

geon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Consett, in the county of Durham, is vacant.

*Downing Street,
13th March, 1920.*

The KING has been pleased to appoint Sir William Lamond Allardyce, K.C.M.G. (Governor of the Bahama Islands), to be Governor of the State of Tasmania and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia.

*Downing Street,
15th March, 1920.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Fiennes Cecil Arthur Barrett-Lennard, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall, S.W.,
15th March, 1920.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 11th instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting the rank and dignity of Counsel to His Majesty to the under-named:—

James Adam, Esquire, Advocate, C.B.E.
Alexander Mackenzie Stuart, Esquire, Advocate, M.A., LL.B.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy,

*Admiralty, S.W. 1,
16th March, 1920.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all Persons interested therein, that the distribution of the awards for the salvage of the undermentioned vessels by His Majesty's Ships will commence on Wednesday, the 17th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1:—

Salvage of Steam Trawler "Breadalbane" by H.M.S. "Nepean" on the 15th and 16th April, 1917.

Salvage of s.s. "Dragon" by H.M. Drifter "Heatherbell" between the 19th and 22nd December, 1917.

Salvage of s.s. "Domingo de Larrinaga" by H.M. Tug "Cartmell" and Dockyard Working Party between the 24th January and 6th February, 1919.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W. 1." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL BOUNTY MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy,

*Admiralty, S.W. 1,
16th March, 1920.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers interested therein, that the distribution of the

award of Bounty granted for the destruction of a Bolshevik Armed River Steamer by His Majesty's Seaplane from H.M.S. "Nairana" on the 2nd August, 1918, will commence on Wednesday, the 17th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1.

Applications from the Officers entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W. 1."

Admiralty, 2nd March, 1920.

Commnd. Gunner James V. Browne to be retired. 12th March 1920.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1920.

Lieut. Hugh L. Agnew has this day been transferred to the Emergency List.

Royal Marines.

R.M.L.I.

Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. Hugh Ferguson Montgomery, C.M.G., D.S.O., is seconded for service with the Army. 12th Feb. 1920.

R.M.

Capt. James Cheetham, D.S.C., is placed on the Retired List on account of age. 3rd March 1920.

Admiralty, 11th March, 1920.

R.N.V.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer on Surgeon Lieut.-Commander William B. Betenson the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Officers' Decoration.

The following Temporary Surgeon Lieutenants (D.), R.N.V.R., have been transferred to the Permanent List of Surgeon Lieutenants (D.), R.N., with seniority as stated:—

George E. Wood, O.B.E. 5th Aug. 1914.

John R. Palmer, O.B.E. 5th Aug. 1914.

Walter C. Murray. 5th Aug. 1914.

Edward E. Fletcher, O.B.E. 5th Aug. 1914.

Frederick Thompson, O.B.E. 5th Aug. 1914.

James F. Place. 5th Aug. 1914.

David Paterson. 5th Aug. 1914.

Robert R. Adams. 5th Aug. 1914.

Thomas A. B. Corless. 5th Aug. 1914.

John S. F. Horton. 5th Aug. 1914.

Harold M. Meek. 5th Aug. 1914.

Oscar Trigge. 5th Aug. 1914.

Percy G. Richards. 5th Aug. 1914.

Bernard J. Geekie. 5th Aug. 1914.

Robert S. Ward. 5th Aug. 1914.

Frederick W. Paul. 10th Sept. 1914.

Arthur T. Dally. 26th Apl. 1915.

Andrew Macpherson. 9th March 1916.

Royal Marines.

R.M.L.I.

Maj. Harold Frank Pemberton Rees is placed on half-pay, at his own request, for a period of six months. 11th March 1920.