

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
David Lochtie. 3rd Mar. 1917.
Richard Gregory.
Rhys H. Williams.
4th Mar. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
Wycliffe G. Everingham. 8th Mar. 1917.
Lockhart H. Larkins.
Henry C. Moyse.
Edward Bowden.
9th Mar. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—
Oswald H. Wells. 3rd Jan. 1917.
Arthur E. Roberts. 10th Jan. 1917.
Andrew Ross. 14th Feb. 1917.
Leonard M. Sykes. 3rd Mar. 1917.
Charles W. Domville-Fife. 3rd Mar. 1917.
Alick N. Chumley. 7th Mar. 1917.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1917.

Act. Sub-Lieut. to be Sub-Lieut.—
Eric L. Wright. 15th Jan. 1917.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.—
Robert H. Jackson. 10th Mar. 1917.
To be tempy. Asst. Payr.—
Percy B. Evans. 8th Mar. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
Edward F. G. Gilmore. 8th Feb. 1917.
Gilbert Cook. 10th Feb. 1917.
John R. R. Lilley.
Sidney R. Lowcock.
Russell E. C. Edey.
Lawrence M. Ames.
10th Mar. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—
Archibald J. Cunningham. 1st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
Reginald J. B. Smith. 8th Mar. 1917.

R.M.L.I.

Barrackmaster and Maj. Gilbert Ironside Anderson granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. 8th Mar. 1917.

63rd (R.N.) Division.

The tempy. commn. of Capt. Hubert G. Hutchinson (Divl. Train) is terminated to date 8th Feb. 1917, on transfer to Army.

Admiralty, 11th March, 1917.

To be Lieut.-Cdr. (retd.)—
Lieut. John Courtnell (retd.). 12th Mar. 1917.

Admiralty, 12th March, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal of the Second Class on:—

Acting Lieutenant Frederick William Weeks, R.N.R.

The following is the account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been conferred:—

On the night of Thursday, the 18th January, 1917, a member of the crew of one of his Majesty's Ships, when returning from leave, fell into the sea between the ship and the quay. The matter was at once reported to Acting Lieutenant Frederick William Weeks, R.N.R., to whom it was obvious that any attempt at rescue must be attended by considerable danger. The ship, which was kept clear of the side of the quay by spar fenders of only nine inches in diameter, was working to and fro with the slight swell entering the harbour. Moreover the man was incapable of helping himself; he was of heavy build and was wearing a uniform greatcoat. In view of the risk to the rescuer of being crushed between the ship and the quay, Lieutenant Weeks decided that he could not order a man down. He thereupon took a line and went down himself. By this time the man was almost unconscious. Lieutenant Weeks managed to obtain a hold of his hair and by this means kept him sufficiently above water, whilst wedging himself with his back against the quay with his knees against the ship's side. During this time he was mostly under water, the temperature of which was thirty-nine degrees. He succeeded in securing a line round the man, who was hauled on deck. The man was unconscious and very nearly drowned when brought on deck, and there is no doubt that, but for Lieutenant Weeks' prompt measures, he would have lost his life.

Lieut. Frederick T. de M. Morgan, placed on the Retd. List. 7th Mar. 1917.

Act. Mate to be Mate—

Robert H. Kelsey. 15th Feb. 1916.

R.N.R.

To be temp. Eng. Lieut.-Cdr.—
Harold Fay. 19th Oct. 1916.

To be temp. Eng. Lieuts.—
William H. M. Portch. 19th Oct. 1916.
Herbert Wilson. 25th Jan. 1917.
William B. McDonald. 28th Jan. 1917.

To be tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieuts.—
John E. Koefod. 22nd Dec. 1916.
William A. Cherry. 27th Jan. 1917.
Walter H. Wilkinson. 8th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Lieut.—
Thomas E. Jones. 8th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
Eric H. Allan. 28th Jan. 1917.
Evan D. Thomas.
Philip A. Blake.
8th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Eng. Lieuts.—
Thomas G. Brown. 20th Feb. 1917.
Kenneth J. Henderson. 8th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieut.—
John S. E. Green. 20th Feb. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—
Gordon McLeod. 5th Feb. 1917.
Thomas R. Henderson. 14th Feb. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payr.—
Harold S. Robson. 9th Mar. 1917.