

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,*

1st May, 1906.

The Office of Official Receiver for the Bankruptcy District of the County Court holden at Canterbury having become vacant through the death of Mr. Edward Worsfold Mowil, the Board of Trade have appointed Mr. John Osborne Morris, Assistant Official Receiver of the Preston, Blackburn, and Burnley Bankruptcy Courts, to be Official Receiver for the said District as from the 1st May, 1906.

## RATE FOR TELEGRAMS TO TURKEY.

The rate for telegrams to Turkey is now as follows:—

Turkey-in-Europe	$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{via Hungary} \\ \text{via Italy} \\ \text{Eastern Co.} \\ \text{Indo-European Co.} \end{array} \right\}$	s. d.	
Turkey-in-Asia			0 6½
Turkish Islands			

*Admiralty, 27th April, 1906.**Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

Major Arthur William Wyld (half-pay) is placed on the Retired List under the provisions of the Order in Council of 30th November, 1882, on account of medical unfitness for further active service. Dated 18th April, 1906.

*Admiralty, 28th April, 1906.*

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 8th December, 1903—

Captain Edmund Purefoy Ellis Jervoise has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 27th April, 1906.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—

Fleet Surgeon Graham Egerton Kennedy has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 27th April, 1906.

The undermentioned Acting Engineer-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Engineer-Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Percy Lovell Butt. Dated 1st January, 1905.

George Claude Fellowes Simmons. Dated 1st April, 1906.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Whittle to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th April, 1906.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Edmund William Alfred Humphrey has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 10th September, 1904.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Henry Edward Geves Scott-Smith has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1902.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Lieutenant John Wilson has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the

rank of Retired Commander. Dated 27th April, 1906.

Lieutenant Alfred Byard Winter Sheppard has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 26th April, 1906.

Lieutenant Alexander Hugh Hope Gibson Douglas has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 27th April, 1906.

Assistant Paymaster George Edward Wade has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 25th April, 1906.

*Admiralty, 30th April, 1906.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Sir Charles John Graves Sawle, Bart., M.V.O., Ad.C., has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 28th April, 1906.

The following promotions have been made:—

Staff Paymaster George Alfred Koe to be Fleet Paymaster. Dated 11th April, 1906.

Paymaster George William Forbes Osmond to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 14th April, 1906.

Paymaster Percy John Ling to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 19th April, 1906.

Paymaster Allison Bellamy Hall to be Staff Paymaster. Dated 30th April, 1906.

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

Midshipman Leonard Francis Drake to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1906.

*Admiralty, 1st May, 1906.*

The undermentioned gentleman has this day been appointed a Chaplain in His Majesty's Fleet, viz.:—

The Reverend George William Faulconer Morgan, B.A.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 16th November, 1903—

Chief Officer of Coast Guard John Bolt has this day been granted the rank of Honorary Lieutenant, on being pensioned.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

1st May, 1906.

7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, Second Lieutenant A. C. Watson to be Lieutenant, vice A. E. D., Lord Hastings, resigned. Dated 7th April, 1906.

12th (Prince of Wales's Royal) Lancers, Lieutenant Sir Edmund B. F. H. Lacon, Bart., to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. H. Greenly, D.S.O., seconded. Dated 15th January, 1906.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant R. B. Wood to be antedated to 15th January, 1906, vice Sir E. B. F. H. Lacon, Bart.

## ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Captain (District Officer) Jesse Wells is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 20th April, 1906.