SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the London Gazette of July 30, 1915.)

Name of Vessel.	List of Vessels. Nationality.	Cargo Detained at
Ansgar		Kirkwall

Bos - - - - Norwegian Kirkwall
Lizzie - - - Swedish - Stornoway
Nautilus - - - Swedish - Cardiff
Venus - - - Danish - - Kirkwall

Foreign Office, August 6, 1915.

Whitehall, August 6, 1915.

The KING was pleased, on Thursday, the 5th instant, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon

James Murray, Esq., who was unable to attend at the Palace on the 12th July

(This Knighthood takes effect as from the 18th June, 1915),

and

Lancelot Sanderson, Esq., K.C., M.P., on his appointment as Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature, Calcutta.

The Right Honourable Sir John Simon, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 53 of the Explosives Act, 1875, has appointed Sergeant Michael Corduff (No. 60236), of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to be an Inspector for Ireland under the said Act.

Whitehall, 5th August, 1915.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACTS, 1896 AND 1912.

DEARNE DISTRICT LIGHT RAILWAYS ORDER.

The Light Railway Commissioners have resubmitted to the Board of Trade for confirmation, under the above-mentioned Acts, an Order made by them authorising the construction of Light Railways in the County Borough of Barnsley, in the Urban Districts of Ardsley, of Worsborough, of Wombwell, of Wath-upon-Dearne, of Swinton, of Bolton-upon-Dearne, and of Thurnscoe, in the parish of Brampton Bierlow, in the Rural District of Rotherham and in the Parish of Adwick-upon-Dearne, in the Rural District of Doncaster, all in the West Riding of the County of York.

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 28th August, 1915.

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 one of the Promoter's Agents named below.

Copies of the Order and of the amendments made by the Commissioners on re-submission for confirmation may be obtained on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy from Messrs. Butterworth and Company, St. Stephen's House, Victoria Embankment, Westminster, S.W., or Messrs. Bury and Walkers, Town Hall, Wombwell.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., 3rd August, 1915.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM (LIQUOR CONTROL).

Application of the Regulations to the Liverpool and Mersey district area.

Notice is hereby given, that the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic) have issued an Order, dated 5th August, 1915, made in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Acts and Regulations relating to the Defence of the Realm.

The area to which this Order applies is the area comprised in the City of Liverpool, the County Boroughs of Birkenhead, Bootle and Wallasey, the Urban District of Ellesmere Port and Whitby, and the Petty Sessional Division of Wirral, in the County of Chester; and the Petty Sessional Divisions of Southport, Kirkdale, Ormskirk, and Prescot, in the County of Lancaster.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic), Cecil Chambers, 76, Strand, London, W.C.

Admiralty, 2nd August, 1915.

In accordance with the provisions of Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 28th November, 1887—

Lieutenant-Commander Francis William Hanan has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander on the Retired List. Dated 2nd August, 1915.

The following Gentleman has been entered as a Surgeon for temporary service in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Percy Uvedale Mawer. Dated 30th July, 1915.

Royal Naval Reserve.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant:—

Bertram Harold Davres. Dated 11th March, 1915.

George Henry Wylie. Dated 9th April, 1915.