Factory Department, Home Office, February 2, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. M. Young to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Rothwell District of the County of York, West Riding.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 2, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. J. MacDiarmid to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Ryde District of the County of Isle of Wight.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 2, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. M. Manson to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Worshop Acts for the Whitehaven District of the County of Cumberland.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 4, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. S. Carson, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Alston, in the County of Cumberland, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 5, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. I. G. M. Firth to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Tenbury District of the County of Worcester.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 5, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. R. W. Winstanley, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Haslemere, in the County of Surrey, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 6, 1926.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. H. G. Peel, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Sherburn, in the County of York, East Riding, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, February 8, 1926.

Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. H. Anderson to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Tunbridge Wells District of the County of Kent.

COAL MINES ACT, 1911.

EXPLOSIVES IN COAL MINES.

The Secretary for Mines gives notice that on the 30th January, 1926, he made an Order in pursuance of Section 61 of the Coal Mines Act, 1911, varying the First Schedule to the Explosives in Coal Mines Order of the 1st September, 1913 (relating to "Permitted Explosives") as follows:—

The definitions of the Explosives, Ligdynite No. 1, Negro Powder No. 2, and Stonobel have been amended.

The Explosives, Ammodyne, Capexco, Geligdynite, Ligdynite, Super-Ammodyne and Super-Ligdynite have been removed from the "Permitted List."

Copies of the Order, which will shortly be available, may be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Office, either directly or through any Bookseller.

Mines Department, Dean Stanley Street, Millbank, Westminster, S.W. 1. 6th February, 1926.

Admiralty, 3rd February, 1926.

Lieut. W. A. Whitaker to be Lieut.-Comdr. 1st Feb. 1926.

Admiralty, 4th February, 1926.

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Proby. Lieut. F. A. Orr to be Lieut. with seny. of 31st Dec. 1924. Proby. Sub-Lieut. H. R. A. King to be Sub-

Lieut. with seniority 1st Oct. 1925.

Lieut.-Comdr. C. L. C. DeGuerin placed on Retd. List. 1st Feb. 1926.

Admiralty, 5th February, 1926.

Eng. Lieut. (Spec. Res.) R. Kingdom to be Eng. Lieut.-Comdr. (Spec. Res.). 5th Feb.

Lieut.-Comdr. E. J. J. Southby placed on Retd. List. 7th Dec. 1925.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts.:—

G. I. C. Hutchison.

G. Gowlland.

J. H. Montgomery.

C. W. M. Vereker. C. A. N. Hooper.