

be such as the Guardians may by resolution prescribe.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.



John Burns,
President.

Thos. Pitts, Assistant-Secretary.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACT, 1907.

Application for Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given, that Verney William Cox has made application for the restoration of the Patent granted to him for "Improvements in and connected with the printing of earthenware and the like," numbered 13354 of 1903, and bearing date the 15th day of June, 1903, which expired on the 15th day of June, 1907, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee. Any person may give notice of opposition to the restoration on leaving Patents Form No. 16 at the Patent Office, 25, Southampton-buildings, London, W.C., on or before the 10th day of May, 1909.

W. Temple Franks,
Comptroller-General.

ORDER OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL IN ENGLAND.

(Dated 2nd March, 1909.)

Whereas by the 21st section of the Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874, it is enacted that the Registrar-General, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, may from time to time alter Registration Sub-Districts:—

1. And whereas it is expedient that the part of Bridge Ward of Nottingham County Borough now included in Nottingham South-west Sub-district of Nottingham Registration District should be transferred to Nottingham South-east Sub-district of the same Registration District in which the other and greater part of that Ward is included.

2. Now, therefore, I, Sir William Cospatrik Dunbar, Bart., C.B., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, in exercise of the powers given me by the above mentioned Act, and with the sanction of the Local Government Board, do hereby order and declare that the foregoing alteration shall take effect accordingly.

3. This Order shall come into operation on 1st day of April, nineteen hundred and nine.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of March, nineteen hundred and nine.

Wm. C. Dunbar, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.,
10th March, 1909.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the Award made by His Majesty's Board of Customs for the capture of the Dutch Cooper "Cosmopoliet" by His Majesty's Ship "Skipjack," on the 30th May, 1907.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the Award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the Admiralty Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution, and at the same time the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

Admiralty, 9th March, 1909.

Chief Boatswain Earl Spencer has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 28th February, 1909.

Boatswain George Griffin has been promoted to the rank of Chief Boatswain in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 28th February, 1909.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 5th February, 1872—

Chaplain the Reverend William Chadwick Bourchier, M.A., has this day been placed on the Retired List at his own request.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Farrington Warren to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1909.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Harold Reginald Hatch has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th September, 1907.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve, the undermentioned Officers have this day placed on the Retired List:—

Lieutenant William Sopwith Shelford.

Lieutenant David Berrie.

Lieutenant Montague John Rhodes.

Sub-Lieutenant Harold Hilton Sergeant.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1909.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 29th June, 1895— Lieutenant William James Scott has been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Commander. Dated 10th March, 1909.

Admiralty, 11th March, 1909.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 16th July, 1895— Lieutenant Robert Hugh Bogle has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Probationary Sub-Lieutenant Bertie Bath Oram has been confirmed as Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st January, 1908.

War Office, Whitehall,
12th March, 1909.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major Edmund S. E. W. Eardley-Russell, Royal Artillery, from a General Staff Officer, 3rd grade, at Head-Quarters, to be a Military Attaché, and is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed, vice Major H.S.H. Adolphus C. A. A. E. G. P. L. L., Duke of Teck, G.C.V.O., 1st Life Guards. Dated 25th February, 1909.