Fleet-Surgeon Arthur Gaskell, F.R.C.S., Royal Navy, to be Assistant Director of Medical Services. Dated 22nd September, 1914.

Captain F. Casement, Royal Army Medical Corps, to be Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services with the temporary rank of Captain in the Royal Marines. Dated 21st August, 1914.

Brigade Appointments.

Colonel Charles Newsham Trotman, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to command the Third (Royal Marine) Brigade, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General. Dated 27th October, 1914.

The undermentioned to be Brigade Majors: —

Captain Maurice Christian Festing, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 7th October, 1914.

Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Francis Stuart Wilson, Royal Marine Light Infantry (to relinquish the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel). Dated 16th October, 1914.

# Admiralty, 12th November, 1914. Royal Naval Reserve.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Leonard John Gates has been promoted to the rank of Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1914.

The notification, which appeared in the London Gazette of the 10th November, 1914, of the confirmation of this Officer in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant is cancelled.

## Admiralty, 13th November, 1914.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Reginald Wallwyn James has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 4th November, 1914.

# Admiralty, 14th November, 1914.

Chief Boatswain John Watson Riddle has this day been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet.

The undermentioned Surgeons have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Thomas Creaser, M.D., B.A. Harry Marmaduke Langdale.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Temporary Commissions as Sub-Lieutenants have been issued to the undermentioned gentlemen : —

Mark Norman Rennie. Frederick Charles Raven. Ernest Edmund Goss. Douglas Quarton Ramsdale. Wilfred Harry Dowman. Hugh John Crawley. Benjamin Fremantle Bolt. Dated 11th November, 1914.

The undermentioned Probationary Suk-Lieutenants have been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant:---

Alfred Edward Weller.

Dated 1st January, 1913.

Albert Edward Kenyon. Dated 1st January, 1914.

Godfrey Martin. Philip Victor Butler. Robert Percy Melsome. Thomas Andrew Finlay. Dated 1st April, 1914.

Herbert Charles Coles. Harold Worsley Whittle. Dated 1st August, 1914.

Jean Maurice Barbès Pougnet. Dated 1st September, 1914.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Lieutenant Commanders:—

Charles Phelps Freeman. Dated 14th September, 1914.

John Arnold Holland. Dated 15th September, 1914.

Cyril Edwards. Dated 1st October, 1914. Cecil Edward Pilkington. Dated 22nd October, 1914.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant George Dingwall to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th June, 1914.

In accordance with the provisions of His Majesty's Order in Council of 16th December, 1912, temporary Commissions in the Royal Naval Reserve have been issued as follows:----

#### COMMANDER.

Spencer V. Y. de Horsey (Rear-Admiral, retired).

## LIEUTENANT-COMMANDER.

John Mann-Thomson. John Robert McEwan. Harold Swithinbank. Frank Whitfield.

#### LIEUTENANT.

William Thomas Shaw. Benjamin Ernest Marshall. Charles James Alexander. Edward Vaughan Davies. Charles A. Kerry. C. B. Graves. William Henry Bewen. John George Mummery. Charles Churchill Long. Andrew Heron.

## SUB-LIEUTENANT.

James Temple Sharp. A. Elwood Underwood. Alfred John Clemence.