Downing Street, 1st February, 1929.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Vincent O'Dea, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Newfoundland.

> Board of Trade, Mercantile Marine Department, 20, Great Smith Street, Westminster, S.W. 1. 1st February, 1929.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1923, that they have received during the month of January, 1929, the following Reports of Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties held by Courts in British Self-Governing Dominions, Crown Colonies and Possessions Abroad:-

- 1. s.s. "Kosciusko" and m.v. "Rambler."
- 2. s.s. "Barwon" and s.s. "Kirawa."
- 3. s.s. "Cariboo."
- 4. Dredge "Monarch" in tow of tugs "Gerald B. Russell" and "Dorothy May."

Admiralty, 30th January, 1929.

Cd. Gunner R. Dell placed on Retd. List with rank of Lieut. 21st Jan. 1929.

R.N.V.R.

Robert Merrick Lloyd Still, Esquire, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to be Surg. Lieut. 25th Jan. 1929.

Admiralty, 31st January, 1929. R.N.

Comdr. B. P. MacMahon placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Capt. 31st Jan. 1929.

Admiralty, 1st February, 1929.

Payr. Sub-Lieut. J. H. McGregor to be Payr. Lieut. 1st Feb. 1929.

Comdr. R. B. Janvrin placed on Retd. List at own request. 1st Feb. 1929.

Eng. Lieut. T. H. Hunter to be Eng. Lieut.-

Comdr. 1st Feb. 1929. Eng. Lieut. T. E. Yeates to be Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. 1st Feb. 1929.

R.N.R.

Cd. Engr. J. Atchison placed on Retd. List with rank of Engr. Lieut. 15th Jan. 1929. (In substitution for previous notice.)

R.N.V.R.

Payr. Sub-Lieut. (C) R. C. Davies to be Payr. Lieut. (C) with seny. of 17th Dec. 1928.

Cd. Suptg. Clerk H. M. Watkiss to be Lt. on appt. as Qr.-Mr. 18th Jan. 1929.

Admiralty, 2nd February, 1929. R.N.

Lieut. J. E. Elfick, M.B.E., placed on Retd. List. 2nd Feb. 1929.

Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) R. D. Howard to be Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. 28th Jan. 1929.

Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) J. F. Morris to be Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. 29th Jan. 1929.

Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) J. A. P. Legh, D.S.C., to be Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. 13th Jan.

R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieut. H. C. Freeman-Ward to be Lieut. with seny. 22nd Dec. 1928.

Admiralty, 5th February, 1929. R.N.

The Revd. Arthur Leonard Poole, M.A., to be Chaplain in His Majesty's Fleet. 5th Feb. 1929.

> War Office, 5th February, 1929.

REGULAR ARMY.

Maj.-Gen. Sir H. J. Elles, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., is placed on h.p. under the provisions of Art. 62, Royal Warrant for Pay & Promotion, 1926. 4th Feb. 1929.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appts.:-

Bt. Lt.-Col. B. C. Freyberg, V.C., C.M.G., D.S.O., LL.D., Gren. G'ds., G.S.O., 2nd Grade, Eastern Comd. 4th Feb. 1929.

Capt. F. S. Eastwood, Cheshire R., Staff Capt., 7th Inf. Bde. (temp.). 4th Feb. 1929.

Capt. W. D. Morgan, D.S.O., M.C., R.A., from G.S.O. 3rd Grade, War Office, is apptd. Mil. Attaché (Graded as G.S.O., 2nd Grade), Budapest, and is granted the local rank of Maj. 12th Jan. 1929.

CAVALBY.

The undermentioned 2nd Lts. to be Lts. 4th Feb. 1929:-

K.D.G.-L. R. Warton.

3rd D.G.—G. St. J. Le Marchant. N. G. T. Cliff. W. R. H. Watson.

5th Innis. D.G.-A. B. J. Scott.

The Royals-T. G. Hardy.

The Greys—G. R. Trotter.

3rd H.-M. H. Wilson. C. A. Peel.

4th H.-G. E. O. Williams.

8th H.-Hon. M. P. Wingfield.

9th L.-Lt. J. D. Gilroy to be Capt. 11th Nov. 1928.