Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1.

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

Notice by the Board of Trade of application by the Middlesex County Council for an Amending Order under Sub-section (3) of Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, in respect of the Uxbridge, Maidenhead, Wycombe and District Gas Company.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that the Middlesex County Council have made application under Sub-section (3) of Section 1 of the above Act for an Amending Order revising the powers of charging authorised by the Uxbridge, Wycombe and District Gas (Charges) Order, 1921, by reducing the standard price prescribed by that Order.

Any person affected desiring to make representations with regard to the application may do so by letter, addressed to the Director of Gas Administration, Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1, not later than

June 12th, 1925.

A copy of such representations must at the same time be sent to the Middlesex County Council and to the Uxbridge, Maidenhead, Wycombe and District Gas Company.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1925.

Percy Ashley,

An Assistant Secretary to the ' Board of Trade.

Admiralty, 18th May, 1925.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Admiral The Hon. Sir Somerset A. Gough-Calthorpe, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., C.V.O., First and Principal Naval Aide-de-Camp to the King, has been promoted to the rank of Admiral of the Fleet with effect from the 8th May 1925.

Consequent thereon the following promotions have been made from the same

Vice. Admiral Sir William E. Goodenough, K.C.B., M.V.O., to be Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral H. D. R. Watson, C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E., to be Vice-Admiral in His Majesty's

Captain H. E. Grace, A.D.C., to be Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing the following promotions on the Retired List take place from the same date:-

${f Vice-Admirals}$

C. S. Hickley, C.B., M.V.O. Sir Arthur J. Henniker-Hughan, Bt.,

C.B., M.P. Sir T. Dawson L. Sheppard, K.B.E., C.B., M.V.O. F. W. Kennedy, C.B.

R. Nugent.

H. T. Hibbert, C.B.E., D.S.O.

A. H. S. Fyler, C.B., D.S.O. Sir Heathcoat S. Grant, K.C.M.G., C.B.

Sir Thomas Jackson, K.B.E., C.B., M.V.O.

F. E. C. Ryan, C.B.E. P. Nelson-Ward, M.V.O.

to be Admirals.

Captains-

P. W. E. Hill and H. H. Smyth, C.M.G., D.S.O.

to be Rear-Admirals.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Admiral Sir Montague E. Browning, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., M.V.O., has been appointed First and Principal Naval Aide-de-Camp to the King in place of Admiral The Hon. Sir Somerset Gough-Calthorpe, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., C.V.O., promoted to Admiral of the Fleet. 8th May 1925.

R.N.

Lieuts. to be Engr. Engr. Comdrs. :-

E. M. Fittock, D.S.C.

P. C. Munro. C. A. Richards.

W. Simon.

18th May 1925.

Engr. Lieut. (Spec. Res.) G. S. Johnson to be Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. (Spec. Res.). 6th May 1925.

Engr. Lieuts. (Retd.) to be Engr. Lieut.-Comdrs. (Retd.):-

E. J. Jeffery.

W. H. Pengelly.

J. Fleming.

G. T. Hales.

D. C. Scott.

J. P. Cock. J. W. Smith.

J. G. Johnson.

F. W. Neate.

E. H. Dowland.

A. E. Creal.

F. S. Heath.

18th May 1925.

R.N.V.R.

L., Lieut.-Comdr. McCormick-Goodhart, O.B.E., V.D., placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Comdr. 15th May $19\bar{2}5.$

Admiralty, 19th May, 1925.

R.N.

Payr. Lieut. (Retd.) W. G. Abell to be Payr. Lieut. Comdr. (Retd.). 14th Apr. 1925.

Engr. Lieut. (Spec. Res.) A. B. Blake to be Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. (Spec. Res.). May 1925.

R.N.V.R.

Proby. Surgeon Sub-Lieut. L. P. Spero to be Surgeon Sub-Lieut, with seniority of. 2nd May 1924.

Admiralty, 20th May, 1925.

R.N.R.

Lieut.-Comdr. P. A. Stainsby placed on Retd. List at own request. 15th May 1925.

R.N.V.R.

Temp. Surg. W. P. Elford, M.A., M.D., late R.N., to be Surg. Lieut., with seny. of. 26th October 1924.