Wiggins, Frank, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Bournemouth and Poole.

Wing, John Robert, Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Wrann, Edward Haselton, Founder, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Young, Robert Walter, Inspector of Park-Keepers, H.M. Office of Works.

Factory Department, Home Office, 6th December, 1934.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. Lindsay to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Jarrow District of the County of Durham.

Factory Department, Home Office, 12th December, 1934.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. I. F. Knight an appointment as Certi-fying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Tisbury, in the County of Wiltshire, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 1st January, 1935.

Factory Department, Home Office, 12th December, 1934.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. H. Ramsden an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Saddleworth, in the County of Yorkshire, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 1st January, 1935.

Factory Department, Home Office, 13th December, 1934.

'The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Franks an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Winchester, in the County of Hants, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 1st January, 1935.

Factory Department, Home Office, 17th December, 1934.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. R. Penny an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Greenodd, in the County of Lancashire, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 1st January, 1935.

Downing Street, 5th November, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by William Brooks, Esq., who has served continuously for more than ten years as a Member of the Legislative Council of the State of New South Wales.

> Mercantile Marine Department, Board of Trade, Great George Street, S.W.1. 17th December, 1934.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to make the posthumous award of the Decoration of the Albert Medal in recognition of the gallantry displayed by Mr. Henry Hartley Wadsworth, Sixth Engineer of the s.s. "City of Cairo," of Liverpool.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been

awarded.

On the 5th November, 1933, an explosion occurred in the boiler room of the s.s. "City of Cairo" while she was in the Mediterranean

The Second Engineer, and Mr. Wadsworth, the Sixth Engineer, were in charge of the watch, and immediately the explosion occurred the Second Engineer rushed out of the stokehold and informed the First Engineer, who was off duty, of the mishap.

The First Engineer and the Second Engineer then went below. The Second Engineer went through the engine room and opened the door of the stokehold, but scalding steam drove him back. In returning he passed Mr. Wadsworth making his way towards the stokehold where it was known that some lascar firemen had been trapped at the time of the explosion. Mr. Wadsworth went into the stokehold; and when the steam had cleared away he was found dead in the port wing, close to the lascar firemen whom he had tried to rescue.

Mr. Wadsworth must have known that in entering the steam-filled stokehold in an endeavour to save the lascar firemen he was running a very great risk of losing his own

Admiralty, 14th December, 1934.

In pursuance of His Majesty's Pleasure, Engineer Captain S. W. Cooke, R.N., and Engineer Captain E. J. O'B. Croker, R.N., have been appointed Naval Aides-de-Camp to The KING, from the 6th and 7th December, 1934, respectively, in succession to Engineer Captain J. P. Foster, R.N., and Engineer Captain C. E. Sutton, M.V.O., R.N., promoted to Engineer Rear Admiral.

Admiralty, 13th December, 1934. R.N.

Comdr. P. F. P. Berryman placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Capt. 6th Dec. 1934.

Lieut.-Comdr. E. W. Woodruff placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Comdr. 8th Dec. 1934.