

Ch. Gnr. (Retd.) to be Lieut. (Retd.), in recognition of services rendered during the War—

John B. Brannam. 11th Nov. 1918

Lieut. (Retd.) to be Lieut.-Cdr. (Retd.), in recognition of services rendered during the War—

William H. E. Rattenbury. 11th Nov. 1918.

To be placed on the Retired List—

Lieut. William R. F. Gregory. 23rd May 1919.

Lieut.-Cdr. (Retd.) promoted to rank of Cdr. (Retd.), in recognition of services rendered during the War—

Owen H. K. Maguire, D.S.O. 11th Nov. 1918.

Lieut.-Cdr. Brian L. Hewitt, R.N. (Emerg.), to be Cdr. (Emerg.), in recognition of services rendered during the War. 11th Nov. 1918.

*R.N.R.*

Act. Sub-Lieut. (Act.) to be Sub-Lieut.—  
Edward A. Ritson. 2nd Nov. 1918.

Skprs. to be Chf. Skprs.—

Edwin Watson.

William H. Sweet, D.S.C.

Lauritz P. Schjoneman.

30th June 1919.

Tempy. Skprs. to be tempy. Chf. Skprs.—

John Findlay.

Lewis A. McCumbie, D.S.C.

Frank F. Purl.

William J. Wood.

Simon Flett.

John Patterson.

Thomas H. Wills.

30th June 1919.

*R.N.V.R.*

Lieut.-Cdrs. to be Cdrs.—

Herbert J. Craig, M.P.

Robert Still.

30th June 1919.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—

Ralph Lister. 19th Apr. 1919.

Leslie G. Ramsay. 14th May 1919.

Wilbram A. G. Middleton. 3rd June 1919.

William Braid. 4th June 1919.

Edward A. Jenkins. 16th June 1919.

George V. Craig. 25th June 1919.

*Admiralty, 4th July, 1919.*

Ch. Bosn. to be retd. with rank of Lieut. (retd.)—

Samuel Baker. 4th July 1919.

*R.N.R.*

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the R.N.R. Officers' Decoration to the following—

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Laurence Y. Barnby.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Henry E. Clarke.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. John P. Scullard.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. George E. P. Craven.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Albert F. Stoy.

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Cyril Cox.

Placed on the Retired List—

Lieut.-Cdr. William E. Kelway, R.D. 15th May 1919.

*Admiralty, 5th July, 1919.*

*R.N.V.R.*

Tempy. Lieut. Edward R. O. Cave, who has been invalided on account of ill-health contracted in the Service, to retain his rank. 5th July 1919.

*Admiralty, 6th July, 1919.*

Ch. Bosn. to be Retired, with rank of Lieut. (Retired)—

John Stevens. 6th July 1919.

*War Office,*

*8th July, 1919.*

NOTICE.

WESTPORT SPECIAL MILITARY AREA.

Whereas by Order dated the 4th day of April, 1919, the Army Council with the concurrence of the Chief Secretary declared that on and after the 4th day of April, 1919, the area specified in the Schedule thereto, being the area set forth in the Schedule to this Notice, should be a Special Military Area for the purposes of Regulation 29B of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, under the designation Westport Special Military Area.

Now I, Colonel R. L. Owens, C.B.E., Commandant of the said Westport Special Military Area and competent Military Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under the said Regulation 29B of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, hereby give notice that as from the first day of July, 1919, persons may enter the said Westport Special Military Area without permission from the Commandant.

This suspension of the said Regulation 29B of the Defence of the Realm Regulations in the said Westport Special Military Area is without prejudice to the enforcement hereafter of the said Regulation in full in the said Westport Special Military Area if the necessity for such enforcement arises.

SCHEDULE.

The Area following, situated within the County of Mayo, that is to say, the Urban District of Westport, and the District Electoral Divisions of Westport Rural and Kilmeena.

Given Under My Hand this 25th day of June, 1919.

*R. L. Owens,*

Colonel.

Commandant Westport Special Military Area.

*Air Ministry,*

*8th July 1919.*

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made at the Air Ministry:—

*Staff Officers, 3rd Class.*

(Air.)

Capt. R. G. Parry, D.S.O. 4th July 1918. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 18th Oct. 1918.)