

The undermentioned temporary Second Lieutenant to be temporary Lieutenant:—

Robert Edward Barkley. Dated 1st January, 1916.

*Admiralty, 8th January, 1916.*

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

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

Commander Henry William Alfred Clark.

Lieutenant-Commander Thomas Willing Stirling has been promoted to the rank of Commander on the Emergency List. Dated 1st January, 1916.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant—

John Patrick Quinlan. Dated 20th December, 1915.

To be temporary Assistant Paymaster—

Arthur Douglas Smithers. Dated 8th January, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Lieutenant—

William Wilfred Hewitt. Dated 31st December, 1915.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants—

Henry Eugene Davey. Dated 7th December, 1915.

Vernon William Cornwell. Dated 29th December, 1915.

To be temporary Lieutenant—

Alexander Cecil Birch. Dated 5th January, 1916.

*Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.*

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants—

Horace Alfred Day.

Eustace Mars Aron.

Charles Frederick Wright.

Herbert Battersby.

Dated 17th December, 1915.

Reginald Elias. Dated 8th January, 1916.

Percy Francis Eldridge. Dated 8th January, 1916.

Donald MacDonald. Dated 7th January, 1916.

To be temporary Staff Paymaster—

Temporary Paymaster Archie Douglas Henry. Dated 7th January, 1916.

To be temporary Paymaster—

Temporary Assistant Paymaster Arthur Venn Prior. Dated 7th January, 1916.

To be temporary Lieutenant—

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant George W. Hinchcliffe. Dated 7th January, 1916.

*Royal Naval Division.*

The temporary commission and appointment to the Royal Naval Division of Lieutenant

Alfred George Watson, R.M., Divisional Engineers, are terminated on his transfer to the rank of temporary Lieutenant, R.N.V.R. To date 5th January, 1916.

*Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned to be probationary Second Lieutenant, and to take rank and precedence as a probationary Second Lieutenant next after probationary Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) Cecil Wingfield Fiennes:—

Temporary Second Lieutenant Vivian Davenport Thomas. Dated 7th September, 1915.

*Admiralty, 9th January, 1916.*

Lieutenant Edward Jackman has this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander on the Retired List.

*Admiralty, 10th January, 1916.*

Gunner Thomas Frederick Britton has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet.

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

Arthur Bayford Guy Underwood, M.B. Dated 6th January, 1916.

Engineer Lieutenant Francis North Barker has been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant-Commander in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 3rd December, 1915.

Temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenant John Macfarlan Mitchell has been promoted to the rank of temporary Engineer Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 8th January, 1916.

Mate Frederick Joseph Rutland has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 7th January, 1916.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

To be Lieutenants—

Carl Edward Rahtkens.

Alfred William Drew.

Edwin Francis Hannan.

Dated 2nd August, 1915.

George William Trinick. Dated 1st January, 1916.

The undermentioned temporary Sub-Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants:—

William Francis Amy. Dated 28th November, 1915.

William Edward Roberts. Dated 13th December, 1915.

Herbert Edward Carter. Dated 16th December, 1915.

Allan Lansley. Dated 22nd December, 1915.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenant—

John William Miskin. Dated 6th January, 1916.