Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander (D) to Surgeon Commander (D).

William R. Young, L.D.S.

Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander to Paymaster Commander.

· Edgar W. Fletcher.

The following promotions have been announced by the Commonwealth Naval Board to date 31st December, 1943.

Commander to Captain. Emile F. V. Dechaineux, D.S.C.

Lieutenant-Commander to Commander. Neil A. Mackinnon.

WOMEN'S ROYAL NAVAL SERVICE.

13th November, 1943.

The following Acting Superintendents, W.R.N.S. are confirmed in rank of Superintendent with seniority of dates shown:

Mrs. Grace Laughton Bell. 3rd April, 1942.

Mrs. Marjorie Florence Lawes. 15th April with

15th April,

Miss Jessie Frith. 22nd February, 1943.

The following Acting Chief Officer, W.R.N.S., is confirmed in rank of Chief Officer with seniority of date shown:

Mrs. Marie Benita Malschinger.

The following First Officers, W.R.N.S., are promoted to rank of Acting Chief Officer with seniority of dates shown:-

Miss Jessie Vida Wallace Smith. 11th October,

1943.
Miss Doreen Catherine Boath Salmond. October, 1943.

The following Acting First Officers, W.R.N.S., are confirmed in rank of First Officer with seniority of dates shown:

Miss Elizabeth May Leese. 18th December.

1942. Miss

Elizabeth Ralston Duncan. 25th January,

Miss Beatrice Joan Crick. 19th March, 1943. Mrs. Gladys Evelyn Stonham. 5th April, 1943. Mrs. Ann Crump. 29th April, 1943. Mrs. Christina Ella Hope Chamen. 7th June,

1943.
 Miss Marjorie Elisabeth King. 10th June, 1943.
 Miss Gwendoline Dorothy Gilligan. 16th June,

1943.

Mrs. Muriel Mary Valentine Gilbert. June, 1943.

The following Second Officers, W.R.N.S., are promoted to rank of First Officer with seniority of dates shown:-

Mrs. Peggy Flora Lynch. Mrs. Pamela Margaret Green. 22nd October, 1943.

The following Second Officers, W.R.N.S., are promoted to rank of Acting First Officer with seniority of dates shown:

Miss Phillis Mary Mansel Pacey. 7th October,

Miss Juliet Ethel Spinney. 20th October, 1943. Miss Kathleen Margaret Radcliffe. Miss Barbara Rose Evans. Mrs. Margot Carruthers Cooke. Mrs. Kathleen Mary Alice Earnshaw. 22nd October, 1943.
Miss Ethel Winifred Heppenstall. 23rd October,

Miss Jean Davies. 26th October, 194
 Miss Eleanor Winifred Joan Meikle.

October, 1943.
Miss Marjorie Noble. 4th November, 1943.
Miss Jane Stewart Neilson. 17th November,

The following Acting Second Officers, W.R.N.S., are confirmed in rank of Second Officer with seniority

of dates shown: Mrs. Evelyn Stella Wylson. 15th December,

Mrs. Jane Annie Sophie Rossiter. 4th January,

1943. Miss Betty Elsie Joy Mungavin. 30th January,

Miss Judith Alkelda Clifford. 18th March, 1943. Miss Kathleen Mary Martin. 19th March, 1943. Miss Phyllis Eleanor Hill Taylor. 25th March,

1943. Miss Irene Margaret Clucas. 26th March, 1943.

Mrs. Marjorie Garwood Hughes. 2nd April 1943. Mrs. Kathleen Mary Ferris. 6th April, 1943. Miss Helen Elizabeth Stedman Gower. Mrs. Elsie Strachan Read. 16th April, 1943.

Elsie Strachan Read. 16th April, 1943.

Miss Angela Mary Sanderson. Miss Julia Rendel.

Miss Jenniter Upcott. 20th April 1943.

Miss Nancy Brooker Spain. 29th April, 1943.

Miss Jean Norland Leslie. Miss Esme Edith
Cameron. Miss Dorothy Ethel McCreight. Miss
Elsie Mary Dugdale. 1st June 1943.

Miss Constance Aimee Johanna Curzon. 2nd
June 1943.

June 1943.
Miss Daphne Maude Ross Williams. 7th June,

Miss Ann Crick. 17th July, 1943. Mrs. Nora Elizabeth Dawson-Walker. 21st July,

Miss Annie Singleton. 23rd July, 1943.
Miss Elizabeth Downes. 28th July, 1943.

The following Third Officers, W.R.N.S., are promoted to rank of Second Officer with seniority of dates shown:-

Miss Ethel Alice Meech. 15th May, 1943. Miss Irene Marie Sinclair. 23rd July, 1943. Miss Dorothy Murphy MacIlwaine. 1st September, 1943. Miss Catherine Alice Lawson.

21st October,

Clarke. Miss Olga Yvonne McCleland. Miss Mary Kinloch. Miss Grace Olwen Jones. Mrs. Marjorie Mackie. Miss Eileen Myrtle Hampson. Miss Geraldine Clarina Haslam. Miss Janet Mary Hills. Miss Katherine Eleanor O'Brien. Miss Barbara Joan Wood. Miss Margaret Ferguson Mackay Irvine. Miss Dorothy Ellen Baker. Miss Mary Dixon St. Barbe Crawford. Mrs. Eleanor Mary Grace Dobrowsky. Mrs. Mary Dorothy Duddy. Mrs. Gladys Lucy Martin. Mrs. Josephine Patricia Sykes. 22nd October, 1943.

Mrs. Nora Elizabeth Mitchell. 29th October, 1943.

Miss Dorothie Lucie Morton. 30th October,

Mrs. Margaret Reed. 1st November, 1943.
Mrs. June Ellen Jago. Miss Lillian Kathleen
Joyce Clark. 5th November, 1943.
Miss Betty Charlie Hall King. 11th November,

The following Third Officers, W.R.N.S., are promoted to rank of Acting Second Officer with seniority of dates shown:

Miss Dorothy Laird. 23rd July, 1943.
Miss Margaret Ann May. 12th September, 1943.
Miss Marie Olivia Harvey. 9th October, 1943.
Miss Sheelagh Wilkinson. 11th October, 1943.
Miss Mary Seton Cochrane. 12th October, 1943.

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Miss Grace Marjorie Smith 20th October, 1943.
Miss Helen Mary Douglas. Miss Nancy Eleanor
Shepherd. Miss Ida Mary Mansford Benton. Miss
Jean Bigley. Miss Brenda Langley Smithers. Mrs.
Margaret Mary Flower. Mrs. Hilda Whiting.
Miss Heather Mary Haslam. Miss Joan Mary
Barnes. Miss Bridget Mary Prestige. Mrs.
Florence Amelia Clifton. Miss Margaret Duncan. Florence Amelia Clifton. Miss Margaret Duncan. Mrs. Alice Constance Coughlin. 22nd October, 1943.
Miss Mabel Joyce Netherton. 30th October,

1943.
Mrs. Helene Beatrice Gould. 4th November,

1943. Miss Dorothy Joan Hamill Taylor. 5th November, 1943. Miss Barbara Plews.

16th November, 1943. Miss Evelyn Louisa Hoyer-Millar. 22nd Novem-

The following Acting Third Officers, W.R.N.S., are confirmed in rank of Third Officer, with seniority of dates shown:—

Miss Sylvia Hamilton Martin. 25th October,

Miss Margaret Crampton Jackson. 22nd Novem-

ber, 1942. Miss Jo Joan Florence Anna Duckworth.

December, 1942.
Miss Mary Susannah Propert Williams.
Marjorie Bentley. 10th January, 1943.