

To be tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieuts.—
 Walter Ross. 28th Mar. 1916.
 Robert V. Rutherford. 13th July 1916.
 George F. Fisher. 29th July 1916.
 Thomas Young.
 Henry F. Sturgeon.
 31st July 1916.
 Andrew M. Hunter. 2nd Aug. 1916.
 Henry S. Gaze. 5th Aug. 1916.

R.N.V.R.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—
 Archibald H. Hall. 7th Aug. 1916.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
 Alexander H. Hayes.
 John Hammersley-Heenan.
 8th Aug. 1916.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
 Frederick Smith.
 Irwin T. Ashcroft.
 Leonard Ritson.
 Gilbert H. Elliot.
 Ralph H. Yeates.
 Michael A. Fenton.
 Herbert J. Flewitt.
 8th Aug. 1916.

R.M.

Lieut. James Frederick Ellison to be temp.
 Capt. 17th Dec. 1915.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1916.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
 Harry J. Stenbridge.
 D. W. Davies.
 9th Aug. 1916.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
 Guy R. Fullagar. 9th Aug. 1916.

R.M.

Tempy. Capt. Guy Evans, placed in the Res.
 of Offrs., R.M. 31st July 1916.

Admiralty, 10th August, 1916.

Lieut.-Cdr. Harold G. Innes (Ret.) to be Cdr.
 (Ret.). 10th Aug. 1916.

With reference to the notice in the London
 Gazette of the 4th August of the grant of a
 tempy. commission as Sub-Lieut., R.N.V.R.,
 to Richard Teesdale Drane, the name should
 be Richard Teesdale Deane and not as stated
 therein.

Acting Mates confirmed as Mates—
 Robert McD. Brown.
 Edwin A. W. Cox.
 Henry L. Bacon.
 Charles Powell, D.S.C.
 1st Aug. 1915.

R.N.R.

Tempy. Sub.-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts. :—
 George McP. McNair. 28th Mar. 1916.
 Martin Smith. 26th June 1916.
 Thomas Davison. 21st July 1916.

To be tempy. Lieut.—
 William G. T. Tingey. 25th July 1916.

To be tempy. Sub.-Lieuts.—
 Alexander Sang.
 Walter M. Dunn.
 David F. A. Forrest.
 Bertie Ling.
 5th Aug. 1916.

Charles Francis Minshull.
 Thomas C. Rennie.
 10th Aug. 1916.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Sub.-Lieuts.—
 Theodore P. Crowther.
 Robert J. Mathewson.
 15th July 1916.

Francis J. Gibson. 10th Aug. 1916.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—
 Samuel Porter. 28th June 1916.

Admiralty, 11th August, 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to
 confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal of
 the First Class on—

Lieutenant Frederick Joseph Rutland, R.N.
 (Flight Lieutenant, Royal Naval Air
 Service).

The following is the account of the services
 in respect of which the Decoration has been
 conferred:—

During the transshipment of the crew of
 H.M.S. "Warrior" to H.M.S. "Engadine"
 on the morning of the 1st of June, 1916, suc-
 ceeding the naval battle off the coast of Jut-
 land, one of the severely wounded, owing to
 the violent motion of the two ships, was
 accidentally dropped overboard from a stretcher
 and fell between the ships. As the ships were
 working most dangerously, the Commanding
 Officer of the "Warrior" had to forbid two of
 his officers from jumping overboard to the
 rescue of the wounded man, as he considered
 that it would mean their almost certain death.
 Before he could be observed, however, Lieu-
 tenant Rutland, of H.M.S. "Engadine," went
 overboard from the forepart of that ship with
 a bowline, and worked himself aft. He suc-
 ceeded in putting the bowline around the
 wounded man and in getting him hauled on
 board, but it was then found that the man was
 dead, having been crushed between the two
 ships. Lieutenant Rutland's escape from a
 similar fate was miraculous. His bravery is
 reported to have been magnificent.

War Office,

11th Aug. 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—Temp. Lt. R. W. Crawford, K.R.
 Rif. C., and to be transfd. to the Gen. List.
 31st July 1916.

Lt. C. A. M. Cator, S. Gds., Spec. Res.
 (Lt., Res. of Off.). 3rd Aug. 1916.

GENERAL STAFF.

G.S.O., 2nd Grade.—Temp. Lt.-Col. E. L.
 Strutt, R. Scots, Spec. Res. 7th July 1916.