Foreign Office, January 12, 1920.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Maurice Drummond Peterson, Esq., to be a Second Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

> Foreign Office, January 15, 1920.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Mr. Thoralf Endresen as Consul of Norway at Glasgow, for the County of Lanark;

Nobile Antonio Grossardi as Consul of Italy at Melbourne, for the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, and the Fiji Islands;

Señor Don Francisco J. Olivié y Hermida as Consul of Spain at Cape Town;

Mr. C. J. A. de Lange as Consul of the Netherlands at Durban, for the Natal Province of the Union of South Africa;

Mr. Robert Jardine Addie as Consul of Norway at Singapore, for the Straits Settlements;

Señor Doctor Don Angel Battle as Consul of Salvador at Liverpool;

Señor Doctor Don David McCormick as Consul of Colombia at Kingston, Jamaica;

Mr. W. S. Jones as Consul of the Netherlands at St. Kitts, for St. Kitts, Nevis, Sombrero, and for the Anguilla, Dog and Virgin Islands;

Mr. Lee Fong Ahlo as Consul of China in Samoa:

Mr. Gerald Bryans Wolfe as Vice-Consul of Bolivia in London;

Mr. F. Prescott as Vice-Consul of Uruguay at Dover; and

Mr. L. Arthur Carrara as Vice-Consul of Bolivia at Gibraltar.

## EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875.

The Right Honourable Edward Shortt, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 53 of the Explosives Act, 1875, has appointed Sergeant James Brennan (No 58820), of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to be an Inspector for Ireland under the said Act.

Whitehall, 20th January, 1920.

## NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy,

Admiralty, S.W. 1;

23rd January, 1920.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the awards for the salvage of the undermentioned vessels by His Majesty's ships will commence on Saturday, the 24th instant, in the Prize

Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1:—

Salvage of s.s. "Rathlin Head" by H.M. Tugs "Cartanel" and "Flying Spray" and H.M. Trawler "George Andrew," between the 26th and 28th May, 1918.

Salvage of Schooner "Cabo Mondego" by H.M. Tug "Foremost III.," on the 21st February, 1919.

Salvage of s.s. "Hebburn" by H.M. Tug "Flying Breeze," H.M. Drifter "Thirty Two," H.M. Mooring Trawler "Glenogil," and working party between the 9th and 24th November, 1916.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W. 1." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

Admiralty, 15th January, 1920.

Engnr. Capt. Charles C. Sheen, C.B., to be Engnr. Rear-Adml. 13th Dec. 1919.

Admiralty, 16th January, 1920.

Lieut.-Cdr. Patrick Spencer placed on Retired List. 21st Nov. 1919.

Admiralty, 17th January, 1920.

Acting Engnr. Lieut. to be Engnr. Lieut.— Frederick W. Scarff. 8th May 1917.

Admiralty, 19th January, 1920.

R.N.R.

Tempy. Paymr. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Paymr. Lieut.—

Claude T. H. Baldon. 3rd June 1918.

Placed on Retired List-

Engnr. Cdr. Claude A. Codrington. 8th Jan. 1920.

R.N.V.R.

Tempy. Pay. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Pay.

Percy E. Russell. 12th Jan. 1920.

Admiralty, 20th January, 1920.

R.M.

Actg. Lieut. to be Lieut.—
Ernest W. Beetham. 15th Jan. 1919.

Admiralty, 21st January, 1920.

To be retired—

Lieut. Francis G. Legge. 21st Jan. 1920.