

during the Month of January, 1926, the following Reports of Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties held by Courts in British Self-Governing Dominions, Crown Colonies and Possessions Abroad:—

1. s.s. " Sic vos non Vobis."
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Admiralty, 28th January, 1926.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following Officers:—

- Lieut.-Cdr. D. S. Robinson, R.N.R.
 Lieut.-Cdr. D. V. Sutton, R.N.R.
 Lieut.-Cdr. C. E. F. St. John, R.N.R.
 Lieut.-Cdr. J. R. Patrick, R.A.N.R.

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Admiralty, 1st February, 1926.

R.N.

Mids. (E) to be Sub-Lieuts. (E.):—

- P. K. L. Fry.
 L. F. Ingram.
 A. P. Targett-Adams.
 N. E. H. Clarke.

15th Nov. 1925.

Lieut. (retd.) R. L. Spalding to be Lieut.-Comdr. (ret.). 30th Jan. 1926.

Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdrs.:—

- F. H. Alderson.
 V. C. Dorman-Smith.
 30th Jan. 1926.

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Admiralty, 3rd February, 1926.

R.N.

Warrant Writer W. G. Cummins to be Comd. Writer with seny. of 17th Dec. 1925.

Sub-Lieuts. (E) to be Act. Lieuts. (E):—

- J. G. C. Given.
 E. T. Goddard.
 A. H. C. Coe.
 G. L. Baily.
 J. B. Newson.

16th Dec. 1925.

N. E. Dalton. 30th Dec. 1925

Lieuts. (Retd.) to be Lieut.-Comdrs (Retd.):—

- R. Cole.
 A. Thompson.
 E. W. Harrison.

1st Feb. 1926.

Surgeon Comdr. G. T. Verry placed on Retd. List at own request. 1st Feb. 1926.

R.N.R.

Cd. Engr. G. H. Sanders placed on Retd. List. 1st Feb. 1926.

R.N.V.R.

Proby. Pay Sub-Lieut. (C) W. E. G. Shea to be Paym. Sub-Lieut. (C) with seniority 10th Nov. 1924.

Surg. Capt. W. E. Harker, O.B.E., V.D., M.D., placed on Retd. List. 2nd Feb. 1926.

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*War Office,
5th February, 1926.*

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

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

Staff Capt.—Capt. C. H. Kuhne, D.S.O., O.B.E., A.M.I.Mech.E., R.A.S.C., vice Bt. Maj. R. K. Hubbard, O.B.E., A.M.I.Mech.E., R.A.S.C. 1st Feb. 1926.

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The undermentioned relinquish their appts.:—

Spec. Appt. (Cl. BB).—Qr.-Mr. & Maj. A. E. Dunstan, O.B.E., R.A.S.C., and the temp. rank of Maj. 1st Jan. 1926.

Staff Capt.—Lt. C. Greenslade, O.B.E., Devon R. 21st Jan. 1926.

The undermentioned appt. is made:—

Staff Capt.—Bt. Maj. F. C. V. D. Caillard, M.C., Somerset L.I. 28th Jan. 1926.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned are secd. whilst holding the appt. of Maj. Instr. in Gunn.:—

Maj. & Bt. Lt.-Col. A. F. V. Jarrett, M.C. 12th Jan. 1926.

Maj. W. W. Green, D.S.O., M.C. 1st Jan. 1926.

Capt. B. J. O'Leary is restd. to the estab. 22nd Jan. 1926.

Lt. G. R. G. Collins is secd. for serv. with the T.A. 1st Jan. 1926.

Lt. A. T. O. Lees is placed on the h.p. list, under the provisions of Art. 92 (c), Royal Warrant for Pay & Promotion, 1922. 18th Jan. 1926.

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Maj. G. Master, D.S.O., retires on ret. pay, 4th Feb. 1926, and is granted the rank of Lt.-Col.

INFANTRY.

R. Scots—Capt. & Bt. Maj. H. J. Simson, M.C., to be Maj. 15th Jan. 1926.

R. Fus.—Lt. F. W. Tibballs, M.C., to be Capt. 21st Jan. 1926.

W. York R.—Lt. J. F. Wallace, M.C., to be Capt. 9th Nov. 1925.