

Actg. Lt. C. P. T. HARVEY to be Lt. with seny. 13th Feb. 1955.

Lt. (A) R. G. GOUGH, reverts to Temporary R.N.V.R. in rank of Tempy. Sub Lt. (A). 11th Mar. 1955. Surgn. Lt. P. R. BOYD, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., entered in Medical Branch of Permanent R.N.V.R., in rank of Surgn. Lt. with seny. 5th Apr. 1953.

Ty. Surgn. Lt. E. J. WILLIAMS, M.B., B.S., transferred to Permanent R.N.V.R., in rank of Surgn. Lt. with seny. 17th Apr. 1953.

Sub Lts. to be Lts. with seny. as stated:—

P. C. KNEE. 29th Oct. 1953.

J. A. BROWN. 4th Apr. 1955.

Sub Lt. H. M. HARRISON, commission terminated on transfer to R.C.N. 16th Mar. 1955.

Actg. Sub Lt. A. T. BOOTH, to be Sub Lt. with seny. 15th Dec. 1953.

Actg. Sub Lt. (Sp.) J. F. HANKIN, to be Sub Lt. (Sp.) with seny. 29th Oct. 1953.

Ty. Sub Lts. transferred to Permanent R.N.V.R. in rank of Sub Lt. with seny. as stated:—

J. N. HORNIBROOK, B.Sc. 21st Aug. 1950.

R. H. RICHARDSON. 13th May 1952.

P. SKINNER. 11th Nov. 1953.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,
Factory Department,
19, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.*

13th June, 1955.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. T. R. Sutherland an appointment as Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the District of Crickhowell in the county of Brecon is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 16th July, 1955.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,
St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.*

14th June, 1955.

In pursuance of section 122 of the Factories Act, 1937, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Right Honourable Sir Walter Monckton, Q.C., Minister of Labour and National Service, has been pleased to appoint:—

Mr. A. H. Flint to be Her Majesty's Inspector of Factories.

MINISTRY OF FUEL AND POWER.

COAL INDUSTRY NATIONALISATION (VALUATION OF COMPENSATION UNITS) REGULATIONS, 1947.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has fixed, in pursuance of regulation nine of the above regulations, the 22nd day of June, 1955, as the date on which the Midland District Valuation Board and the North Midland District Valuation Board shall be dissolved.

Ministry of Fuel and Power,
Thames House South,
Millbank, London, S.W.1.

15th June, 1955.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kent.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur O'Brien French Blake, T.D., of Rothford, Giles Lane, Canterbury.

To be a Deputy Lieutenant.—Dated 16th June, 1955.
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Civil Service Commission, 21st June, 1955.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING DRAUGHTSMEN.

1. Age.

Candidates must be at least 20 on 1st June, 1955. There is no upper age limit, but in appointing persons in a permanent capacity Departments expect regular and effective service for a reasonable period,

and the Commissioners will take this requirement into account.

2. Sex and Marriage.

(i) Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

(ii) Married women who have formerly been established civil servants and have drawn marriage gratuity (other than those who resigned compulsorily on marriage and whose resignation took effect before 15th October, 1946, or who are widowed or divorced, or who are separated from their husbands, or whose husbands suffer without hope of recovery from total physical or mental incapacity) will not be eligible unless they undertake to refund on appointment the marriage gratuity paid. Provided that this undertaking will not be required if the break between the first period of service (including any period of unestablished service immediately following the period in respect of which the gratuity was paid) and the date of re-establishment is more than seven years.

3. Nationality.

Candidates must be British subjects. They must also satisfy one of the following conditions:—

(a) If natural-born British subjects, they must either

(i) have at least one parent who is, or was at death, a British subject; or

(ii) have resided in Her Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(b) If naturalised British subjects, they must have resided in Her Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(c) If not qualified under (a) or (b) of this paragraph they must satisfy the Commissioners that they are so closely connected with Her Majesty's dominions either by ancestry, upbringing or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in their favour.

Provided that a candidate will not be eligible for an appointment under the Admiralty, War Office, Air Ministry, Ministry of Supply, Ministry of Defence, or Government Communications Headquarters (Foreign Office), unless he or she is a natural-born British subject and born within the United Kingdom or in one of the self-governing Dominions of parents also born within the United Kingdom or in one of the self-governing Dominions except when the circumstances are such as to justify a departure from the general rule, in which case, provided the candidate satisfies the conditions prescribed by the preceding paragraphs, he or she may be admitted to competition or appointment by special permission of the First Lord of the Admiralty, Secretary of State for War, Secretary of State for Air, Minister of Supply, Minister of Defence or Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs as the case may be.

4. Qualifications

(i) Every candidate must have obtained an Ordinary National Certificate, or an equivalent or higher qualification, in subjects appropriate to Civil, Structural, Sanitary, Mechanical, or Electrical Engineering or to Architecture.

Provided that, exceptionally, candidates for posts of Architectural, Civil, Structural, or Sanitary Engineering Draughtsmen will be admitted who in place of this qualification can show evidence of such technical education, training, and experience as, in the opinion of the Commissioners, fits them for consideration for such posts.

(ii) Every candidate must have satisfactorily completed a normal apprenticeship or pupilage, or have had equivalent training of not less than three years' duration (except as in (iv) below). In the case of candidates for Architectural Draughtsmen posts, time spent in full-time study of Architecture at a recognised educational institution may be accepted by the Commissioners as part of this training period.

In the course of their training candidates for Civil Engineering posts must have had adequate practical experience on Building Construction or Civil Engineering site work, and candidates for Mechanical and Electrical Engineering posts must have had adequate workshop experience with a good class engineering concern.

(iii) Every candidate must have had at least one year's experience in a Drawing Office; this period must be additional to the training period specified