The posting of these Rules conspicuously in or upon any such premises or place as aforesaid shall be deemed to be notice of their contents to all persons employed or being therein or in the vicinity thereof.

2. Smoking, Tobacco, Matches, Lights, &c.

No person while he is employed or is in or in the vicinity of any such store, wharf, vessel, vehicle, receptacle, premises or place, as aforesaid, shall either smoke or have in his possession any match or apparatus of any kind for producing a light or any tobacco, cigar, cigarette, pipe or contrivance for smoking, except as may be expressly sanctioned by an officer in the employ of the Admiralty or by some person authorised by him.

3. Searching.

Any Police Constable or anyone authorised by an Officer as aforesaid may search at any time any person entering or being in any such store, wharf, vessel, vehicle, receptacle, premises or place as aforesaid, and may examine any such person's clothing and any bag, basket. parcel or other article he may be carrying; and any such person shall if so required by any Police Constable or by anyone authorised, as aforesaid, submit to be searched. and shall comply with any reasonable directions or regulations given or made with the object of enabling the search to be carried out. Provided that in no case shall any female person be searched by or in the presence of anyone but a female person.

4. Intoxication.

No person in a state of intoxication shall enter or remain in or in the vicinity of any such store, wharf, vessel, vehicle, receptacle, premises or place as aforesaid.

Any person failing to comply with the above Rules will be guilty of an offence against the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations and liable on summary conviction to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a period not exceeding six months or to a fine not exceeding £100 or both.

Given under our hands this 21st day of March, 1917.

> Lionel Halsey. E. G. Pretyman.

Admiralty, 19th March, 1917.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.-Herbert Prince. 19th Mar. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.--Frederick J. Andrews. 16th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.---John H. Narbeth. Arthur E. Reed.

19th Mar. 1917.

R.M.A.

Lieut.-Col. Cecil Alvend FitzHerbert Osmaston, C.B., on return from the Seconded List, to be supery. to the Estabt. until absorbed. 18th Mar. 1917.

- Tempy. Lieut. George William Dunkley granted the actg. rank of Capt. while holding present appt. 13th Mar. 1917.
- Lieut. (actg. Capt.) Cecil Caradoc Carus-Wilson relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt. on altn. in posting. 12th Mar. 1917.

R.N.A.S.

The undermentioned tempy. Proby. Flt. Offrs. to be tempy. Flt. Sub-Lieuts:

Alfred D. Carey. 14th Nov. 1916. Norman H. Woodhead. 21st Nov. 1916. Joseph H. Thompson. 7th Dec. 1916. Maurice W. W. Epstein. 14th Dec. 1916.

Donald Hammond. 21st Jan. 1917. Joseph W. Beebee. 21st Feb. 1917. William Allaway. 28th Feb. 1917.

Admiralty, 20th March, 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.-Frederick C. Lea. 17th Mar. 1917. Sydney E. Bowyer. 20th Mar. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts. :-Leonard Ratcliffe. 2nd Mar. 1917. Alfred D. Newbury. 20th Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.-

William Hill. 17th Mar. 1917.

R.M.

The undermentioned tempy. 2nd Lts. to be tempy. Lts. :-

Douglas Primrose. 2nd Mar. 1917.

Charles William Comyns. 3rd Mar. 1917. Gordon Hope Robinson. 14th Mar. 1917. Arthur Page. 20th Mar. 1917.

The following is the correct method of spelling the name of the Officer mentioned, instead of as stated in London Gazette of 8th Dec. 1914 :

Tempy. 2nd Lieut. (now tempy. Lieut.) John Henry D'Albiac, D.S.O., R.M.

Admiralty, 21st March, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the R.N.R. Offrs.' decoration upon Cdr. Wallace E. Whittingham.

The undermentioned Officer has been transferred from the Supplementary List to the General Service List for meritorious service during the War:-

Lieut. Frederick A. Richardson.

R.N.R.

The notice which appeared in the London Gazette of 13th Mar. 1917, page 2514, announcing the grant of a tempy. commission as Sub-Lieut. to Rhys H. Williams, R.N.R., is hereby cancelled.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.— John O. Tyler. 29th Jan. 1917.

To be tempy. Lieut.-

Joseph W. Plank. 21st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieut.

William L. Wright. 16th Mar. 1917. To be tempy. Asst. Payr.

Norman R. Duncan. 17th Mar. 1917.