

**NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF GRATUITIES AWARDED FOR CAPTURES OF ARMS-RUNNING DHOWS.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.  
20th January, 1910.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the Distribution of the Awards made for the captures of Arms-running Dhows in the Persian Gulf, by His Majesty's ship "Proserpine," on the 26th March and 18th April, 1908, and by His Majesty's ship "Fox," on the 7th and 13th March, 1909, will commence on Monday, the 24th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not serving afloat, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

The following are the shares due to individuals in the several Classes:—

**H.M.S. "PROSERPINE."**

	26th March, 1908.	18th April, 1908.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commanding Officer ..	6 2 2	50 9 10
Second Class ..	1 6 8	10 18 4
Third Class ..	1 3 4	9 11 1
Fourth Class ..	1 0 0	8 3 9
Fifth Class ..	0 13 4	5 9 2
Sixth Class ..	0 8 0	3 5 7
Seventh Class ..	0 6 8	2 14 7
Eighth Class ..	0 4 8	1 18 2
Ninth Class ..	0 2 8	1 1 10
Tenth Class ..	0 1 4	0 10 11

**H.M.S. "Fox."**

	7th March, 1909.	13th March, 1909.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commanding Officer ..	25 14 2	66 3 10
Second Class ..	4 4 5	11 1 4
Third Class ..	3 13 11	9 13 8
Fourth Class ..	3 3 5	8 5 10
Fifth Class ..	2 2 3	5 10 7
Sixth Class ..	1 5 5	3 6 4
Seventh Class ..	1 1 2	2 15 3
Eighth Class ..	0 14 10	1 18 8
Ninth Class ..	0 8 5	1 2 2
Tenth Class ..	0 4 2	0 11 0
Eleventh Class ..	0 2 1	0 5 6

*Admiralty, 18th January, 1910.*

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 19th March, 1908:—

Engineer Commander Joseph Harrison William Howard Ellis has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Engineer Captain. Dated 1st January, 1910.

Engineer Captain William Sharp has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 4th November, 1909.

The following Engineer Commanders have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Captain in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Arthur William Turner. Dated 4th November, 1909.

John Edward Johnson. Dated 1st January, 1910.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881, the following Inspectors-General of Hospitals and Fleets have been placed on the Retired List at their own request:—

Henry Thompson Cox.

Leonard Henry Kellett, M.D., M.A.

Dated 6th December, 1909.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from the same date:—

Deputy Inspectors-General—

Charles James,

Arthur William May,

to be Inspectors-General of Hospitals and Fleets in His Majesty's Fleet.

Fleet Surgeons—

Timothy Joseph Crowley, M.D.,

Donald Templeton Hoskyn, M.B.,

to be Deputy Inspectors-General of Hospitals and Fleets in His Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 18th October, 1909, the following Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List at their own request:—

Cyril Beauchamp Hampshire.

Francis Richard Martin White.

Dated 18th January, 1910.

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Gordon Hine has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th October, 1909.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Warden Sydney Learmouth Gilchrist has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th June, 1909.

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Sub-Lieutenant Guy Darracott Millar has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th June, 1909.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Sir James Henry Domville, Bart., has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th April, 1909.

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The following Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Kenneth Henry Stuart.

Robert Milne Porter.

Dated 28th December, 1909.

Richard Michael Ward. Dated 7th January, 1910.