

*Board of Trade (Marine Department),
Whitehall Gardens, S.W.
July 8, 1909.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1907, that they have received, during the month of June, 1909, the following Report of a Formal Investigation into a Shipping Casualty held by a Court in a British Possession abroad:—

Report of a Court of Inquiry held at Bombay on the 31st day of March, and the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th days of April, 1909, into the circumstances attending the collision of the steamship "Planet Neptune," of Liverpool, Official Number 113,479, with the Dock Wall, Prince's Dock, Bombay, on 17th March, 1909.

Admiralty, 6th July, 1909.

The undermentioned Engineer Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Commander in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Vernon Alfred Alexander Ter Veen.
Albert George Victor Salter.
Percival Richard Thomas Brown.
James Palmer Leahy.
Frederick Pring.
Thomas Oscar Jameson.
William Harrower Crichton.
Frederick Barter.
Edwin Richard Kestell.
Edward James Rosevere.
Francis John Sutton.
Thomas Shattock.
Thomas Werry Cleave.
Robert James Block.
John Bowing.
Charles John Gregg.
Mark Rundle.
Henry John Loveridge.
Charles Alexander Harding.

Dated 1st July, 1909.

The undermentioned Engineer Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Augustus Shackle.
Sydney Edward Main.

Dated 1st July, 1909.

*War Office, Whitehall,
9th July, 1909.*

REGULAR FORCES.

CAVALRY.

Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant Frederic J., Lord Gerard to be Captain, vice A. V. Earl of Clanwilliam, resigned. Dated 12th June, 1909.

2nd Dragoons (Royal Scots Greys), Second Lieutenant George Granville Sutherland, Marquis of Stafford, from Lovat's Scouts Yeomanry, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 10th July, 1909.

18th (Victoria Mary, Princess of Wales's Own) Hussars, Captain Edmund H. Bayford, D.S.O., is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Territorial Yeomanry. Dated 19th June, 1909.

FOOT GUARDS.

Scots Guards, Second Lieutenant Hubert B. A. Adderley to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable R. E. M. Ramsay, deceased. Dated 25th April, 1909.

INFANTRY.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service under the Colonial Office:—

Lieutenant Harold C. C. de la Poer. Dated 19th June, 1909.

Second Lieutenant Paul V. Davidson. Dated 26th June, 1909.

The South Wales Borderers, Second Lieutenant Mervyn T. Johnson to be Lieutenant, vice D. G. Johnson, appointed Adjutant. Dated 15th May, 1909.

The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 1st June, 1909:—

Henry A. P. Littledale, vice J. B. G. Tulloch, seconded.

William F. Gilchrist, vice H. A. P. Littledale, seconded for special employment in South Africa.

Francis B. Brewis, vice W. F. Gilchrist, seconded for service under the Colonial Office.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant Stanley M. L. Iredeil retires on retired pay, to serve in the Special Reserve, under the provisions of Article 510, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 10th July, 1909.

THE ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lieutenant Nicholas A. F. Fenwick retires on retired pay, to serve in the Special Reserve, under the provisions of Article 510, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1907. Dated 10th July, 1909.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel Robert C. A. B. Bewicke-Copley, C.B., on vacating appointment as General Staff Officer 1st Grade, Northern Command, is placed on the Half-pay List. Dated 9th May, 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio N. Dumbleton, Royal Engineers, to be Brevet Colonel. Dated 4th July, 1909.

Captain Alfred C. Parker, Half-pay List, resigns his Commission. Dated 10th July, 1909.

Commissary and Honorary Captain George H. Bittles, Indian Ordnance Department, is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 10th July, 1909.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

INFANTRY.

7th Battalion, The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant George P. T. Dean resigns his Commission. Dated 12th June, 1909.

3rd Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions. Dated 10th July, 1909:—

Lieutenant Frank E. Fish.

Second Lieutenant Alex W. Stansfeld.

5th Battalion, The Worcestershire Regiment, Richard Spencer Crankshaw to be Second Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 29th March, 1909.