Under the direction of the Minister of Finance. ADD-Mr. Erling Stenberg. 24th November, 1944.

Under the direction of the Prime Minister. REMOVE-Mr. Carl Huitfeldt. 10th October, 1944.

Under the direction of the Minister of Church and Education.

REMOVE-Mr. Einar Boyesen. 19th August, 1944.

Under the direction of the Minister of Supply and Reconstruction.

REMOVE-Mr. Alf Monrad-Aas. 31st December,

1944. ADD—Mr. Birger Bergensen. 12th November, 1944. POLAND.

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Under the direction of the Minister of the Interior. ADD-M. Aleksander Demidecki-Demidowicz. 29th November, 1944.

Under the direction of the Prime Minister.

ADD-M. Stefan Stanislawski. 29th November, 1944

Under the direction of the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

ADD-M. Stefan Lubomirski. 29th November, 1944.

Whitehall, February 2, 1945.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the ist instant, to confer the dignity of a Viscounty of the United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Wyndham Raymond, Baron Portal, D.S.O., M.V.O., and the heirs male of his body lawfully barotten and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of VISCOUNT PORTAL, of Laverstoke in the County of Southampton.

Whitehall, February 2, 1945.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the under the oreat Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 31st ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Baronetcy of the United Kingdom upon Thomas Lionel Dugdale of Crathorne in the North Riding of the County of York, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body law-fully begotten.

Whitehall, February 2, 1945.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto William Swithin Roberts, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of the Nile, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Egypt, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of Chief Inspector of English at the Egyptian Ministry of Public Instruction. Public Instruction.

Downing Street, 17th January, 1945.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Robert Beacroft Barker, Esq., ODE and Owen Karl Henriques, Esq., to be O.B.E., and Owen Karl Henriques, Esq., to be Nominated Members of the Executive Council of the Island of Jamaica.

Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1. 30th January, 1945.

January 19, 1945. No. 38—The Second Hand Photographic Apparatus (Maximum Prices and Records) Order, 1945,

tus (Maximum Prices and Records) Order, 1945, dated January 16, 1945. No. 43—The Trading with the Enemy (Custo-dian) Order, 1945, dated January 20, 1945. No. 46—The Trading with the Enemy (Specified Persons) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1945, dated January 23, 1945 (price 3d.). These Orders can be purchased through any book-seller, agents or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edin-burgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast. Belfast.

Admiralty, Bath, 24th January, 1945.

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 s.s. "Largo" during the period 5th-7th January, 1942, by His Majesty's Ship "Sheldrake" will com-mence on Saturday, the 3rd February, 1945, in the Prize Branch of the Directorate of Navy Accounts, Admiralty

Admiralty. All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Director of Navy Accounts (D.N.A. 3.A), Admiralty, Bath. Such applications (except in the case of Com-missioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service. The following are the amounts due to individuals in the various classes:—

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3rd Class	•••	•••			5	8	8	
5th Class	•••				3	12	5	
6th Class	•••		•••		2	14	4	
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11th Class		•••	•••		0	18	3	
12th Class	•••				ο	11	ō	
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ing:—Mr. Herbert E. Barter, A/Gnr. R.N., Ronald D. Anderson, A.B., LD/X.4634, and Seymour lonn, Ord. Smn:, C/JX.266558.

Admiralty, Bath, January, 1945.

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 m.v. "Desmoulea" during the period 31/1/41-1/2/41 by His Majesty's Ship "Dainty" will com-mence on Saturday, the 3rd February, 1945, in the Prize Branch of the Directorate of Navy Accounts, Admirally

Admiralty. All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Director of Navy Accounts (D.N.A.3.A), Admiralty, Bath. Such applications (except in the case of Com-missioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

The following are the amounts due to individuals in the various classes:—

					£	s.	d.
1st Class		•••	•••		174	0	0
5th Class			•••	•••	58	0	0
6th Class		•••		•••			I
7th Class			•••	•••	34	16	0
8th Class		•••	•••	•••	29	0	0
9th Class		•••		•••	23		0
10th Class	•••		•••		17	8	I
11th Class					14		I
12th Class			•••		8	14	3

Admiralty, S.W.1.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty hereby give notice that they have made an Order entitled The Navigation Order No. 33, 1945. (S.R. & O. No. 126 of 1945.)

Commissions signed by the Rt. Hon. Lord Leconfield, G.C.V.O., Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Major Bernard Marmaduke, Duke of Norfolk, E.M., K.G., P.C., of Arundel Castle, Arundel;
Captain Weetman John Churchill, Viscount Cowdray, of Cowdray Park, Midhurst;
Colonel Ebenezer John Lecky Pike, C.B.E., M.C., of

Dale Park, Arundel;

to be Depty Lieutenants for the County of Sussex.----Dated this 26th day of January, 1945. (083)

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of London.

Major-General Sir Claude Francis Liardet, K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O., T.D., 124A, Whitehall Court, S.W.I,

Major-General Thomas Gerald Dalby, C.B., D.S.O. 23, Rutland Court, S.W.7, Brigadier Basil Chichester Cooke, T.D., 12, Reeve House, Park Street, S.W.1,