Admiralty, 10th October, 1925.

R.M.

Prob. Lt. Victor H. Deane is confirmed in the rank of Lt. 31st Jan. 1925.

Admiralty, 12th October, 1925.

R.N.

Act. Paymr. Sub-Lieuts. to be Paymr. Sub-Lieuts.:-

C. A. Jeffery. 15th Jan. 1925.

N. E. Denning.

H. M. S. White.

E. F. B. George.

D. A. Wilson. A. G. Sowman.

P. J. Row.

15th Apr. 1925.

E. A. May.

R. E. Brett.

F. L. Whitehouse.

15th July 1925.

Mate H. B. Hilbeck to be Lieut. 1st Oct. 1925.

 $R.N_{\mathsf{l}}.R$  .

Act. Sub-Lieut. R. G. James to be Sub-Lieut. 20th Aug. 1925.

Proby. Paymr. Sub-Lieut. G. H. P. Thompson to be Paymr. Sub-Lieut. 9th June 1925. Wt. Engr. E. J. Robson to be Cd. Engr. 1st

Oct. 1925.

R.M.

Lt. James B. Porter, late R.M., to be Lt. Spec. Res. of Offrs., R.M., 27th Aug. 1925, with seniority of 14th June 1925.

The notification which appeared in the Gazette dated 1st Sept. 1925, relative to Evelyn Mansfield King, is hereby cancelled.

Admiralty, 13th October, 1925

R.N.

Gunner W. J. Haslehurst to be Comd. Gunner. 13th Oct. 1925.

Admiralty, 14th October, 1925.

Admiral Sir William C. M. Nicholson, K.C.B., has been placed on Retd. List at his own request. 14th Oct. 1925.

Comdr. (retd.) F. A. Reyne to be Capt. (retd.). 10th Oct. 1925.

Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.) C. H. Warren to be Comdr. (retd.). 18th Oct. 1925. Comdr. (retd.) J. R. Middleton, D.S.O., to be

Capt. (retd.). 10th Oct. 1925.

Paymr. Lieuts. to be Paymr. Lieut.-Comdrs.:-

A. M. Pigott.

F. W. Wedgewood.

R. W. A. Ashton, O.B.E.

J. B. Hobbs. L. B. Bishop. F. R. Porter.

E. Kennedy.

R. H. Kitchen.

J. Hogg.

E. M. Tetley.

15th Oct. 1925.

R.N.R.

Proby. Lieut. O. N. Tugwell to be Lieut. with seny. 31st Dec. 1924.

Admiralty, 15th October, 1925.

R.N.

Paymr. Lieut. (retd.) R. F. Egerton to be Paymr. Lieut.-Comdr. (retd.). 15th Oct. 1925.

Act. Sub.-Lieut. A. G. Clarke to be Sub-Lieut. 15th Oct. 1925.

> War Office, 16th October, 1925.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appt. is made at the War Office:-

DEP. DIR. OF MIL. OPERATIONS AND INTELLI-GENCE.

Col. E. T. Humphreys, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., and to be temp. Col. on the Staff whilst so empld., vice Col. S. F. Muspratt, C.S.I., C.I.E., D.S.O., Ind. Army, A.D.C. to The King, who relinquishes the temp. rank of Col. on the Staff. 10th Oct. 1925.

D.A.Q.M.G.

Bt. Maj. (now Lt.-Col. ret.) W. H. J. Thornton, M.C., R.A., relinquishes his appt. 1st Sept. 1925 (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 1st Sept. 1925.)

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made:---

CAPT. INSTR. IN GUNNERY.

10th Capt. J. E. F. Montague, R.A. Oct. 1925.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Capt. & Bt. Maj. W. H. J. Thornton, M.C., retires, receiving a gratuity 1st Sept. 1925, and is granted the rank of Lt.-Col. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 1st Sept. 1925.)

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Capt. & Bt. Maj. J. W. J. Raikes to be Maj., 28th Sept. 1925, with seniority 8th Feb. 1925, and precedence next above A. B. Clough, M.C., such seniority not to count for pay or allowances, increase of pay, or

ret. pay.
Capt. P. K. Boulnois, O.B.E., M.C., to
be Maj. 30th Sept. 1925, with seniority 8th Feb. 1925, and precedence next below J. W. J. Raikes, such seniority not to count for pay or allowances, increase of pay, or

ret. pay. Capt. H. H. E. Gosset, M.C., to be Maj. 1st Oct. 1925.

Temp. Lt. W. H. Dalton relinquishes his commn. on completion of serv. 1st Oct. 1925, and retains the rank of Lt.