Admiralty, 14th September, 1939.

R.M.

The following Proby. Lts. are confirmed in the rank of Lieut. with seny. of 1st Feb. 1939:— I. D. De'Ath.

N. A. G. H. Beal.

Admiralty, 13th September, 1939.

R.N.V.R.

The following have been granted temporary commissions in the rank of Surgeon Lieut.-Commdr. with senty. of 12th Sept. 1939:—

A. B. Burns, M.B., Ch.B. R. C. H. Ensor, L.M.S.S.A. W. P. Over, L.R.C.P. & S. T. L. Masterson, M.D., F.R.C.S.(Ed.).

A. G. McClymont, M.B., Ch.B. R. V. Horniman, M.B., Ch.M.

J. M. Gillespie, M.B., Ch.B.

Surg. Lieut. R. F. B. Bennett, L.M.S.S.A., to be Temp. Surg. Lieut. Comdr.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

Major Herbert Copeland Cary Batten, D.S.O., of Aldon, Yeovil, and

Captain Charles Phillimore Lewton Firth, of Compton Durville Manor, South Petherton, to be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated 8th Septem-

ber, 1939. (115)

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

Major Sir John Frederick Shelley, Baronet, of The Palace, Crediton, Devon, to be a Deputy Lieutenant.—Dated 13th day of September, 1939. (119)

> The War Office, 10th September, 1939.

POWERS .EMERGENCY (DEFENCE) REGULATION 5 OF THE DEFENCE REGULATIONS, 1939.

CONTROL OF PHOTOGRAPHY.

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for War has, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Regulation, made an Order entitled the "Control of Photography Order (No. 1), 1939", published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1939, No. 1125.

Copies of this Order may be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

Air Ministry, 15th September, 1939.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards for gallant and distinguished services rendered in connection with the operations in Palestine during the period 1st November, 1938, to 31st March, 1939:-

Distinguished Service Order.

Squadron Leader Hector Douglas McGregor (27031).

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Flying Officer Edward Trevor WILLIAMS (37953)

Pilot Officer Anthony Ives Hostage Lynch (40180).

Pilot Officer Charles Harold Dyson (40172).

India Office, 15th September, 1939.

The KING has approved the following promotions, appointments, retirements, etc.:-

ROYAL INDIAN NAVY.

Sub.-Lt. M. G. Collins to be Lt., 20th Aug. 1939.

INDIAN ARMY.

Majs. to be Lt.-Cols.

Bt. Lt.-Col. H. H. Stable, C.I.E., 28th July

Bt. Lt.-Col. D. Stuart, O.B.E., 29th July 1939. S. K. Furney, M.C., 2nd Aug. 1939.

The undermentioned appts. are made from the Unatt. List:-

To be 2nd Lts.

With seny. 27th Jan. 1938. Frank Tounsend, 6th Apr. 1939. Campbell Fairbairn Downie, 27th June 1939.

The undermentioned officers retire: Lt.-Col. Sir Arthur E. B. Parsons, K.C.I.E., C.B.E., D.S.O., 5th Aug. 1939. Lt.-Col. R. L. Lemon, 3rd Sept. 1939.

INDIAN REGULAR RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned officers, having attained the age limit of liability to recall, cease to belong to the Reserve:-

Maj.-Gen. P. B. Sangster, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., 28th Aug. 1939.

Maj.-Gen. Sir J. H. K. Stewart, K.C.B., D.S.O., 3rst Aug. 1939. Brig. J. C. McKenna, C.B., D.S.O., 4th Aug.

1939.
Col. C. Reed, C.B., D.S.O., 10th Aug. 1939.
Col. B. H. Brown, 6th Aug. 1939.
Lt.-Col. W. H. Lang, 30th Aug. 1939.
Lt.-Col. H. Blackwell, O.B.E., 5th Aug. 1939.

Lt.-Col. J. A. Collum, D.S.O., O.B.E., 13th

Aug. 1939. Lt.-Col. H. W. Hickey, D.S.O., 18th Aug. 1939.