Admiralty, 17th May, 1915.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to be Lieutenants:

Serjeant-Major William John Stuart, Royal Marine Light Infantry, vice May. Dated 28th April, 1915.

Serjeant-Major James Edward Preston, Royal Marine Light Infantry, vice Curtin.

Dated 5th May, 1915.

Royal Marine Gunner Samuel Watkin Bucknall.

Royal Marine Gunner George Knott. Dated 11th May, 1915.

The undermentioned to be a Temporary Second Lieutenant: -

Robert Cotesworth. Dated 11th May, 1915.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration upon the following Officer:-

Senior Engineer James Currie Craig.

The undermentioned Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander in the Royal Naval Reserve:

Donald Dowdy. Dated 15th April, 1915. Robert Atkinson Harden. Dated 17th April, 1915.

Alfred James Hailey. Dated 17th April,

Reginald Robert Harrison. Dated 25th April, 1915.

George Frank Dugdale. Dated 25th April,

The undermentioned Lieutenants (retired) have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander (retired) in the Royal Naval ${f Reserve}:$

Victor Leopold Trumper. Dated 11th

April, 1915.
Thomas William Hankinson. Dated 13th April, 1915.

Reginald Byford Hall. Dated 17th April, 1915.

Percy James Spray. Dated 20th April,

Acting Lieutenant Robert Abercromby Thorburn has been specially promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1915.

Royal Naval Air Service.

The undermentioned Gentleman has been granted a temporary commission as Flight Lieutenant:

Charles Frederick Pollock. Dated 15th April, 1915.

Flight Sub-Lieutenant George Herbert Scott has been specially promoted to the rank of Flight Lieutenant. Dated 4th May, 1915.

Admiralty, 18th May, 1915.

The undermentioned Acting Mate has been confirmed in the rank of Mate in His Majesty's

Thomas Parkinson. Dated April 3rd, 1914.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The undermentioned Acting Sub-Lieutenant has been promoted to the rank of Sub-Lieu-

Francis Landon Spon. Dated 10th March,

The undermentioned Probationary Sub-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant:

Frederic Deller. Dated 1st July, 1914. Duncan Gordon Barr. Dated 1st October, 1914.

Royal Marines.

Quartermaster - Sergeant George Harrington, Royal Marine Artillery (pensioned) is granted a temporary commission as Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 14th May, 1915.

Admiralty, 19th May, 1915.

The undermentioned Gentleman has been ranted a temporary commission as Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet:--

John Aubrey Brooking Snell, B.A. Dated 15th May, 1915.

Admiralty, 20th May, 1915.

In accordance with the provisions of Order in Council of 21st July, 1876-

Commander Arthur Napier Heathcote has been granted permission to assume the rank of Captain on the Retired List of His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 21st June, 1902.

The undermentioned Acting Mate has been confirmed in the rank of Mate in His Majesty's Fleet:-

William Henry Hardy. Dated 3rd April, 1914.

The undermentioned Gentleman has been granted a temporary commission as Surgeon in the Royal Navy:—

Harold Boultbee Padwick, B.A. Dated 20th May, 1915.

> War Office, 21st May, 1915.

REGULAR FORCES.

The undermentioned Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants for service in the Field:-

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY. Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery. Dated 27th April, 1915.

Battery Serjeant-Major Charles Brown. Battery Serjeant-Major William John Banks.