

*Downing Street,
19th November, 1923.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Robert Hormus Kotewall, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hong Kong.

*Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1.*

PATENTS FOR INVENTIONS.

PATENTS OF TURKISH NATIONALS VESTED IN CUSTODIAN.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made an Order dated October 26, 1923, under section 5 (1) of the Trading with the Enemy (Amendment) Act, 1914 (5 Geo. 5, c. 12), for the "Restoration" of "Vested Patents" and "Vested Applications."

This Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1923, No. 1386, and copies of the same can be purchased (price 1d. net), either directly or through any bookseller, from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or 120, George Street, Edinburgh.

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London, S.W. 1.*

GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920.

Notice by the Board of Trade of application by the Corporation of Newcastle-upon-Tyne for an Amending Order under Sub-section (3) of Section 1 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, in respect of the Walker and Wallsend Union Gas Company.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice, that the Corporation of Newcastle-upon-Tyne has made application under Sub-section (3) of Section 1 of the above Act for an Amending Order revising the powers of charging authorised by the Walker and Wallsend Union Gas (Charges) Order, 1921, whereby it is desired that a standard price of 11.8d. per therm shall be prescribed.

Any person affected desiring to make representations with regard to the application may do so by letter, addressed to the Director of Gas Administration, Board of Trade, Great George Street, S.W. 1, not later than 30th November, 1923.

A copy of such representations must at the same time be sent to the Town Clerk, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and to the Secretary, Walker and Wallsend Union Gas Company.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1923.

Percy Ashley,

An Assistant Secretary to the Board of Trade.

Admiralty, 12th November, 1923.

R.M.

Capt. Rupert A. G. Stewart is placed on the Retd. List at own request and apptd. to the Reserve of Officers, R.M., in the rank last held by him on the Active List. 18th Oct. 1923.

Capt. Vivian D. Thomas (supy.) is absd. in the establishment, vice Stewart. 18th Oct. 1923.

(The notice which appeared on page 6965 of the London Gazette, dated 16th Oct. 1923, concerning these Officers is hereby cancelled.)

Admiralty, 14th November, 1923.

R.N.

Lieut. (retd.) Henry Middleton, D.S.C., to be Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.). 10th Nov. 1923.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Capt. John P. Allen, C.B., and Capt. Frank Larken, C.M.G., have been appointed Naval Aides-de-Camp to the King, in the vacancies caused by the promotion to Flag rank of Capt. George Trewby, C.M.G., D.S.O., A.-d.-C., and William H. D. Boyle, C.B., A.-d.-C. 1st Nov. 1923.

In pursuance of His Majesty's pleasure, Capt. William R. Napier, C.M.G., D.S.O., and Capt. Arthur K. Macrorie, C.M.G., M.V.O., have been appointed Naval Aides-de-Camp to the King, in the vacancies caused by the promotion to Flag rank of Capt. Alan G. Hotham, C.B., C.M.G., A.-d.-C., and Capt. (Commodore, 1st Class) Albert P. Addison, C.M.G., A.-d.-C. 2nd Nov. 1923.

R.N.R.

Proby. Engr. Lieut. Sydney T. Stott to be Engr. Lieut. 10th May 1923.

Admiralty, 15th November, 1923.

R.N.

Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdrs. :—

James Figgins. 14th Nov. 1923.

Glyn C. H. Clayton.

Leslie H. Ashmore.

Walter N. T. Beckett, D.S.C.

Cyril A. H. Brooking.

Archie A. S. Murray.

Robert G. H. Milligan.

Ronald E. C. Dunbar.

15th Nov. 1923.

Comd. Gnr. James Rea. to be Lieut. 25th Oct. 1923.

Lieut. (retd.) William J. Burnie to be Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.). 15th Nov. 1923.

Lieut. (Emergency) Arthur E. P. Welman, D.S.O., D.S.C., to be Lieut.-Comdr. (Emergency). 15th Nov. 1923.

Surg. Lieut. Francis L. H. MacDowel to be Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. 14th Nov. 1923.

Paymr. Capt. Charles J. E. Rotter, C.B., placed on Retd. List at own request, with rank of Paymr. Rear-Admiral. 2nd Nov. 1923. (Previous orders cancelled.)