Lieutenant-Commander (S) J. M. COOKE, R.N.R. Lieutenant-Commander J. F. BLECKMAN, R.A.N.R. (S).

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- (Ret'd).
- Chief Skipper J. W. POOLEY, R.N.R.

Admiralty, 17th February, 1953.

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R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant-Commander (Sp) A. J. SUMPTION, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

Lieutenant-Commander (Sp) R. G. Ross, M.A., **R.N.V.R**.

K.N.V.K. Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander A. R. HARPER, M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S., D.L.O., R.N.V.R. Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander G. HAYES, M.B., B.S., R.N.V.R. Surgeon Lieutenant-Commander A. B. SEMPLE, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., R.N.V.R. Lieutenant-Commander (S) J. C. BROWN, R.N.V.R. Lieutenant-Commander (S) R. C. LEDGER, R.N.V.R. (Rei'd) (Ret'd).

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

Lieutenant Reginald Howard Reed Palmer, M.C., Hurst Grove, near Reading, Berks. Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Sir Henry Abel Smith, K.C.V.O., D.S.O., Barton Lodge, Winkfield, Windsor.

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Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant for the County of Glamorgan.

David Martyn Evans-Bevan, Esq., Twyn-yr-Hydd, Margam, Port Talbot, in the County of Glamorgan. Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Howell David, T.D., The Lodge, Llandaff, in the City of Cardiff.

The Right Honourable George Henry Viscount Hall of Cynon Valley. Major William Thomas Mainwaring Hughes, The Orchards, West Cross, Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan,

Lieutenant-Colonel Cecil John Cellan-Jones, The Knoll, Uplands, Swansea, in the County of Glamorgan.

To be Deputy Lieutenants.-Dated 5th February, 1953. (100)

Civil Service Commission.

24th February, 1953.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, in pursuance of Clause 13 of the General Regulations made under the Order in Council of 22nd July, 1920, that, with the approval of the Lords

Commissioners of the Treasury, they have prescribed as follows:

(A) Candidates for examinations for the situations under the Admiralty of Inspector of Trades, Assistant Foreman of Factory, and Torpedo Assistant Foreman shall be required to pay a fee of 10s. on application and a further fee of 30s. on admission

application and a further fee of 50s, on admission to the examination.
(B) Candidates for examinations for the situation under the Admiralty of Draughtsman (Constructive, Electrical, Engineering, or Aircraft) shall be required to pay a fee of 7s. 6d. on application and a further fee of 12s. 6d. on admission to the examination.

The above fees supersede those for the correspond-ing situations given in the notice published in the London Gazette on 27th October, 1950.

Civil Service Commission.

24th February, 1953.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, with the approval of the Lords Commis-sioners of H.M. Treasury, the following amendments have been made in the Regulations for the recruit-ment to basic grades of Professional Engineers, General Service Class and linked Departmental Variants dated 16th January, 1953, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, viz.:---Regulation 4-Amend the date given in the

Regulation 4—Amend the date given in the opening notice to read "30th September, 1953." Add "Department of Scientific and Industrial

Research.

Candidates must:

(a) have been trained in mechanical engineering;
(b) have had a minimum apprenticeship or period of works training of 3 years, together with drawing office experience of one year. Design or development experience with an industrial organisation would be an advantage."

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924.

LONDON PASSENGER TRANSPORT ACT, 1933.

The Minister of Transport has made "The London Traffic (Prescribed Routes) (No. 9) Regulations, 1953" (S.I. 1953 No. 254), coming into operation on the 10th March, 1953, which provide for one-way traffic working in:—

(a) Market Place, Dartford, from south-west to (b) Market Street, Dartford, between its junction

with High Street and its junction with the road-way surrounding the easternmost of the two large island sites in Market Street, from north-east to south-west ;

(c) around the two large island sites in Market Street, Dartford, in a clock-wise direction.

Copies may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

The Minister of Transport on the 12th February, 1953, made the Plymouth Corporation Omnibuses (Increase of Charges) Order, 1953 (S.I. 1953 No. 218). Copies may be obtained from the Ministry of Trans-port, Berkeley Square House, W.1.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries. DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1950.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 85 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Orders:—

Statutory Instruments 1953 No. 247.

Prohibition of Landing of Animals and Hay and Straw from the Channel Islands (Revocation) Order, 1953.

(Made 18th February, 1953.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 23rd February, 1953, revokes the Prohibition of Landing of Animals and Hay and Straw from the Channel Islands Order (No. 2), 1952, which prohibited the landing in Great Britain of animals and hay and straw from the Channel Islands.