ian William Adam. Blaise Anthony Gordon Coates. Donald Arthur Hargreaves. Henry Victor Witherall. Bryan Charles William Samain. David Smith. John Turner Menzies. Gordon Campbell Wilson. Peter Stanley Winston. Leonard Hoad. James Arthur Iles. Frederick Vivian Fox. Philip Anthony Jarvis. William Farnham Maggs. Colin Laidlaw Bartrum. Francis Edgar Oxby. Stewart Hylton Edwards. Anthony Francis Wilson. Christopher Thomas Meredith. James Donald Driver. Ralph Paylor. Alan Garfield Walters. Peter Henry Cheatle Forrow. John Trevor Scott. Philip Frederick Williams. Nicholas Demuth. Ronald Douglas