refuge at junction with Phœnix Street, extending Southward, as far as necessary for 40 carriages.

Front of vehicles toward the North.

The first portion of the Standing to be fed exclusively by carriages from the second portion.

Provided that no Hackney Carriage shall be suffered to stand across any street or thoroughfare or opposite the end of any street or carriageway, or upon any place where foot passengers usually cross the carriageway.

J. W. OLIVE,

The Acting Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis.

Metropolitan Police Office, New Scotland Yard, S.W. 1.

8th day of September, 1925.

I, WILLIAM THOMAS FRANCIS HORWOOD, Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, do hereby APPOINT a Standing for One Hackney Carriage at Pembridge Gardens, Notting Hill, and do make the following Regulations with regard to the Boundaries for the same, viz.:—

On West side of roadway, outside the Eastern exit of Central London Railway Tube Station.

Front of vehicle toward the South.

Provided that no Hackney Carriage shall be suffered to stand across any street or thoroughfare or opposite the end of any street or carriageway, or upon any place where foot passengers usually cross the carriageway.

W. T. F. HORWOOD,

The Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis.

Metropolitan Police Office, New Scotland Yard, S.W. 1. 14th day of September, 1925.

> Downing Street, 6th October, 1925.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Alexander Murdoch Fraser, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Island of Saint Vincent.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 8th October, 1925.

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 7th instant, to appoint Alexander Low, Esquire, M.A., M.D., C.M., to be Regius Professor of Anatomy in the University of Aberdeen in place of Professor Robert William Reid, resigned. The Jute Trade Board (Great Britain) issued on 3rd October, 1925, a Notice J. (41) to the effect that they have Varied the Minimum Rates of Wages for Male and Female Workers in the trade by providing that the minimum rates of wages set out in the Trade Board's Notice J. (39), dated 6th June, 1925, shall be continued in operation after 7th October, 1925. The variation of minimum rates of wages is effective as from 8th October, 1925, under an Order of the Minister of Labour.

Information as to the minimum rates of wages as varied may be obtained from the Secretary, Jute Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

F. Popplewell,

Secretary.

9th October, 1925.

Admiralty, 3rd October, 1925.

R.N.

Surg. Lieut.-Comrs. to be Surg. Comrs.:-

G. S. Harvey, M.B.

W. H. Murray.

G. H. Hayes. 3rd Oct. 1925.

Admiralty, 5th October, 1925.

R.N.

Engr. Comr. J. R. Macey placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Engr. Capt. 18th Sept. 1925.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts. :---

J. H. Lewes. 15th Apr. 1925.

W. G. Brittain. 30th July 1925.

A. R. Murray-Smith.

A. L. Owen.

15th Aug. 1925.

R.N.R.

H.M. The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the R.N.R. Officers" Decoration to the following Officers:

Lieut.-Cdr. W. H. Stewart.

E. F. Hannan.

R. A. O. Bridgman.

R.N.V.R.

Albert James Gilbertson, Esq., M.B., B.S., late Surg. Lieut.-Comr., re-entered as Surg. Lieut.-Comr. 28th Sept. 1925, with seniority of 22nd June 1918.

Admiralty, 6th October, 1925.

R.N.

Comr. C. B. Hastings placed on Retd. List. 28th Sept. 1925.

J. Tierney. 1st Oct. 1925.

Comd. Gunner D. W. Smyth placed on Retd.. List. 12th Apr. 1925.