the end of any street or carriage-way, or upon any place where foot-passengers usually cross the carriage-way.

And it is further ordered that the foregoing Regulations shall be enforced on and after the

15th day of April, 1908.

E. R. HENRY,
The Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis.

Metropolitan Police Office, 8th April, 1908.

### PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACT, 1907.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given, that Arthur William Glover and William Thompson have made application for the restoration of the Patent granted to them for "Improvements in drawing and sliver directing apparatus specially applicable for use in connection with carding engine condensing apparatus," numbered 8490, and bearing date the 25th April, 1901, which expired on 25th April, 1907, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee. Any person may give notice of opposition to the restoration on leaving Patents Form No. 16 at the Patent Office, 25, Southampton-buildings, London, W.C., on or before the 9th June, 1908.

C. N. Dalton, Comptroller-General.

# LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

Aldershot and Farnborough Light Railway Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade for confirmation, under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them authorising the construction of Light Railways in the Urban Districts of Aldershot and of Farnborough, in the county of Southampton, and in the Rural District of Farnham, in the county of Surrey.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 1st May, 1908. These should be accompanied by copies of any clauses or amendments that may be desired to remove the objections, and copies of such objections and clauses or amendments should, at the same time, be sent to the Promoters' Agents named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy from Messrs. Lees, Butterworth and McDonnell, Palacechambers, Bridge-street, Westminster, S.W.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., 8th April, 1908.

# LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

North Shropshire Light Railway Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade for confirmation, under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made

by them authorising the reconstruction and working, as a Light Railway, of certain parts of the Railways and Works of the Shropshire Railways Company, in the counties of Shropshire and Montgomeryshire.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 1st May, 1908. These should be accompanied by copies of any clauses or amendments that may be desired to remove the objections, and copies of such objections and clauses or amendments should at the same time be sent to the Promoters' Agent named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy from Mr. H. F. Stephens,

Salford-terrace, Tonbridge, Kent.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, Lendon, S.W., 8th April, 1908.

#### Admiralty, 7th April, 1908.

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Gordon Stewart has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 30th March, 1908.

The following Staff Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Fleet Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Sidney Brougham Hinshelwood. Ernest Alexander Bremner.

Frank Lenn.

Dated 1st April, 1908.

The following Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Staff Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Edgar Bocquet Swan. Dated 1st April, 1908.

Hugh William Maclean. Dated 3rd April, 1908.

The undermentioned Chief Artificer Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Adolphus William Sharp.
William Halbert Roxburgh.

William Dalton.
Dated 1st April, 1908.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Owen Algernon Bradford to be
Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1908.

#### Admiralty, 8th April, 1908.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Captain Albert Sumner Lafone has been placed on the Retired List at his own request. Dated 6th April, 1908.

Royal Navat Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Pryce Evans to be
Lieutenant. Dated 6th April, 1908.

# Admiralty, 9th April, 1908.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Hubert William Douglas Griffith. Dated 15th January, 1907.