

by H.M. Tug "Security" on the 24th September, 1921, will commence on Wednesday, the 1st proximo in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant General of the Navy, Admiralty.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Accountant General of the Navy (Prize Branch, Room 33), Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1. Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

Admiralty, 23rd July, 1923.

Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) Francis H. Bostock to be Comdr. (Retd.). 12th July 1923.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1923.

R.M.

Lt.-Col. Richard ff. Willis, C.B. (Supy. List, R.M. (W/T) (Supplementary H.P. List, 30th Apr. 1922). 1st Apr. 1921.

Maj. Charles D'O. Harmar, D.S.O. 23rd Sept. 1915. (Substituted for notice which appeared on page 4989 of the Gazette of 20th July 1923.)

R.N.R.

Lieut. William J. Harbord placed on Retd. List. 6th July 1923.

Lieut. Frederick H. W. Higgins, R.D., to be Lieut.-Comdr. 10th July 1923.

Lieut. Joseph K. Chaplin, R.D., to be Lieut.-Comdr. 13th July 1923.

Admiralty, 25th July, 1923.

Surg. Comdr. Murray P. Jones placed on Retd. List, with rank of Surg. Capt. 23rd July 1923.

Admiralty, 26th July, 1923.

Act. Sub-Lieut. John Kyme Cordeaux to be Sub-Lieut. 15th Oct. 1922.

R.N.R.

Proby. Payr. Sub-Lieut. Eric F. Harding to be Payr. Sub-Lieut. 30th Jan. 1923.

Admiralty, 27th July, 1923.

R.N.R.

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

Lieut.-Comdr. James Lecky.

Lieut. Gerald N. Jones, D.S.O.

Lieut. Ernest M. Fall, D.S.C.

Lieut. William A. Williamson.

R.N.V.R.

H.M. The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve Officers' Decoration upon Surg. Capt. Arthur R. Brailey, M.B., F.R.C.S., M.C.

Admiralty, 28th July, 1923.

R.N.R.

Payr. Lieut.-Comdr. John Young, R.D., placed on Retd. List, with rank of Payr. Comdr. 31st May 1923.

War Office.

31st July, 1923.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made at the War Office:—

Dir. Gen.—Lt.-Gen. Sir W. B. Leishman, Knt., K.C.M.G., C.B., F.R.S., M.B., F.R.C.P., F.R.F.P.S., (late R.A.M.C.), K.H.P., vice Lt.-Gen. Sir T. H. J. C. Goodwin, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., F.R.C.S. (late R.A.M.C.), K.H.S. 29th July 1923.

G.S.O. 3rd Grade.—Bt. Maj. F. V. B. Witts, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., R.E., vice Bt. Maj. E. J. B. Tagg, D.S.O., Durham L.I. 12th July 1923.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made at the War Office:—

Dep. Mil. Sec. & Sec. of the Selection Board.—Col. G. C. Williams, C.M.G., D.S.O., and to be temp. Col. on the Staff whilst so empld., vice Col. C. R. G. Mayne, C.M.G., D.S.O., A.D.C., who relinquishes the temp. rank of Col. on the Staff. 1st Aug. 1923.

A.D.C. to Gov. of United Provinces, India.—The date of the appt. of Lt. R. E. Pickering, The Queen's R., is 23rd Dec. 1922, and not as in the Gazette of 9th Feb. 1923.

The undermentioned appt. is made:—

G.S.O., 3rd Grade.—Bt. Maj. N. G. Holmes, M.C., E. York. R., from a D.A.Q.M.G., and to relinquish the temp. rank of Maj., vice Bt. Lt.-Col. W. J. Cranston, D.S.O., E. Lan. R. 12th July 1923.

Spec. Appt., Cl. G.G.—Lt. S. C. G. Young, Somerset L.I., relinquishes his temp. appt. 11th July 1923.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made:—

Staff Capt.—Capt. W. J. Gilpin, M.C., R.G.A. 17th May 1923.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

R.H. & R.F.A.—Lt. C. W. Knight is secd. for service with the Ind. Sig. Serv. 21st Feb. 1923.

R.G.A.—Supern. Lt. W. B. Clarke, M.C., is restd. to the estab. 1st Aug. 1923.