

Factory Department, Home Office,
March 14, 1927.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. C. W. Evans an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Bakewell, in the County of Derby, is vacant.

Downing Street,
14th March, 1927.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir Thomas Herbert John Chapman Goodwin, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., to be Governor of the State of Queensland and its Dependencies, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

COAL MINES ACT, 1911.

EXPLOSIVES IN COAL MINES.

The Mines Department gives notice that on the 7th March, 1927, an Order was made in pursuance of Section 61 of the Coal Mines Act, 1911, adding to the First Schedule to the Explosives in Coal Mines Order of the 1st September, 1913 (relating to "Permitted Explosives") the following explosives:—

Afror Tyne Powder manufactured by the Miners' Safety Explosive Co. Ltd., at Penrhyndeudraeth, Merionethshire.

Eversoft Seamex manufactured by the Explosives and Chemical Products Ltd., at Bramble Island, Essex.

Copies of the Order will shortly be available and may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office either directly or through any bookseller.

Mines Department,
Dean Stanley Street, Millbank,
Westminster, S.W. 1.
11th March, 1927.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant General
of the Navy,
Admiralty, S.W. 1.
12th March, 1927.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all Persons interested therein, that the distribution of an award for the salvage of the Yacht "St. George" on the 6th/7th November, 1925, by His Majesty's Tug "Retort" and the naval crew of the King's Harbour Master's (Plymouth) Launch will commence on Wednesday, the 16th March, 1927, 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 &c. Branch), Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1. Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

Admiralty, 10th March, 1927.

R.N.

Instr. Lieut. C. E. Abelson, M.A., transferred to permanent list. 8th Mar. 1927, with seny. of 21st Sept. 1922.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts. with seny. stated:—

K. S. Backhouse. 15th Apr. 1926.
J. P. Hunt. 28th Feb. 1927.

Cd. Engr. A. W. James placed on Retd. List. 10th Mar. 1927.

R.N.V.R.

Proby. Surg. Lieut. R. J. Matthews to be Surg. Lieut. with seny. of 15th Feb. 1926.

Admiralty, 11th March, 1927.

R.N.

Sub-Lieut. W. E. Halsey placed on Retd. List with rank of Lieut. 28th Feb. 1927.

Surg. Comdr. D. D. Turner placed on Retd. List with rank of Surg. Capt. 11th Mar. 1927.

R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieut. M. Wilkinson to be Lieut. 25th Feb. 1927.

War Office,
15th March, 1927.

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Asst. Mil. Sec.—Capt. Sir A. B. G. Stanier, Bt., M.C., W. G'ds. 4th Mar. 1927.

Staff Capt.—Capt. D. H. S. Somerville, M.C., S. Wales Bord., vice Capt. H. H. Millar, Camerons. 10th Mar. 1927.

The undermentioned temp. appt. is made:—

G.S.O., 3rd Grade—Capt. E. R. Kennedy, 1st Kumaon Rif., Ind. Army. 26th Jan. 1927.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Lt.-Col. H. Clarke, A.M., on completion of four years serv. as a Regtl. Lt.-Col. is placed on the Extra Regtly. Empld. List. 14th Mar. 1927.

Lt.-Col. H. W. Lockhart on completion of four years serv. as a Regtl. Lt.-Col. is placed on the h.p. list. 14th Mar. 1927.

Maj. L. R. E. W. Taylor, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col., 14th Mar. 1927, with Regtl. seniority 17th Jan. 1925, and precedence next below R. C. Prance, D.S.O. Such seniority not to count for Army seniority, pay and allowances, increase of pay, or ret. pay.

The undermentioned are secd.:—

Maj. V. Drake-Brockman whilst holding the appt. of Asst. Insp., Inspn. Staff. 16th Feb. 1927.