

*Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W. 1.  
16th February, 1931.*

The Board of Trade have appointed Mr. John Davis Turner, Official Receiver for certain Courts in the Manchester district, to be Official Receiver for the Bankruptcy district of the County Courts holden at Bristol, Bath, Bridgwater, Cheltenham, Frome, Gloucester and Wells, with effect from the 16th February, 1931, in succession to Mr. H. Ashton, deceased.

*Admiralty, 12th February, 1931.*

*R.N.*

The seniority of Surg. Lieut. P. B. Jackson antedated to 14th Aug. 1927.

*R.N.R.*

Sub-Lieut. P. G. Britten to be Lieut. with seny. of 24th Jan. 1931.  
Engr. Lieut. J. H. Clemitson placed on Retd. List. 12th Feb. 1931.  
Payr. Comdr. A. B. Campbell, R.D., placed on Retd. List. 31st Jan. 1931.  
Payr. Sub-Lieut. A. R. Tapner to be Payr. Lieut. with seny. of 30th Jan. 1931.  
Prob. Payr. Sub-Lieut. C. C. Mayne to be Payr. Sub-Lieut. with original seny. of 21st July 1930.

*R.N.V.R.*

Proby. Surg. Sub-Lieut. G. S. Thomas to be Surg. Sub-Lieut. with original seny. of 27th Jan. 1930.

*Admiralty, 13th February, 1931.*

*R.N.*

Cd. Supply Officer W. R. Roch placed on Retd. List with rank of Payr. Lieut. (S). 11th Feb. 1931.  
Wt. Supply Officer G. Kingsford to be Cd. Supply Officer. 11th Feb. 1931.

*Admiralty, 16th February, 1931.*

*R.N.*

Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. E. R. Eastabrook placed on Retd. List with rank of Engr.-Comdr. 15th Feb. 1931.  
Lieut. (E) T. L. Metters to be Lieut.-Comdr. (E). 15th Feb. 1931.

Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdrs. :—

G. N. Rawlings.  
E. A. Burton.  
R. E. Butler.  
C. C. L'E. Grant.  
G. R. F. T. Cooper.  
C. B. Lowe.  
T. Harland.  
K. F. Boxall.  
A. N. Finter.  
V. F. Smyth.  
G. R. Pilcher.  
D. B. Colley.  
R. C. S. Garwood.  
C. W. Sabine.

No. 33690

A. W. C. J. Nicholson.  
O. L. Meredith.  
R. G. B. Hayter.  
J. S. C. Salter.  
R. H. S. Rodger.  
C. R. L. Parry.  
15th Feb. 1931.

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

R. F. C. Struben.  
R. H. Langton.  
R. Mundy-Cox.  
15th Feb. 1931.

*Admiralty, 17th February, 1931.*

*R.N.*

Lieut. A. Page placed on Retd. List. 17th Feb. 1931.

*War Office,*

*17th February, 1931.*

The KING has approved of the under-mentioned awards in respect of operations on the North West Frontier of India, June 1930 :—

Awarded the Military Medal for bravery in the Field :—

No. 545684 Trooper Harry Simpson Prophet, 3rd Hussars, attached 15th/19th Hussars.

No. 3593005 Sergeant Thomas Burke, 2nd Battalion, The Border Regiment.

**REGULAR ARMY.**

Col. (temp. Brig.) E. C. Gepp, D.S.O., retains the temp. rank of Brigadier whilst Brig., Gen. Staff, of a Comd. in India. 16th Dec. 1930.

Lt.-Col. L. Griffith, D.S.O., from h.p. list (late R. Signals), to be Col. 14th Feb. 1931.

**COMMANDS AND STAFF.**

The undermentioned relinquish their appts. :—

Maj. F. Thornton, 16th/5th L., Bde. Maj., Cav. Bde., Egypt. 10th Feb. 1931. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of the 13th Feb. 1931.)

Capt. H. A. Smith, R.H.G., A.D.C. to the Govr.-Gen. and C.-in-C. of the Union of S. Africa. 21st Jan. 1931.

Capt. C. B. A. Hoskyns, Rifle Bde., Asst. Mil. Sec., Malta. 3rd Feb. 1931.

The undermentioned appts. are made :—

Capt. H. H. Dempsey, R.A.S.C., from G.S.O., 3rd Grade, to be G.S.O., 2nd Grade, War Office. 28th Jan. 1931.

2nd Lt. The Visct. Sudley, 5th Bn. Essex R., T.A., to be A.D.C. to the Govr.-Gen. and C.-in-C. of the Union of S. Africa. 1st Jan. 1931.

**CAVALRY.**

*The Royals*—Col. (Hon. Brig.-Gen.) E. Makins, C.B., D.S.O., ret. pay, to be Col., vice Col. (Hon. Maj.-Gen.) Sir J. F. Burn-Murdoch, K.C.V.O., C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E. (decd.). 22nd Jan. 1931.