miralty Jurisdiction Acts, 1868 and 1869,

Mercantile Assessors.

John William Baird, Parklands, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Joseph John Baker, 21, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Marine Superintendent.
Richard James Blacklin, 31, Brougham

Terrace, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Harald Waldemar Casper, The Cedars,

West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.
Leonard R. Conner, Lyndale, Clifton
Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

William Edgar, Linden Grove,

Hartlepool, Ship Broker.

John Elmes, 44, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Master Mariner, Ship Owner and Surveyor.

John Peter Fea, Louvine Lodge, West

Hartlepool, Timber Merchant.

Charles Henry Ford, Grovehurst, Wooler Road, West Hartlepool, Merchant and Ship

Julius Ernst Guthe, Seaton Carew, Ship

Jacob Kruse Muller Hessler, 1, Staincliffe, Seaton Carew, Timber Importer.

George Jones, Meadowcroft, West Hartlepool, Ship Builder.

Robert Lauder, Broomhill, West Hartle-

pool, Timber Merchant.

Robert Livingston, 7, Church Street, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

William Scott Merryweather, Wrenwood, Park Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship

Thomas Metcalfe, Stamford House, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Benjamin Bray Murrell, 24, Clifton

Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner. Hans Benedict Olsen, Wellington Road,

West Hartlepool, Ship Chandler.
Robert Woodliffe Simpson, Ingleside, Hutton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Charles Edward Smith, 48, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Surveyor.

Thomas Wilson Watson, Gisburn House,

Hartlepool, Master Mariner. William Thomas Willis, 93. Clifton

Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship Owner, Joseph F. Wilson, Pangbourne, V Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Francis Yeoman, Gainford House, Hartlepool, Ship Owner.

Nautical Assessors. .

Joseph John Baker, 21, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Marine Superintendent.

Richard James Blacklin, Dinsdale House, Brougham Terrace, West Hartlepool, Ship Master and Owner.

Leonard R. Conner, Lyndale, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Master Mariner, Ship Owner.

John Elmes, 44, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Master Mariner and Surveyor and Ship Owner.

Benjamin Bray Murrell, 24, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Ship Master and Owner.

Edward Smith, Charles 48, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Marine Engineer and Surveyor.

Carl A. Topp, 11, Granville Avenue, West Hartlepool, Master Mariner.

Thomas Wilson Watson, Gisburn House, Street, Hartlepool, Gladstone Mariner, Ship Owner.

Willis, Thomas William 93, Clifton Avenue, West Hartlepool, Master Mariner,

Ship Owner.

I hereby lay the above list before the President of the Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice for his approval.

> H. D. Bonsey, Judge.

Approved, for a period of five years, this eighteenth day of October, 1911.

S. T. Evans,

President of the Admiralty Division, High Court of Justice.

Admiralty, 20th October, 1911. Royal Naval Reserve.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Edgar has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated .1st July, 1911.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Bernard Crossley-Acting Meates has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd August, 1910.

Admiralty, 21st October, 1911.

Boatswain John Read Saunders has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in His Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 23rd October, 1911.

Sub-Lieutenant John Hermann Brougham has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th June,

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 11th . June, 1910-

. Divisional Chief Officer of Coast Guard George H. Merriman has this day been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant on being pensioned.

Admiralty, 24th October, 1911.

The undermentioned Gunners have been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet:

Dated 12th Charles Lawrence Cahill. October, 1911.

Henry Middleton. Dated 23rd October, 1911.

> War Office, 24th October, 1911.

THE CHESHIRE REGIMENT.

Major-General William Henry Ralston, C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Lieu-tenant-General Sir C. Tucker, G.C.V.O., K.C.B., transferred to the South Staffordshire Regiment. Dated 11th September, 1911.