

The following Sub-Lieutenants have this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Colin John Lawrence Bittleston.
Donal Bernard O'Connell.
Cecil James Bowers.
The Honourable Lovel William Coke.
St. John George Hewitt Pitt.
Cecil Charles Frederick Grey.
Roland Leeds.
Noel Alfred Beal.
Edward Desmond Bewley McCarthy.
Philip Foster Glover.
Reginald Wastell English.

The undermentioned Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Commander in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Frederick Cobb Finnis.
Cuthbert John Pope.
Cornelius Octavius Regnart.
William Henry Wake Ridley.
Arnold Maitland-Dougall.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

The undermentioned Engineer Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Engineer Lieutenant-Commander in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Reginald George Hines.
Percy Duncan Croisdale.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of the 19th January, 1886:—

Acting Assistant Paymaster William John Douglas Vince has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 11th February, 1916.

Mate George Wright Morrison has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 14th February, 1916.

Acting Mate Archibald Samuel Conway has this day been confirmed in the rank of Mate in His Majesty's Fleet.

Royal Naval Reserve.

To be temporary Lieutenants:—

John Brown. Dated 12th February, 1916.
William Owen Jones. Dated 11th February, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Lieutenant:—

Alexander Thomson McGregor. Dated 10th December, 1914.

To be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenant:—

William Benjamin Roberts. Dated 7th February, 1916.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants:—

Edward Butcher.
George Hall.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

To be temporary Sub-Lieutenants:—

George Shelford Bidwell.
Charles Edward Tatham.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

To be temporary Lieutenants:—

T. H. Underwood.
William Thomas Pinnington.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

Temporary Sub-Lieutenant John Stern Bosworth to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1915.

To be temporary Lieutenants:—

Harold John Thomas Berryman.
Edmund Ivan Montfort Bird.

Dated 15th February, 1916.

Royal Naval Air Service.

To be temporary Flight Sub-Lieutenant:—

William Henry Wood (late temporary Sub-Lieutenant, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve). Dated 15th February, 1916.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned to be temporary Second Lieutenant for the period 7th July, 1915, to 14th July, 1915, inclusive:—

Robert Godwin Jeffrey.

Admiralty, 16th February, 1916.

In accordance with the provisions of His late Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Rear-Admiral Richard Purefoy Fitz-Gerald Purefoy, M.V.O., has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 15th February, 1916.

Consequent thereon the following promotion has been made from the same date:—

Captain Thomas Dawson Lees Sheppard, M.V.O., to be Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Chief Gunner Walter George Jones has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant on the Retired List. Dated 9th February, 1916.

Royal Naval Reserve.

To be a temporary Assistant Paymaster—

Arthur Denys Lovely. Dated 12th February, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Sub-Lieutenants—

Frank Mudie Key. Dated 11th February, 1916.
Charles Edwin Harland. Dated 12th February, 1916.

To be temporary Engineer Lieutenants—

Ivon Egbert Davies.
Arthur Henry Leyshon.

Dated 5th January, 1916.

William Cordner. Dated 10th January, 1916.