

Maudling, R. G., Messrs. R. Watson & Sons, Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Meiklem, W. H., Norwich Union Life Assurance Society, Norwich.
 Reid, W. A., 6, Golden Square, Aberdeen.
 Rhodes, F., Royal Insurance Buildings, 1, North John Street, Liverpool.
 Robertson, J. H., M.A., 33, Bloomsbury Square, London, W.C. 1.
 Ross, J. M., 35, St. Vincent Place, Glasgow.
 Rusher, E. A., Christ Church Cottage, Hampstead, London, N.W. 3.
 Sewell, Richard, Finsbury Pavement House, London, E.C. 2.
 Stuart, J. Moody, 53, East Parade, Harrogate.
 Tayler, H. Hosking, 252, High Holborn, London, W.C. 1.
 Taylor, J. A. G., 142-6, Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Woodrow, G., Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Worthington, W., Royal Insurance Buildings, 1, North John Street, Liverpool.

Whitehall, December 23, 1925.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 22nd instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Edward Frederick Lindley Wood, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Irwin, of Kirby Underdale, in the County of York.

Downing Street,
23rd December, 1925.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 23rd of May, 1925, to reconstitute the Office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Gold Coast Colony, and to provide for the Government thereof.

Scottish Office,
Whitehall, S.W. 1.
23rd December, 1925.

The Secretary for Scotland has been pleased by Warrant under his hand and seal, dated the 22nd instant, to appoint Mr. Archibald C. Morrison to be Clerk to the Justices of the Peace of the County of Aberdeen in the room of Mr. James Conner, whose resignation has been accepted as from the 1st January, 1926.

Admiralty, 18th December, 1925.
R.N.R.

Proby. Sub-Lieuts. to be Sub-Lieuts., with seny. stated:—

S. S. Burnnand. 3rd Mar. 1925.
 R. B. Mitchell. 14th Apr. 1925.
 K. J. T. Hutchings. 20th Apr. 1925.
 C. L. De H. Bell. 31st July 1925.

Admiralty, 19th December, 1925.

R.N.

Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.) J. R. G. Moncrieffe to be Comdr. (retd.), with seny. of 30th June 1924.

Admiralty, 21st December, 1925.

R.N.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts.:—

R. P. Garnett.
 G. Tanner.
 C. D. Maud.

15th Dec. 1925.

Sub-Lieut. G. W. Yale transferred to Emergency List. 11th Dec. 1925.

R.N.R.

Paymr. Lieut.-Comdr. W. O. Tate placed on Retd. List. 20th Nov. 1925.

R.M.

Removed from Special Reserve, having been awarded a disability pension:—

Capt. Harry L. Whale. 11th June 1925.
 Lieut. Harry S. Rider. 31st Aug. 1925.
 Lieut. William H. Ford. 31st Aug. 1925.

The notification in the Gazette of 7th Aug. 1925 in regard to Capt. H. L. Whale is cancelled.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1925.

R.N.

Tempy. Instructor Lieut. W. A. Bishop transferred to Permanent List with seny. of 18th Dec. 1925. 21st Sept. 1922.

Sub-Lieut. (E) J. B. Rooper to be Lieut. (E). 15th Dec. 1925.

R.N.R.

Proby. Sub-Lieut. J. I. Miller to be Sub-Lieut. 24th July 1925.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following officer:—

Lieut.-Comdr. C. S. Dendy.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Lieutenant Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, Bart., to be a Deputy Lieutenant.

(129) Dated 19th December, 1925.

India Office,
25th December, 1925.

INDIAN LAND FORCES.

The KING has approved the removal from the Service of Hon. Sec. Lieut. Khadim Hussain Khan, Indian Land Forces, His Majesty having no further need of his services, with effect from 12th Nov. 1925.