

nings, Thomas James Lukey, George Thomas Roberts, and Harry John Wills Roberts to be Dockyard Professional Writers.

*Education Department (England)*, Alfred Bartlett to be Inspector's Assistant.

*India Office*, Sidney Arthur Collins and Henry Charles Preece to be Second Class Clerks.

*Inland Revenue*, John Alfred Hughes to be Assistant Surveyor of Taxes.

*Public Works Loan Board*, Aucher Cornwall Taylor to be Assistant Secretary.

*Science and Art Department*, Walter Rees Swain to be Junior Assistant in the Science Branch, South Kensington Museum.

*Scotland, Office of Secretary for*, Charles Keeping to be Office Keeper.

*Woods, Office of*, William Dawson Ainger and Francis James Wardale to be Junior Clerks.

*Clerks and Boy Clerks of the Lower Division.*

*Admiralty*, Arthur Beagley Beavis to be Clerk (for temporary duty).

Ernest Alfred Sothcott to be Boy Clerk.

*Civil Service Commission*, Samuel Joseph Guppy to be Clerk.

*Post Office*, Hiram Edward Shaughnessy to be Boy Clerk.

*Scotch Education Department*, Horace John Macartney to be Clerk.

Frank Butcher to be Boy Clerk.

*Valuation Office (Ireland)*, Charles Le Febure Killingley to be Clerk.

*War Office*, Arthur Edgar Bond to be Boy Clerk.

*Works, Office of*, Daniel George Cannell to be Clerk.

TRANSFERS, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

*Local Government Board (Ireland)*, Michael Gregg, Clerk of the Lower Division, from the War Office.

*Scotch Education Department*, Francis Joseph Armstrong, Percy Harland Atkin, Alfred Luffingham, John Watson Perks, Harry Frederick Salmon, Edward George Saunders, Seymour Dolling Saunders, Charles Francis Slater, and George William Smith, Clerks of the Lower Division, from the Education Department (England).

*War Office*, James George O'Keeffe, Clerk of the Lower Division, from the Office of Works.

*Works, Office of*, James Ingham, Clerk of the Lower Division, from the Local Government Board (Ireland).

NOTICE OF DISTRIBUTION OF THE SPECIAL GRATUITIES AWARDED FOR THE OPERATIONS IN THE SOUDAN, 1884-5.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, November 28, 1885.*

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines interested therein, that the special gratuities awarded for the operations of the Soudan between 27th March, 1884, and 14th May, 1885, are now in course of distribution, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, Spring-gardens, S.W."

Any officer, seaman, marine, or other person

not serving on board ship or at the Marine Divisions, who may desire to receive his share, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business," to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W. (enclosing his certificate of service or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of commissioned officers), in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share.

The following are entitled to participate, viz. :—

1. Officers, seamen, and marines employed in the Nile Expedition at or south of Wady Halfa.

2. Officers, seamen, and marines on board the following ships at Suakin for the period stated against each:—

"Albacore," 27th May, 1884, to 14th October, 1884.

"Briton," 1st May, 1884, to 15th August, 1884.

"Carysfort," 10th August, 1884, to 14th November, 1884, 1st March, 1885, to 14th May, 1885.

"Condor," 6th July, 1884, to 21st September, 1884, 28th November, 1884, to 11th May, 1885.

"Coquette," 9th June, 1884, to 20th June, 1884, 18th October, 1884, to 6th December, 1884, 18th March, 1885, to 1st May, 1885.

"Cygnet," 29th September, 1884, to 14th May, 1885.

"Dolphin," 15th September, 1884, to 30th April, 1885.

"Falcon," 9th November, 1884, to 11th January, 1885.

"Helicon," 14th June, 1884, to 14th July, 1884.

"Humber," 1st July, 1884, to 6th March, 1885.

"Iris," 9th June, 1884, to 20th June, 1884.

"Myrmidon," 30th March, 1884, to 7th August, 1884, 12th November, 1884, to 14th November, 1884.

"Ranger," 1st May, 1884, to 7th June, 1884.

"Sphinx," 27th March, 1884, to 3rd April, 1884, 10th May, 1884, to 30th September, 1884, 25th October, 1884, to 14th May, 1885.

"Starling," 29th September, 1884, to 29th March, 1885.

"Tyne," 26th April, 1884, to 28th November, 1884, 19th March, 1885, to 14th May, 1885.

"Woodlark," 15th April, 1884, to 23rd April, 1884, 16th June, 1884, to 1st September, 1884.

3. Royal Marine Battalion and Naval Brigade serving on shore at Suakin between 27th March, 1884, and 14th May, 1885 (both days inclusive).

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mortality Association, Register No. 1913, held at Balloon Inn, Balloon-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 24th day of November, 1885, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 24th day of November, 1885.