NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1.

24th August, 1923.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all Persons interested therein, that the distribution of the award for the Salvage of s.s. 'Vellavia'' by H.M. Tug "Dainty," on the 6th February, 1999 and 25th 1922, will commence on Saturday, the 25th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant General of the Navy, Admiralty.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Accountant General of the Navy (Prize Branch, Room 53), Ccrnwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1. Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

Admiralty, 17th August, 1923.

The undermentioned Acting Lieuts. (Retd.) have been confirmed in the rank of Lieuts. (Retd.), from the date shown against their names :-

Raymond Reffell. 22nd May 1922. Robert M. S. Davy. 11th Aug. 1922. Basil W. Hallwood, D.S.C. 22nd May 1922.

Horace T. Pitt. 18th Aug. 1922. Cyril H. Poulton. 16th Oct. 1922. Arthur D. S. Dunn. 20th Oct. 1922. Alfred W. Scott. 8th Aug. 1922. Archer R. Prendergast. 18th July 1922 Robert H. Mallinson. 10th Nov. 1922. Cecil W. Huggard. 2nd June 1922. Maurice C. Pascoe. 10th Oct. 1922. Robert Mundy-Cox. 15th Feb. 1923. Edmund C. Humphreys. 30th July 1922. Bernal E. de M. Seaman. 30th May 1922. Hugh D. Lucas. 26th May 1922. John P. A. Barr. 25th May 1922. George E. Gonin. 6th July 1922. Henry E. Passmore-Edwards. 14th Nov. 1922.

John W. W. Bisgood. 18th Jan. 1923. Charles C. S. C. Baxter-Tyrie. 19th July 1922.

James T. Templer. 3rd July 1922. Philip F. B. Blackwell. 13th June 1922. Avon R. C. Prentis. 15th June 1922.

The following are in substitution for previous Gazette notices :-

Acting Lieut. Evelyn C. Capron confirmed in rank of Lieut. 15th July 1921. Placed on Retd. List 29th July 1922.

Acting Lieut. Archibald J. S. Eastley confirmed in rank of Lieut. 15th May 1922. Placed on Retd. List 6th June 1922.

Admiralty, 20th August, 1923.

Payr. Lieut.-Comdr. William E. G. Burtenshaw to be Payr. Comdr. 14th Aug. 1923. William Young, M.B., to be Surg.-Lieut. 20th Aug. 1923.

Admiralty, 21st August, 1923.

Payr. Lieut. Albert Gaisford placed on Retd.

List. 21st Aug. 1923. Payr. Lieut.-Comdr. Henry P. Williams, D.S.O., to be Payr. Comdr. 21st Aug. 1923.

War Office, 24th August, 1923.

The Distinguished Conduct Medal, which was forfeited by the undermentioned in London Gazette dated 11th August, 1922, is restored to him under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the medal dated 6th November, 1920:

3303661 Pte. R. Pearson, H.L.I. (S.R.) (formerly 3/2320 R. Highrs.).

The undermentioned medal, which was awarded on the date quoted, is forfeited under the terms of the Royal Warrant of the medal dated 30th October, 1920:-

MILITARY MEDAL.

2967752 Pte. S. Smith, A. & S. H. (formerly No. 22612 H.L.I.) (M.M., gazetted 17th June, 1919).

> War Office, 24th August, 1923.

REGULAR FORCES.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Capt. A. N. Lawford, T.D., to be actg.

Lt.-Col., from 1st Apr. to 12th May 1922. Capt. K. B. S. Crawford to be Adjt., vice Capt. A. C. Duff, M.C. 20th July 1923.

2nd Lt. D. Maconochie to be Lt. 13th July 1923, with precedence next above H. T. L. Loftus-Tottenham.

Temp. Lt. T. J. Evans, M.C., relinquishes his commn. on completion of service 16th May 1923, and retains the rank of Lt.

INFANTRY.

- R. Fus.--Capt. M. C. Bell, D.S.O., M.C., is restd. to the estabt. 24th Oct. 1921.
- Norfolk R.-Lt. E. C. Prattley to be Adjt., vice Capt. C. M. Clode, M.C. 24th Apr. 1923.
- Devon. R.—The name of Capt. E. D. Corkery, M.C., is as now described, and not as in the Gazette of 31st July 1923.
- Worc. R.-Lt.-Col. H. A. Fulton, D.S.O., on completion of his period of service in commd., is placed on the h.p. list. 25th Aug. 1923.
- Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. L. M. Stevens, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. 25th Aug. 1923.
- K.O.Y.L.I.-Lt. A. Heslop retires on ret. pay 15th Aug. 1923, and is granted the rank of Capt. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 31st July 1923.)
- Manch. R.—The undermentioned Capts. to be Majs: :-
 - E. G. Sotham, M.C. (now Maj., Tank Corps). 1st Aug. 1923. N. W. Humphrys. 8th Aug. 1923.

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