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ADMIRALTY, S.W.1,

2nd August 1945.

The following Orders having been approved by My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are hereby promulgated for information and guidance and necessary action.

By Command of Their Lordships,

H. V. Markham

To Commanders - in - Chief, Flag Officers, Senior Naval Officers, Captains and Commanding Officers of H.M. Ships, Vessels and C.O. Craft (see A.F.O. 1628/45), Superintendents or Officers in Charge of H.M. Naval Establishments, and Admiralty Overseers concerned.

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*4226.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Tentative Release Time-Table—Officers

(C.W. 46060/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

The following forecast of the rate of release of officers, other than those serving on T.124 and variant agreements, is promulgated for general information.

Officer category	Age and service groups	Target month for completion of dispersal
Executive, Special and Electrical, and Air Branch Officers (other than Air Engineering).	3 to 6 inclusive	September, 1945
	7 to 10 inclusive	October, 1945
Engineers	1	October, 1945
Supply and Secretariat	1 to 6 inclusive	October, 1945
Medical	1 to 4 inclusive	September, 1945
	5 to 7 inclusive	October, 1945
Instructor Officers and Schoolmasters	3 to 6 inclusive	September, 1945
	7 to 9 inclusive	October, 1945
Chaplains	3 to 6 inclusive	September, 1945
	7 to 9 inclusive	October, 1945
Royal Marines	3 to 6 inclusive	September, 1945
	7 to 10 inclusive	October, 1945
W.R.N.S.	Married Officers and Groups 1 to 8 inclusive	September, 1945
	9 to 12 inclusive	October, 1945

Further forecasts will be signalled from time to time.

2. The attention of officers is to be drawn to A.F.O. 3318/45 which gives the reasons why the different branches of the Navy cannot be released at the same time. This applies particularly to Warrant Officers.

3. With regard to Engineer Officers, the requirements for the maintenance of the Fleet for the war against Japan demand a very high proportion of Engineer Officers. Further, the reduction of activities in Home Waters made possible by the elimination of Germany does not allow of as rapid a release of Engineer Officers as obtains in most of the other branches. At the same time the proportion of Engineer Officers in the early Age and Service groups is very high, 13 per cent. being in Group I alone, as against 2 per cent. for the Service as a whole. The rate of release of these officers must therefore remain slower during the earlier stages. During the war the entry of Engineer Officers from all sources has been maintained at the highest possible level, but owing to the length of training and experience necessary, some time must elapse before all these officers are fully qualified. The position is being alleviated by a considerable number of Engineer Officers in Group I who are volunteering for further service, and, together with the added numbers of trainees who will become fully effective, it is hoped that ultimately the release of Engineer Officers will level up with that of other branches.

4. With regard to Medical Officers, in the Japanese war the danger of heavy losses by disease can only be met by adequate medical provision. The ratio of Medical Officers required is therefore greater than for the war against Germany. Endeavour is being made to enter more doctors so that the Medical Officers in the earliest Age and Service groups may be released but the numbers available are limited and so far as can be seen at present the release of Medical Officers must lag behind.

5. While Executive Special Branch Officers will generally keep in step with the release of Executive Officers, other Special Branch Officers perform a wide variety of miscellaneous duties according to their qualifications, and they will not, therefore, necessarily all be released at the same rate.

6. With regard to Warrant Officers, by virtue of their age and experience all Warrant Officers are inevitably in early Age and Service groups. With the exception of Royal Marines, Skippers and Schoolmasters, the requirements for Warrant Officers for the Japanese war are higher in proportion than a war based on the United Kingdom, owing to paucity of civilian repair, maintenance and supply organizations in the Far East. Measures have been in train for some time to replace

some of the officers concerned by younger officers from other sources, but nevertheless it is regretted that the release of Warrant Officers by Age and Service group will lag behind.

(A.F.O. 3318/45.)

(Admiralty General Messages 951A 20 Jun., 952A 20 Jun., 953A 20 Jun. and 22A 4 Jul. are cancelled.)

4227.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Replies to Admiralty Signals

(C.W. 48056/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

With reference to C.A.F.O. 391/45 paragraph 4 (ii) in future when an officer does not volunteer for postponement of release the code word NOVOL is to be used instead of the word NO.

2. If a relief for an officer is required and this relief can be obtained from station resources the code word STATION is to be used instead of the word RELIEF.

Example: Lieutenant (Sp.) W. A. Jones, R.N.V.R., NOVOL STATION

3. In the early stages of reallocation it may well be desirable to retain certain officers beyond the date they are due for release under their Age and Service Group in appointments that will shortly lapse, provided they are willing and recommended. Such cases should be indicated in signals by the words TEMPORARY RETENTION RECOMMENDED after the officer's name.

4. With reference to paragraphs 24–27 of B.R.1281 (1) all replies to Admiralty signals sent under paragraph 24 must be in the form of the specimen signal shown in paragraph 4 (ii) of C.A.F.O. 391/45 amended as above where necessary. It is particularly important that the name of the officer concerned and whether or not a relief is required should be included in these signals.

(C.A.F.O. 391/45 and B.R.1281 (1).)

(Admiralty General Messages Home and Abroad 793A/May 2A and 111A/July are cancelled.)

4228.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Instructions for Release and Dispersal—Dispersals from H.M.S. "Victory X"

(C.W. 35807/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

A separate division of H.M.S. "Victory" to be known as H.M.S. "Victory X" was set up as from Monday, 11th June, 1945, for the purpose of dispersing officers and ratings to be released from the Naval Barracks at Portsmouth under B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 77.

2. Accounts transferred to H.M.S. "Victory" from seagoing ships in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 184 (ii) are to be transferred to H.M.S. "Victory X."

3. Accounts of officers and ratings of the Portsmouth Port Division who are discharged to H.M.S. "Victory" from ships abroad under B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 79 (i), (iii) (as amended by A.G.M. 855A, D.T.G. 022003B/June) and (vi), and paragraph 82, are to be transferred to the appropriate pay division as follows, and are not to be transferred to H.M.S. "Victory X":—

"Victory I"—Seamen.

"Victory II"—Engineer and miscellaneous ratings.

"Victory IV"—Officers and W.R.N.S. ratings.

The disposal of higher Gunnery, Torpedo, etc., ratings is as stated in Article 740, King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions.

4. The postal address of the Captains (S), H.M.S. "Victory I", "II", and "IV" is Commercial Chambers, Commercial Road, Portsmouth, and that of the Captain (S) H.M.S. "Victory X", R.N. Camp, Stamshaw, Portsmouth.

(A.G.Ms. 895A and 917A are cancelled.)

4229.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Dispersal to Channel Islands on Release

(C.W. 48643/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

On account of conditions existing in the Channel Islands travel to those Islands will not be permitted until such time as the Island authorities' approval for entry has been received. The following arrangements have, therefore, been made

for Class A and invalided personnel whose release has been authorized and who wish to go to their selected place of residence in the Channel Islands.

2. All such personnel should be given the option of:—

(a) being released in the normal manner with a deferred right to a passage to the Channel Islands at public expense to be exercised when conditions rendered their return possible; or

(b) electing to remain in the Navy until a passage is offered.

In either case they will receive full Class A benefits on release.

3. Personnel, whether electing either 2 (a) or 2 (b), should apply to their Commanding Officer for special application forms A and P, which may be obtained in duplicate from the Passport and Permit Office, Dartmouth Street, S.W.1. When completed the application should be forwarded by the Commanding Officer to the Admiralty (C.W.II for officers, N. Branch for ratings). The man's choice under 2 (a) or 2 (b) is to be stated and information furnished whether application for return of family is being made. If 2 (a) is exercised, the estimated date of dispersal and the address to which the man is proceeding in this country should be given. Four passport photographs are required to accompany the Forms P rendered. The reasonable cost of these photographs may be refunded from public funds. Receipts for the amount paid must accompany claims.

4. When the necessary forms have been rendered, personnel electing release as in 2 (a) should be dispersed through the normal machinery. The necessary travel documents including a railway warrant to Southampton will be sent to the man direct from the Admiralty.

5. In the case of personnel electing to remain in the Navy under 2 (b), arrangements will be made by the Admiralty to advise the man's Commanding Officer when a passage is available. The man should then be dispersed in the normal manner and sent to Southampton in time to catch a specified boat to the Channel Islands. A railway warrant should be issued for this journey and the man instructed to reach the quayside at least 2 hours before the boat is due to leave. The necessary travel documents which include a warrant covering the sea journey and embarkation cards will be sent to the man's Commanding Officer. It is hoped that 9 days' notice will always be given.

6. In order to obtain the full entitlement of civilian clothing coupons which are valid also for expenditure in the Channel Islands, it will be necessary for all personnel returning to those Islands, irrespective of their choice under 2 (a) or 2 (b) above, to register at a Food Office after dispersal by presenting Form S.1588A (Officers) or S.1588B (ratings). In cases under 2 (b) the address in this country to be stated on registration should be the private address where the man is actually staying. If the man has no private address he may put the address of the Naval Establishment but in this case it would be advisable for the Establishment to get in touch with the Food Office beforehand and explain that the man is returning to the Channel Islands and in accordance with instructions is using a Service address for registration purposes. References to the Channel Islands in B.R.1281(1) Release Instructions, paragraph 142A and Appendix C, page 57, are to be deleted.

7. These instructions apply only to Jersey and Guernsey (including Sark) and no application should be forwarded until further notice in respect of personnel wishing to travel to Alderney.

8. For the time being the Admiralty can make no arrangements on behalf of families, who should apply direct to the Passport Office for the necessary forms. If the man has not already left when his family is informed that passages have been allocated to them, he may, if he wishes, notify the Admiralty of the sailing date of his family when endeavour will be made to allocate him a passage in the same ship.

9. Accompanying baggage is limited to 1 cwt. in the case of officers and $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. in the case of ratings. Excess up to the regulation quantity may be consigned free by use of consignment note Form D.80.

(A.G.M.208Az is cancelled.)

(B.R.1281 (I).)

4230.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Release Instructions for Ratings of the Naval Canteen Service

(C.W. 40483/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

Ratings of the Naval Canteen Service are eligible for release in Class A or Class B by blocks or as individual specialists, in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), "Release Instructions", which applies generally to the Naval Canteen Service, except where otherwise mentioned in this A.F.O.

Class A

2. The Admiralty, after consultation with N.A.A.F.I. headquarters, will promulgate by signal the names of Canteen ratings who are eligible for release in Class A.

Volunteers for Postponement of Release

3. Canteen ratings may volunteer for postponement of release in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), Section II. Commanding Officers concerned are to inform the Admiralty by signal whether a Canteen rating is recommended for acceptance as a volunteer and whether a relief is required.

The final decision whether a Canteen rating can be accepted as a volunteer rests with the N.A.A.F.I. headquarters.

4. The period for which a Canteen rating can volunteer is:—

Six months,
One year, or
Two years

from the date of signing the Undertaking, see paragraph 5 below.

5. A Canteen rating accepted as a volunteer is to sign the Form of Undertaking shown in Appendix A of this A.F.O. It is to be prepared in manuscript in duplicate. The original is to be forwarded to the N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters and the duplicate attached to the rating's Service Certificate.

Class B

6. The names of Canteen ratings nominated for release in Class B, either as blocks or as individual specialists, will also be promulgated by signal from the Admiralty, after consultation with N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters, and the general provisions of B.R. 1281 (1), Section III, apply.

Commanding Officers are to inform the Admiralty by signal whether a Canteen rating who has been nominated accepts release in Class B and, if so, whether a relief is required.

7. When the release of a Canteen rating has been approved and a relief, if required, has joined, he is to be discharged to the R.N. Barracks, Chatham, except as in paragraphs 9 and 19.

Procedure for Dispersal

8. The dispersal procedure detailed in B.R. 1281 (1) will be carried out at the R.N. Barracks, Chatham, with the modifications shown below.

9. No Canteen rating is to be dispersed abroad, except Maltese ratings who will be released in accordance with instructions which will be issued by the Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean.

10. B.R. 1281 (1), Section XIII, "Payment on Dispersal and Release or Discharge" does not apply to Canteen ratings. When the remainder of the dispersal arrangements have been carried out at the R.N. Barracks, Chatham, Canteen ratings are to be sent by train (railway warrants, travelling route order forms, and meal orders being provided) to the:—

Naval Canteen Service Headquarters,
N.A.A.F.I.,
Ruxley Towers,
Claygate,
Esher, Surrey.

(Telephone No.—Esher 2121, Ext. 165.)

(Telegraphic Address—NAAFI, TELEX, Esher.)

11. Before Canteen ratings are thus despatched, N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters should be advised by telegram or telephone.

As there is no accommodation available at these headquarters, it is essential that ratings should reach Claygate not later than 1100 on weekdays (including Saturdays). No ratings are to report on Sundays.

12. *Rendering of Forms S.161R.*—Forms S.161R, reporting the release of Canteen ratings will be rendered by the N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters. These forms are therefore not to be rendered in this respect by R.N. Barracks, Chatham.

Forms S.1586A or B

13. The amount of leave to which a Canteen rating is entitled will be communicated by the N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters to the local N.A.A.F.I. representative at Chatham, who will attend on request whenever a Canteen rating is to be dispersed. This arrangement will enable the Order for Release (Form S.1586A or B) to be completed at the R.N. Barracks, Chatham.

14. The date at the top of this form is that on which it is estimated that the rating will complete at N.A.A.F.I. Headquarters his final dispersal arrangements, which will be completed during the day of his arrival at Headquarters.

15. *Age and Service Groups.*—Since Canteen ratings both in Class A and in Class B are nominated individually for release, it is not necessary for their age and service groups to be checked before dispersal.

16. *Leave for Canteen Ratings Retained in N.A.A.F.I. as Civilians.*—A Canteen rating, who, on dispersal in Class A from the Naval Canteen Service, remains in the employment of the N.A.A.F.I. Corporation in a civilian capacity, will not receive the 56 days' resettlement leave, but will be granted any foreign service leave, with a minimum of 21 days, to which he is entitled under Naval Canteen Service Regulations.

Provision of Civilian Clothing and Recovery of Uniform

17. The instructions given in B.R. 1281 (1), Section VII, apply generally to Canteen ratings, including those ratings who will remain in the service of the N.A.A.F.I. Corporation in a civilian capacity after release.

18. Civilian Clothing Warrants (Form S.1075) are to be endorsed "N.C.S." in red ink at the R.N. Barracks, Chatham, whence a monthly statement is to be rendered to the Director of Victualling (Branch 16) showing the names and official numbers of the Canteen ratings to whom Forms S.1075 have been issued, and the serial numbers of the forms.

The statement should also include particulars of the number of uniform suits withdrawn from each rating, but no action is to be taken regarding the recovery of the value of suits not surrendered.

19. Canteen ratings who are invalided from Naval medical establishments are to be supplied with an Admiralty Clothing Warrant (Form S.1075) and directed to a clothing centre in accordance with the instructions in A.F.O. 2559/45, paragraph 10. The clothing warrants should be endorsed "N.C.S." in red ink, and the instructions in paragraph 18 above will apply.

Appendix A

Form of Undertaking to be signed by Volunteer of the Naval Canteen Service for Postponement of Release when due for Release in Class A

I, Official Number.....
now serving as a..... in H.M.S.....
do not desire to be released with my Age and Service group under the provisions of A.F.O. 4230/45, and am willing to continue to serve wherever my services should be required.

* for six months } but not beyond the expiration of
* for one year } the period of the present
* for two years } emergency.
* to the end of the present emergency.

Witness..... Signature

Medically fit for general service in his Branch.

.....
Date

Medical Officer.

.....
Commanding Officer.

H.M.S.....
Date

* delete as appropriate.

(A.F.O. 2559/45.)

*4231.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Volunteers for Further Service—Position Regarding Ministry of Labour Training Schemes

(C.W. 35549/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

The Board of Admiralty are informed that there is an impression in the Fleet that men who volunteer for further service after an opportunity of release in Class A will be at a disadvantage when they are released later as regards their chances under the Ministry of Labour's Training Schemes. This is incorrect. The Ministry of Labour are going to do all they can to secure that men who volunteer for further service shall be under no disadvantage on that account.

(Admiralty General Message Home and Abroad 80A is cancelled.)

4232.—Manpower—Re-Allocation—Release of W.R.N.S. Ratings in Class A

(C.W. 48931/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

W.R.N.S. ratings in Rating Groups and Age and Service groups indicated are to be released in Class A in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1) Release Instructions.

2. Dispersals are to commence on 13th August, 1945, and the target date for completing these dispersals is 31st October.

3. Rating Group Nos. 150 to 153, 162, 163, 173 to 176, 181 to 185, 300, 301, 302, 328. Age and Service Groups 1 to 15.

4. Rating Group Nos. 59, 60, 65, 66, 156, 157, 164 to 167, 274, 275, 277 to 279, 282 to 292, 316, 319 to 322, 327, 335. Age and Service Groups 1 to 25.

5. Rating Group Nos. 48, 49, 61, 62, 67, 68, 281, 307, 310 to 313, 317, 318, 329 to 333, 339. Age and Service Groups 1 to 30.

6. Rating Group Nos. 63, 64, 73, 74, 205, 265 to 272, 308, 309, 325. Age and Service Groups 1 to 40.

7. W.R.N.S. ratings in all other Rating Groups, Age and Service Groups 1 to 49.

8. With reference to Release Instructions, paragraphs 35 to 48, ratings serving at home whose release has been authorized in paragraph 7, above, may not be accepted as volunteers for postponement of release unless they are prepared to transfer to the categories for which there are still requirements.

9. W.R.N.S. ratings referred to in paragraph 7, if serving overseas, may be remustered on the station after local training, but only into the Clothing, Naval Stores, Victualling, Writer (General), Writer (Pay) and Writer (Shorthand) Categories. Remuster Boards are to be arranged by the Senior W.R.N.S. Officer.

10. As a special case, W.R.N.S. ratings serving overseas may, if required, be accepted in their existing Category as volunteers until they return to the United Kingdom in the normal course through the working of the longest abroad roster. When accepted, volunteers are to sign a suitably worded Certificate, witnessed by the Commanding Officer, in lieu of the Form of Undertaking in Appendix B of the Release Instructions. The Certificate is to be disposed of in accordance with the instructions in Appendix B.

(Admiralty General Message Home and Abroad No. 137A, 25 Jul. is cancelled.)
(B.R. 1281.)

4233.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Release in Class A of T.124X Ratings

(C.W. 48005/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

With reference to A.F.Os. 2563/45, 2975/45 and 3121/45, it is desired to return to the United Kingdom any T.124X ratings in Age and Service groups 9 to 18 who desire release in Class A, but some difficulty will be experienced in providing the necessary reliefs, and it is therefore hoped that many of these ratings will volunteer for postponement of release.

2. T.124X manning has been conducted with a very small margin so as to avoid the accumulation of ratings in pools at home where they suffer loss of pay. Consequently release under the Re-allocation Plan can only be effected by a reduction in manning commitments or by an inflow of more recruits, or both.

3. Arrangements are being made for the gradual replacement of T.124X ratings in assault carriers by General Service ratings as operational requirements permit and, in addition, recruiting for T.124X engagements has been re-opened.

4. Vacancies are to be filled by promotion within the ship's T.124X complement wherever possible and every promotion made reported by signal and confirmed by Form S.165A.

5. To clarify recruiting requirements, ships concerned are to signal to Admiralty for D. of S.T. details of reliefs required to be sent from the United Kingdom for those men in Age and Service groups 9 to 18 who desire release in Class A.

6. Ratings of these groups who are to be released should not be returned to United Kingdom before 1st October, 1945.

(A.F.Os. 2653/45, 2975/45, 3121/45.)

(Admiralty General Message Home and Abroad No. 128A 23 Jul. is cancelled.)

4234.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Block Releases in Class B

(C.W. 36653/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

The ratings shown below have been nominated for Block Release in Class B in accordance with B.R. 1281(1), Release Instructions.

Industry Group AB Building and Decorating.

Occupational Classification 001.2 Carpenter and Joiner (General Hand).

Seaman Branch—

Aitchison, D.	... Lt/JX.195835	Lg. Sea.	... M.M.S. "16"
Allchin, A.	... P/JX.165384	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Phoenix"
Archer, G.	... C/JX.266476	A.B....	... H.M.S. "President"
Barnes, G.	... Lt/JX.209271	Sea....	... B.Y.M.S. "2038"
Baxter, L.	... C/SR.16427	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Warren"
Beacon, C. A.	... C/JX.168378	A.B....	... H.M.S. "London"
Bradley, J. H.	... P/JX.273150	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Nelson"
Brown, R. H.	... C/JX.224583	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Benbow"
Carnine, J. E.	... Lt/JX.198823	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Clare, F.	... C/JX.189367	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Clarkson, C.	... Lt/JX.187218	P.O.	... B.Y.M.S. "2282"
Cooper, D. G.	... P/JX.178916	P.O.	... H.M.S. "President III"
Cotton, G.	... Lt/JX.228011	P.O.	... M.F.V. "1054"
Cowie, W.	... Lt/JX.177565	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Foxtrof"
Cunnell, V. G.	... Lt/JX.219667	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Dawson, A. D.	... Lt/JX.219455	2nd Hand	... H.M.S. "Lapageria"
Deakins, H.	... Lt/JX.198897	P.O.(P.S.)	... H.M.S. "Prometheus"
Dolan, P.	... P/JX.634906	A.B....	... R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Eastham, J. W.	... P/JX.228524	A.B....	... N.I.O.C., Ostend
Eaton, R.	... Lt/JX.221429	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Aeolus"
Everett, R. D. W.	... Lt/JX.173284	Lg. Sea.	... M.M.S. "301"
Evershed, R.	... P/SDX.1186	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Vologe"
Fanner, J. G.	... Lt/JX.193897	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Boscawen"
Frost, A. T. H.	... Lt/JX.205529	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Mount Stewart"
Fuller, F.	... Lt/JX.175109	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Byrsa"
Hadler, C. G.	... C/LDX.5348	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Haines, R.	... P/JX.195539	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Bridlington"
Haining, J. W.	... C/TDX.1948	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Crocus"
Hardy, H.	... R/JX.243591	P.O.	... H.M.S. "Rooke"
Harris, J. A. E.	... Lt/JX.206595	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Le Tigre"
Heath, W. A.	... Lt/JX.191716	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Heron, T.	... Lt/JX.193108	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Claverhouse"
Hewson, E. J.	... C/JX.174280	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Hicken, L.	... P/JX.227875	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "President III"
Hinton, F. G.	... P/JX.273907	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Golden Hind"
Hockennull, E. E.	... P/JX.694481	Ord. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Afrikander"
Houlston, J.	... Lt/JX.210897	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Jarvis, G.	... P/JX.235683	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Canopus"
Jee, E. C.	... P/JX.333203	A.B....	... R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Jones, S.	... P/JX.323377	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Howe"
Jordan, A. L.	... C/JX.168248	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Kemp, J. W.	... C/JX.267742	A.B....	... H.M.S. "President III"
Lelliot, C.	... P/SDX.916	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Spragge"
Liddon, W.	... C/JX.198078	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Sanderling"
Major, J.	... Lt/JX.197238	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Sheen"
Manson, R.	... C/TDX.1428	P.O.	... M.L. "227"

Seaman Branch—contd.

Marsland, W.	... R/JX.244235	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Wildfire"
McDonald, J. A.	... LT/JX.202036	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Europa"
McGee, E. A.	... R/JX.180955	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Rooke"
Menzies, W.	... P/ESDX.1002	P.O.	... H.M.S. "Byrsa"
Miller, W. T. H.	... C/JX.168327	A.B....	... H.M.S. "London"
Morrison, A.	... P/CDX.2553	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Orlando"
Ness, T. D.	... LT/JX.221392	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Kingston Andalusite"
Oselton, R. H.	... C/JX.265536	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "President III"
Palmer, G. A.	... P/JX.171533	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Kildwick"
Payne, R.	... C/TDX.1940	P.O.	... H.M.S. "Ravager"
Pearce, C. R.	... LT/JX.174593	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Pettitt, F. J.	... LT/JX.177581	A.B....	... M.L. "1469"
Porter, F.	... LT/JX.200932	P.O.	... H.M.S. "Curlew"
Powell, J. S.	... C/JX.239943	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Sheffield"
Pringle, H. C.	... LT/JX.243140	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Quick, T.	... LT/JX.198763	Lg. Sea.	... P.L.L.D. "421196"
Ramm, R. E.	... LT/JX.206444	Sea....	... B.Y.M.S. "2205"
Rankin, G. W.	... P/CDX.2512	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Merganser"
Read, J.	... C/JX.178851	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Penn"
Rickles, F.	... C/HDX.71	P.O.	... L.S.T. "157"
Rutter, H.	... C/TDX.1981	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Sims, S. V.	... C/JX.171589	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Smith, T. C.	... C/TDX.1723	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Troubridge"
Smith, W. H. T.	... C/JX.167822	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Trelawney"
Swinney, T.	... C/SSX.17082	P.O.	... H.M.S. "Marlborough"
Symm, L. W.	... C/TDX.1501	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Tafe, D.	... Lt/JX.202640	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Prosephine"
Tennant, J.	... C/JX.246971	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Goshawk"
Tindall, A.	... LT/JX.198747	P.O.	... M.M.S. "254"
Trigwell, J.	... P/SDX.1611	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Mercury"
Turnbull, J.	... C/JX.314397	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Vale, V.	... P/JX.165743	A.B....	... N.P. "1738"
Wallace, W.	... C/JX.188075	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Wadsworth, J.	... LT/JX.189954	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Attack"
Walters, W.	... P/JX.217260	A.B....	... R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Wells, G. E.	... LT/JX.197157	Sea....	... M.L. "489"
West, A. G.	... P/JX.265580	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Peewit"
Williams, A. R.	... LT/JX.174481	Sea....	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Williams, H. C.	... R/JX.251332	A.B....	... H.M.S. "Britanny"
Wood, L.	... P/JX.227451	W'man	... H.M.S. "Vernon"
Workman, F.	... C/JX.504656	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Workman, F.	... C/JX.206763	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "President III"
Young, R.	... P/JX.248342	Lg. Sea.	... H.M.S. "Copra"
Crawford, J.	... C/WRX.441	Tel. ...	... H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Fleming, J.	... P/ESDX.1331	Lg. Sig.	... H.M.S. "Boscawen"
Graham, W. L.	... C/WRX.440	Tel. ...	... H.M.S. "Swiftsure"
Higgs, H. B.	... P/SDX.1266	Sig. ...	... H.M.S. "Kilbirnie"
Highley, W.	... P/JX.677144	Sig. ...	... H.M.S. "St. Angelo"
Keen, I. N.	... C/TDX.1819	Sig. ...	... H.M.S. "Wolfe"
Kydd, A. N.	... P/ESDX.1762	Sig. ...	... R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Lawson, A. T.	... P/ESDX.1543	Sig. ...	... H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Rollings, C. A.	... P/JX.185242	Tel. ...	... H.M.S. "Boscawen"
Sinclair, R.	... LT/JX.190070	Tel. ...	... H.M.S. "Europa"
Artisans Branch			
Beadell, S.	... C/MX.92270	Shipt.	H.M.S. "Pioneer"
Bird, R.	... C/MX.71438	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Badger"
Boon, J.	... C/MX.66506	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Nigeria"

Artisans Branch—contd.

Brotherston, W. ...	P/MX.79010 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Calliope"
Castle, C. ...	C/MX.67536 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Suffolk"
Cearns, G. L. ...	C/MX.76549 ...	Shipt. 3rd Class	H.M.S. "London"
Cruikshank, T.G.M.	C/MX.92390 ...	Ord. Mech. 4th Class	B.M.U. "21"
Duncan, R. H. ...	P/CDX.2229 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Foxglove"
Durbin, H. ...	C/MX.118675	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Saunders"
Easton, D. ...	P/CDX.2525 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Howe"
Edgar, F. R. ...	C/MX.73292 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	No. 1, B.R.U., Bartlett
Fenner, F. ...	C/MX.118581	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Maidstone"
Gregory, W. H. ...	C/MX.76250 ...	Shipt. 3rd Class	H.M.S. "Sussex"
Hall, F. E. ...	P/MX.71984 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth
Hood, S. ...	C/MX.67428 ...	Shipt. 3rd Class	H.M.S. "Lynx"
Howard, H. ...	P/MX.501907	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Saunders"
Jarret, W. M. ...	P/MX.78590 ...	Shipt. 3rd Class	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth
McNichol, A. H. ...	C/MX.65837 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Male, C. G. ...	P/MX.70438 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Diadem"
Marriott, F. G. ...	P/MX.66646 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Hamilcar"
O'Donovan, J. J.	C/MX.61284 ...	Shipt. ...	H.M.S. "Northney"
Parker, F. K. ...	C/MX.65655 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Adamant"
Peters, A. F. ...	P/SDX.1561 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Copra"
Shemilt, C. ...	C/MX.71394 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Quebec"
Stanbury, G. ...	C/MX.65544 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	C.F.M.U. 2
Waundey, A. ...	P/MX.98007 ...	Shipt. 4th Class	N.O.I.C., Brightlingsea

Boom Defence Branch

Newton, R. ... JX.242071 ... Rigger ... H.M.S. "Rooke"

Engine Room Branch

Feeke, R. ...	LT/KX.119640	Engmn. ...	B.Y.M.S. "2173"
Pocock, T. ...	LT/KX.114183	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Conqueror"
Porter, J. H. ...	LT/KX.110048	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Vectis"
Phillips, S. ...	LT/KX.109968	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Marshal Soult"
McKiven, J. ...	LT/KX.110380	Engmn. ...	M.L. "1302"
Smith, H. R. ...	LT/KX.102591	Stkr. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Russell, J. F. ...	LT/KX.99874	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Ralph, J. G. ...	LT/KX.113971	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Gipsy"
Weltner, A. ...	C/MX.504177	E.R.M. 4th Class	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Walsh, W. ...	LT/KX.108612	Stkr. ...	H.M.S. "Hannery"
West, H. W. ...	LT/KX.128688	Engmn. ...	H.M.S. "Tarbert"

Supply and Secretariat Branch

Benwell, W. G. ...	LT/MX.87868	Lg. Cook	H.M.S. "Europa"
		(P.S.)	
Cox, E. J. ...	LT/LX.30095...	Lg. Steward	B.Y.M.S. "2041"
		(P.S.)	
Dillon, J. R. ...	P/LX.26705 ...	Steward ...	H.M.S. "Byrsa"
Ferris, S. E. ...	LT/LX.27678...	Lg. Steward	H.M.S. "Europa"
		(P.S.)	
Foster, E. J. ...	C/LX.575114 ...	Steward ...	841 Squad.
Holland, D. E. G.	P/LX.23758 ...	Steward ...	H.M.S. "Macnab"
Johnson, T. ...	C/SR.59027 ...	Steward ...	N.P. 1730
Sleap, S. E. ...	C/LX.579532 ...	Steward ...	M.O.N.A.B. "5"

Royal Marines

Amy, R. E. ...	PO/X.100313(T)	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Atherton, T. ...	PLY/X.102004	Marine ...	H.M.S. "Copra"
Corner, F. R. ...	EX.4509(T) ...	Marine ...	R.N. Depot, Deal
Dickinson, J. W.	EX.551 ...	Corpl. ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Edgeworth, W. G.	EX.555 ...	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Etheridge, G. F. ...	RMB/X.1416 ...	Musician ...	R.N. Barracks, Devon- port
Faithwaite, D. H.	EX.1370 ...	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Flinn, S. C. ...	PO/X.100717(T)	Col.-Sgt. ...	26 Bn., R.M.
France, L. ...	EX.3169 ...	Marine ...	42 R.M. Cdo.
Gingell, R. R. ...	PO/X.104902	Marine ...	H.M.S. "Copra"
Gleeson, J. W. ...	PLY/X.102336	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Griggstone, ...	PLY/X.100002(T)	Marine ...	27 Bn., R.M.
Hallett, A. O. ...	PLY/X.580 ...	Corpl. ...	117 Bde., R.M.
Harland, J. ...	RME.10041 ...	Marine ...	Gorse Hill Camp
Harris, P. ...	EX.2787(T) ...	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Houghton, G. ...	PO/X.104407	Marine ...	H.M.S. "Westcliff"
Houghton, H. ...	PO/X.104742(T)	Marine ...	33 Bn., R.M.
Inwood, A. ...	EX.2924 ...	Marine ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Johnson, H. J. ...	PO/X.106728	Marine ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Kenny, J. P. ...	PLY/X.109356	Corpl. ...	H.M.S. "Copra"
Long, E. F. ...	EX.960 ...	Sgt. ...	42 R.M. Cdo.
Mansell, A. E. H.	EX.2623 ...	Corpl. ...	H.M.S. "Braganza"
Meeten, F. J. ...	PO/X.100508 ...	Marine ...	4 Lt. A/A Regt.
Muggeridge, J. ...	RMB/X.1418 ...	Musician ...	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Munday, E. ...	EX.4510(T) ...	Marine ...	1st R.M.E. Cdo.
Newby, A. ...	EX.644(T) ...	Marine ...	26 Bn., R.M.
Parrish, I. D. ...	PO/X.104803 ...	Marine ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Parsley, K. ...	EX.4395 ...	Marine ...	28 Bn., R.M.
Ricketts, B. A. ...	EX.666(T) ...	L/Sgt. ...	47 R.M. Cdo.
Roscoe, L. ...	PLY/X.102346	Corpl. ...	MT. School, Alsager
Shirley, A. G. ...	RME.10601 ...	Sgt. ...	"R" Coy., R.M.E.
Smith, F. ...	EX.4508(T) ...	Corpl. ...	3 R.M.E. Cdo.
Smith, W. E. ...	EX.1470(T) ...	Marine ...	R.M.T.T.D.
Stokes, L. ...	EX.4518(T) ...	Marine ...	H.Q., 3 R.M. Cdo.
Styles, J. S. ...	EX.2523 ...	Col.-Sgt. ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Thompson, A. E.	PO/X.102472 ...	Marine ...	R.M. Military School, Portsmouth Div.
Thornton, C. ...	PO/X.102410 ...	Marine ...	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Wallis, R. H. ...	EX.2534 ...	Sgt. ...	R.M.T.G.(D)
Webb, W. H. ...	EX.717 ...	Corpl. ...	26 Bn. R.M.
Woolaghan, W. ...	PLY/X.100548	Marine ...	Signal Holding Coy., Trecwm

4235.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Block Releases in Class B

(C.W. 36653/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

The ratings shown below have been nominated for Block Release in Class B in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), Release Instructions.
Industry Group AC Public Works Contracting, Construction of Works (other than buildings), Mine and Well sinking.

Occupational Classification 001.2 Carpenter and Joiner.

Seaman Branch

Bowditch, R. E. ...	C/JX.333287 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "President III"
Bury, T. ...	C/JX.189687 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Lioness"
Graham, J. F. ...	P/JX.323402 ...	A.B. ...	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Squire, V. F. ...	Lt/JX.242542 ...	Lg. Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Southern Wave"
Willis, W. H. ...	C/JX.167457 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Hotham"

Artisans Branch

Brown, J. ...	P/MX.79317 ...	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Quebec"
Chamberlain, G. ...	P/MX.713139	Shipt. Acting 4th Class	H.M.S. "Cleopatra"
Porter, F. ...	P/MX.64604 ...	Shipt. 3rd Class	H.M.S. "Challenger"

Supply and Secretariat Branch

Fairchild, K. ...	Lt/LX.29490 ...	Lg. Steward	H.M.S. "Skirmisher"
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Royal Marines

Bulford, A. F. ...	Ex.4526(T) ...	L/Sgt. ...	H.Q., 3 Cdo. R.M.
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4236.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Block Releases in Class B

(C.W. 45724/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

The Ministry of Works has nominated the ratings shown below for block release in Class B and consequently B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 67, does not apply. The ratings named, if they accept block release, are to report within seven days of dispersal to Messrs, Guest, Keen and Nettelfolds, Ltd., Cardiff, in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 157, Note, issued in A.F.O. P.606/45, and not to the local Employment Exchange.

Industry Group GS Nail manufacture.

Occupational Classification 120.4 Automatic machine tender (Nails).

Johnson, D. A. ...	LT/JX.240426	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Mason, R. J. ...	P/JX.240431 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Indomitable"
Matthews, A. A. ...	D/JX.240428] ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Searcher"
Wiltshire, E. R. ...	LT/JX.240427	Lg. Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"

4237.—Manpower—Re-allocation—Block Releases in Class B

(C.W. 27035/45.—2 Aug. 1945.)

Owing to the present acute shortage of police and in accordance with the statement made on behalf of the Government by the Minister of Labour in the House of Commons on 7th December, 1944, to the effect that regular policemen, who can be spared from their military duties, will be returned to Police Service at an early date after the cessation of hostilities in Europe, the officers and ratings shown below have been nominated for block release in Class B in accordance with B.R. 1281 (1), Release Instructions, for transfer to the Police Force from which they were released.

2. Since the Home Office has nominated these persons for release, B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 67 does not apply.

3. The persons named, if they elect to be released in Class B, are to report within seven days of dispersal to the Chief Constable of the Police Force from which they were released (see B.R. 1281 (1), paragraph 157, Note, issued in A.F.O. P.606/45) and not to the local Employment Exchange.

Industry Group ZK Local Government Service,

Occupational Classification 443.1.

Full time Member of Public Police Force.

R.M. Officers

Allen, F. W. ...	T/Lieut. ...	Ports. Divn. R.M.
Gray, M. M. ...	T/Lieut. ...	5th R.M. A.A. Bgde.
Harvey, K. L. ...	Act. T/Capt. ...	3rd R.M. Provo Co.

R.M. Officers—contd.

Hunt, A. E. ...	T/Lieut. ...	116 Inf. Bgde.
Meredith, C. T. ...	T/Lieut. ...	H.M.S. "St. Mathew"
Norfolk, H. M. ...	Act. T/Capt. ...	3rd R.M. Provo Co.
Prendergast, S. ...	T/Lieut. ...	Holding Op. Commando
Richards, B. ...	T/Lieut. ...	27 Batt., R.M.
Smith, J. M. ...	T/Lieut. ...	H.M.S. "Turtle"

Seaman Branch—

Adlam, L. C. ...	LT/JX.382636	A.B....	M.F.V. "1096"
Aitken, T....	C/JX.374289	A.B....	H.M.S. "Crane"
Allen, L. C. C. ...	C/JX.417127 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Allen, T. ...	C/MX.655637	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Arnold, J. V. G. ...	C/JX.543319 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Obedient"
Archer, L....	P/JX.668528 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Hopetoun"
Bailey, H....	C/MX.514765	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Mayina"
Barnard, C. ...	LT/JX.382642	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Oak"
Bawden, E. ...	C/MX.655664	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Berry, R. F. ...	C/MX.543339	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Epping"
Biddlecombe, R. ...	P/JX.383794 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Copra"
Blades, L. ...	LT/JX.382503	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Fareham"
Brake, C. ...	P/JX.382633 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Cumberland"
Brockway, E. I. ...	P/JX.628640 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Brooks, C. E. ...	C/JX.543355 ...	P.O....	H.M.S. "Ganges"
Brown, J. T. ...	C/MX.638677	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Brown, R. ...	C/MX.692787	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Brown, R. K. ...	P/KX.38111 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Daedalus"
Bryan, F. ...	P/JX.619121 ...	Ord. Sea.	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Crastle, H. ...	C/JX.374325 ...	P.O....	H.M.S. "Ganges"
Chambers, B. N. ...	LT/JX.437312	Sea. ...	B.Y.M.S. "2001"
Clayton, W. ...	P/MX.38494 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Ramillies"
Clisby, R. P. ...	JX.543369 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Braganza"
Davies, C. ...	P/JX.515954 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Ceres"
Davies, P....	P/JX.515944 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Chinkara"
Demott, G. ...	P/JX.722038 ...	Ord. Sea.	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Dougal, R. ...	LT/JX.382581	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Earnshaw, G. ...	C/MX.754895	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Evans, F. E. ...	C/JX.383874 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "London"
Evans, M. H. E. ...	C/JX.374352 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Eyres, A. W. ...	C/JX.619069 ...	Ord. Sea.	R.M. Depot, Deal
Fennelow, G. W. ...	P/JX.382804 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Fletcher, A. ...	P/JX.382512 ...	A.B....	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Foreman, R. P. ...	P/JX.651469 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth.
Freeman, G. H. ...	JX.651486 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Formidable"
Fricker, C. ...	C/JX.383791 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "London"
Ghost, L. F. ...	C/JX.375084 ...	P.O.	H.M.S. "Kestrel"
Glennie, W. ...	P/MX.714236	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Green, R. ...	JX.631294 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Nelson"
Gratton, F. ...	JX.651482 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Formidable"
Gray, D. M. ...	P/JX.512256 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Hoste"
Gray, W. ...	P/JX.383181 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Copra"
Hailwood, A. ...	LT/JX.382612	Sea. ...	B.Y.M.S. "2168"
Hall, F. ...	LT/JX.382580	A.B....	M.M.S. "1053"
Harper, N. ...	LT/JX.382495	Ord. Sea.	M.L. "1277"
Harrison, L. C. ...	C/JX.651483 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Hawke, E. A. ...	C/JX.543429 ...	Lg. Sea.	C.C.F., Mediterranean
Hawkes, A. J. ...	C/JX.354157 ...	A.B....	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Healing, C. ...	P/JX.382375 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Trumpeter"
Heaton, L. ...	LT/JX.382613	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Inkpen"

Seaman Branch—contd.

Hessey, J.	P/MX.714393	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Hoath, V. G. ...	LT/JX.382552	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Holt, A. ...	LT/JX.383114	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Aeolus"
Hood, C. F. ...	C/JX.374387 ...	Lg. Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Ready"
Hood, J. M. ...	P/JX.382850 ...	Lg. Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Oribi"
Hooper, W. ...	C/JX.543441 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Virago"
Howes, J. ...	LT/JX.382571 ...	Sea. ...	B.Y.M.S. "2206"
Inwood, A. G. ...	P/MX.543445	Lg. Radio Mech.	H.M.S. "Chinkara"
Jenkins, E. ...	C/JX.366431 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Golden Hind"
Jeremiah, P. ...	LT/JX.382563	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Sheraton"
Jones, E. ...	LT/JX.382576	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Mayina"
Lord, A. W. I. ...	P/JX.382622 ...	P.O.	H.M.S. "Copra"
MacLennan, J. ...	P/JX.383206 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Marsh, T. ...	C/MX.693777	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
McBride, T. ...	P/JX.722039 ...	Ord. Sea.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
McCabe, T. ...	LT/JX.374406	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
McKinnon, J. ...	P/JX.383159 ...	A.B. ...	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
McPherson, D. ...	P/JX.382518 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Fortitude"
Mickleborough, ...	P/JX.329032 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Osprey"
Morgan, E. ...	C/JX.419428 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Zenith"
Morrison, A. ...	LT/JX.376936	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Velda"
Nash, A. G. ...	C/JX.721888 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Nevens, T. ...	C/JX.518376 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Cumberland"
Nuttall, G. ...	P/JX.389118 ...	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Copra"
Osborne, F. ...	P/JX.382363 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Daedalus"
Parker, G. ...	P/JX.382668 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Marlborough"
Partridge, T. A. ...	C/JX.555287 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Golden Hind"
Paterson, G. ...	P/JX.519162 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Lamont"
Paterson, R. ...	C/JX.691785 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Orlando"
Peever, G. ...	MC/JX.501965	P.O.	H.M.S. "Victory"
Penfold, P. ...	P/JX.634335 ...	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Zodiac"
Perry, C. N. ...	LT/JX.374428	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Fusilier"
Reid, J. ...	LT/JX.374448	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Roots, R. ...	C/JX.544324 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Minos"
Rose, J. ...	C/JX.374442 ...	A.B. ...	B.M.U. "46"
Runcie, A. T. ...	LT/JX.382531	Sea. ...	B.Y.M.S. "2041"
Sandall, J. ...	P/JX.382678 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Sirdar"
Sanders, L. ...	LT/JX.327700	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Shemara"
Seymour, A. ...	JX.726717 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Brissenden"
Sharples, J. ...	P/JX.382655 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Shaw, A. E. ...	LT/JX.436653	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Fusilier"
Simmons, K. ...	JX.516255 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Ceres"
Simpson, W. ...	LT/JX.382609	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Europa"
Smith, A. ...	P/JX.383197 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Curzon"
Smith, R. ...	C/JX.543547 ...	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Royal Arthur"
Spedding, W. Z. G. ...	P/JX.425079 ...	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Gosling"
Stearn, J. N. ...	C/MX.746642	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Royal Arthur"
Street, F. ...	P/MX.714169	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Spartiate"
Stewart, J. A. ...	P/MX.714245	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Stones, H. ...	P/JX.382841 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Adamant"
Stuart, R. ...	P/JX.382705 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Cleveland"
Sturdy, J. C. ...	JX.625855 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Swain, A. ...	C/JX.543552 ...	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Swarbrick, T. ...	P/MX.714306	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Emerald"
Sutherland, D. ...	P/JX.515897 ...	Reg. P.O.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Thorpe, C. F. ...	P/JX.516254 ...	Ord. Sea.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.

Seaman Branch—contd.

Throp, A. ...	C/MX.691789	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Tidball, E. F. ...	P/JX.516303 ...	A.B. ...	—
Turton, W. F. ...	P/JX.52602 ...	A.B. ...	M.L. "257"
Walters, H. ...	P/JX.382709 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Catterick"
Warren, C. ...	LT/JX.382530	Sea. ...	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Warrington, J. ...	P/MX.713958	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "St. Vincent"
Webb, J. W. ...	C/JX.374259 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Melbreak"
White, C. ...	C/JX.726771 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Orwell"
White, R. ...	P/JX.627497 ...	Ord. Sea.	H.M.S. "Euroclydon"
Wood, S. G. ...	P/JX.383060 ...	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Carysfort"
Woods, T. ...	P/JX.382688 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Racer"
Wren, C. ...	LT/JX.382501	Lg. Sea.	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Wright, A. ...	P/JX.382510 ...	A.B. ...	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Young, S. E. ...	P/JX.389093 ...	A.B. ...	H.M.S. "Copra"

Communications Branch—

Alder, R. ...	P/JX.36192 ...	Ord. Tel.	H.M.S. "Euroclydon"
Bryan, F. ...	P/JX.619121 ...	Ord. Tel.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Dixon, J. D. ...	P/JX.617193 ...	Sig. ...	H.M.S. "St. Angelo"
Earwicker, F. ...	P/JX.36156 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Enwright, J. ...	P/MX.724063	Lg. Radio Mech.	H.M.S. "Chinkara"
Epton, L. J. A. ...	LT/JX.382860	Ord. Tel.	H.M.S. "Beaver"
Foster, H. ...	C/JX.36165 ...	Ord. Tel.	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Gatenby, C. K. ...	P/JX.677201 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Hake, D. ...	MX.543423	Lg. Radio Mech.	H.M.S. "Collingwood"
Macpherson, W. ...	C/JX.376941 ...	Tel. (S.O.)	H.M.S. "Virago"
Matthews, J. ...	LT/JX.329031	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Arab"
Maxted, P. ...	P/MX.126571	P.O. Radio Mech.	H.M.S. "Caradol"
Mountford, W. H. ...	P/JX.671498 ...	Ord. Tel.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Phipps, J. A. B. ...	C/JX.404512 ...	Lg. Tel. (S.O.)	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Ricketts, N. ...	P/JX.360138 ...	Ord. Tel.	H.M.S. "St. Angelo"
Robb, D. ...	JX.376969 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Ganges"
Saltfleet, F. ...	P/JX.405770 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Seabelle"
Sturgeon, A. ...	P/JX.329431 ...	Sig. ...	H.M.S. "Activity"
Weir, G. F. ...	P/JX.383183 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Sprage"
White, G. ...	P/MX.714395	Reg. P.O.	H.M.S. "Vernon"
White, P. ...	C/JX.360151 ...	Tel. ...	H.M.S. "Victory"
Wood, V. ...	LT/JX.360234	Ord. Tel.	M.C.B. "179"

Artisans Branch—

Black, J. H. ...	P/MX.117869	O.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Berwick"
Boam, O. R. ...	C/MX.118364	E.A., 4th Cl.	T.F. "16"
Butler, E. ...	P/MX.105851	E.M., 4th Cl.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-mouth.
Harris, A. ...	C/MX.504688	E.M., 5th Cl.	H.M.S. "Vernon"
Lloyd, Rhys I. ...	C/MX.505495	Shipt., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Mayina"
Paton, W. G. J. ...	D/MX.75824 ...	O.A., 4th Cl.	C.F.M.U. "I"

Engineroom Branch—

Allen, A. W. ...	C/MX.503048	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Armour, J. ...	C/MX.543318	M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Victory"
Barham, C. ...	P/MX.636136	E.R.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Blenheim"
Bates, V. ...	C/MX.105850	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Cynthia"
Bardwell, W. ...	C/MX.501546	P.O.M.M. (A)	H.M.S. "Bayntun"
Brooking, H. C. ...	P/KX.516004	Stkr., 1st Cl.	H.M.S. "Northey II"
Dewhurst, J. ...	LT/KX.160466	Stkr., 1st Cl.	M.M.S. "48"
Dunn, C. A. L. ...	C/MX.502754	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Pembroke"

Engineroom Branch—contd.

Findley, D. J.	... C/MX.515912	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Fowler, R. H.	... C/MX.502781	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Gregory, W.	... C/MX.503065	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Haldane, J.	... C/MX.620507	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Northney"
Hardman, A.	... C/MX.503067	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Hopetoun"
Harris, M. M.	... C/MX.116599	Chf. M.M. (D),	H.M.S. "Drury"
		4th Cl.	
Haveron, T.	... LT/KX.160323	Stkr., 1st Cl.	B.Y.M.S. "2168"
Hill, B. E.	... LT/KX.160386	Engmn. (P.S.)	M.F.V. "646"
Leak, J. A.	... P/MX.503076	P.O.M.M. ...	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
Lee, J. G.	... C/MX.507630	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Fabius"
Ludlam, V.	... P/MX.636135	E.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Mull of
			Galloway"
Lyon, W. ...	... LT/KX.16321	Engmn. (P.S.)	B.Y.M.S. "2161"
Marshall, W. G.	... C/MX.503080	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Forte"
Mason, E.	... C/MX.620918	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Assegai"
Matthews, B.	... P/MX.635732	P.O.M.M.(A)	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
Meyer, J. H.	... P/MX.635291	E.R.M., 4th Cl.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
McLean, D. L.	... C/MX.622607	P.O.M.M.(D)	L.S.T. "385"
Murrin, G.	... C/MX.503082	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Noad, R. W.	... C/MX.502191	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Oakes, R. ...	... P/MX.125559	P.O.M.M.(A)	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
Overy, J. G.	... P/MX.116662	E.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Cyclops"
Penty, W. ...	... C/MX.502797	M.M.(D) ...	H.M.S. "Westcliff"
Porter, J. F.	... P/MX.502798	P.O.M.M.(A)	H.M.S. "Braganza"
Randall, T.	... C/MX.502185	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Russell, J. E.	... LT/KX.160309	Stoker 1st Cl.	H.M.S. "Europa"
Schlote, H.	... C/MX.500187	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Dundonald"
Shaw, H. ...	... C/MX.620925	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Nile"
Skilton, R. P.	... P/KX.619147	Stkr., 1st Cl.	H.M.S. "Golden Hind"
Smith, J. A.	... C/MX.116583	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Pembroke"
Smith, L. ...	... C/MX.507110	P.O.M.M.(D)	B.M.U. "21"
Southall, S.	... C/MX.507640	P.O.M.M.(D)	B.M.U. "41"
Stanley, A. J.	... LT/KX.529252	Lg. Stkr.	H.M.S. "Europa"
Steele, A. ...	... P/MX.523821	E.R.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Elfin"
Stanley, C. C. T.	... P/MX.95892 ...	P.O.M.M. (A)	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
Tambling, P.	... D/MX.51122 ...	Lg. M.M. (C)	R.M.L. "514"
Teale, E. ...	... P/MX.503867	P.O.M.M. (B)	R.M.L. "514"
Tesh, E. R. O.	... LT/KX.160429	Engmn. (P.S.)	H.M.S. "Gregale"
Theakston, E.	... C/MX.502552	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Thrower, F.	... P/MX.502805	P.O.M.M. (B)	H.M.S. "Hornet"
Troughton, J.	... LT/KX.16432	Stkr., 1st Cl.	H.M.S. "Europa"
Tyler, G. H.	... C/MX.622089	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Lanka"
Wallis, G.	... LT/KX.529511	Stkr., 1st Cl.	M.M.S. "41"
Ward, H. ...	... P/KX.503305	P.O.M.M. (A)	H.M.S. "Hornet"
Watt, G. B. R.	... LT/KX.160393	Engmn. (P.S.)	H.M.S. "Europa"
Weatherly, C. E.	... P/MX.637094	E.R.M. (5) ...	H.M.S. "Proserpine"
Wilson, E. M.	... P/MX.635585	E.R.M. (4) ...	H.M.S. "Northney"
Wignall, G.	... C/MX.620531	P.O.M.M.(D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Wilkinson, C.	... C/MX.501886	P.O.M.M. (D)	H.M.S. "Lizard"
Workman, L. A.	... C/MX.620154	P.O.M.M. (D)	B.M.U. "21"
Weighill, W.	... C/MX.608814	E.R.A., 4th Cl.	H.M.S. "Tourmaline"
Woodall, E.	... C/MX.502813	M.M. (D) ...	H.M.S. "Northney"

Supply and Secretariat Branch—

Curry, R. ...	... P/MX.632639	Stores Asst.	R.N. Barracks, Ports-
			mouthe.
Drinkwater, E.	... C/MX.619567	Stores Asst.	H.M.S. "Demetrius"
Howson, S.	... P/MX.726950	Prob. Stores	H.M.S. "Mayina"
		Asst.	

Royal Marine

Appleton, H.	... PO/X.115625	Marine	... N.P. "2400"
Armitage, J.	... PO/X.115194	Marine	... 28 Bn., R.M.
Atkinson, R.	... PO/X.114830	Marine	... H.M.S. "Flycatcher"
Ballantyne, J. N.	... PO/X.114917 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Robertson"
Batesman, W. S.	... PO/X.114918 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Bherunda"
Beastall, W.	... PO/X.115370 ...	Marine	... H.Q., Cdo. Group
Bennett, C.	... PO/X.115364 ...	Marine	... N.P. "1645"
Brewer, E.	... PO/X.115139 ...	Marine	... H.B.L. School of Signals
Briggs, T.	... PO/X.114832 ...	Marine	... H.Q., Portsmouth Div.
Brooks, A. J.	... PLY/X.109643	L/Corpl.	... 117 Bde., R.M.
Burrows, C. H.	... PO/X.113358 ...	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Copra"
Burt, M. ...	... PLY/X.109646	L/Corpl.	... R.H., I.T.C.
Buttress, D.	... PO/X.114896 ...	Marine	... L.C.F.(L) "35"
Clarke, A.	... PO/X.115372 ...	Marine	... R.M.T.G.(D)
Collier, J. ...	... PO/X.114899 ...	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Turtle"
Coppock, W.	... PO/X.115193 ...	Corpl.	... H.B.L. "Ifiracombe"
Davies, A.	... PO/X.115374 ...	Marine	... H.Q., 116 Infantry Bde.,
			R.M.
Deeming, H.	... PO/X.116506 ...	Corpl.	... 117 Infantry Bde., R.M.
Donald, R.	... PO/X.116167 ...	Marine	... 43 Cdo.
Ebdon, R.	... PO/X.114833 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Jackdaw"
Fisher, J. R.	... PO/X.115377(T)	L/Corpl.	... R.M.T.G.(D)
Gilchoody, J. P.	... PO/X.114834 ...	Marine	... 30 Bn., R.M.
Gillmore, P.	... PLY/X.109638	C/Sgt.	... R.M.T.G.(W)
Gold, J. C.	... PO/X.115378 ...	Marine	... No. 1 Provost Coy.
Grinnell, L.	... PO/X.114903 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Turtle"
Hailstone, H. E.	... PO/X.113370 ...	Corpl.	... 30 Bn., R.M.
Hall, F. G.	... PO/X.114904 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Robertson"
Harris, W. A.	... PO/X.113371 ...	Marine	... H.M.S. "Sefton"
Hill, L. J.	... PLY/X.111559	L/Cpl.	... R.M.T.G. (W)
Hine, J. Y.	... PO/X.114905	Marine	... L.C.G. (L) "893"
Hockley, H. A. W.	... PO/X.113373	Corpl.	... 3rd Heavy A/A Regt.
Hodges, D.	... PO/X.114906	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Robertson"
Houston, F.	... PO/X.121958	Marine	... 27 Bn. R.M.
Horsfield, H.	... PO/X.115384	Corpl.	... 47 Cdo. R.M.
Hughes, W. F.	... PO/X.113374	Marine	... H.M.S. "Byrsa"
Huntingdon, R.	... PO/X.115382	Marine	... 47 Bn. R.M.
Jarvie, C. M.	... PO/X.116146	Marine	... 40 Cdo. R.M.
Kealing, E.	... PO/X.115385	Marine	... H.M.S. "Nelson"
Leather, J.	... PO/X.115387	Marine	... H.M.S. "Copra"
Leckenby, C.	... PO/X.115391	Corpl.	... R.M.T.G. (D)
Lee, L. ...	... PO/X.115389	Marine	... H.M.S. "Copra"
Lord, W. ...	... PO/X.115388	Marine	... 4th Light A/A Regt.
Lowie, A. ...	... PO/X.115390	Marine	... H.Q., Portsmouth Div.
Lund, T. ...	... PO/X.115422	Marine	... 44 Cdo. R.M.
Lusty, D. F. W.	... PO/X.114931	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Westcliff"
MacBean, A. L. D.	... PO/X.114922	Marine	... H.Q., Portsmouth Div.
Mackenzie, H.	... PO/X.114932	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Westcliff"
MacKenzie, M. D.	... PO/X.115393	Corpl.	... 47 Cdo. R.M.
Martin, J. C.	... PO/X.115396	Marine	... R.M.T.G. (D)
Milburn, W. W.	... PO/X.114911	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Westcliff"
Newby, K.	... CH/X.108552	Corpl.	... R.M. Depot, Deal
Parker, J. F.	... PO/X.115393	Marine	... Chatham H.Q.
Peacock, W. C. R.	... PO/X.113376	Marine	... R.M. Depot, Lympstone
Powney, T.	... PO/X.114839	Corpl.	... R.M.T.G. (D)
Randles, E.	... PO/X.115402	Marine	... R.M.T.G. (D)
Rigby, J. E.	... PO/X.115400	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Lanka"
Ringrose, E.	... PO/X.114933	Marine	... R.M.T.G. (W)
Roddis, R. J.	... CH/X.109553	Corpl.	... R.M. Depot, Deal
Rodgers, H.	... PO/X.115401	Corpl.	... H.B.L. "Ifiracombe"
Ruck, E.	... PO/X.114935	Corpl.	... H.M.S. "Robertson"
Sanders, R.	... PO/X.114936	Marine	... R.M.T.G. (D)
Snaith, J. ...	... PO/X.114842	Corpl.	... R.M. Depot, Deal
Stickler, F. J.	... PLY/X.109671	Corpl.	... 27 Bn. R.M.
Taylor, F.	... PO/X.115412	Marine	... 46 Cdo. R.M.

Royal Marines—contd.

Thorn, G. ...	... PO/X.113392	Corpl.	... 3rd Heavy A/A Regt.
Thornton, E. W. ...	... PLY/X.109219	Sgt. ...	... A.M.T.G. (W)
Tubby, B....	... PO/X.114915	Corpl.	... 117 Bde. 33 Bn. R.M.
Tyson, A. ...	... PO/X.115411	Marine	... 27 Bn. R.M.
Welsh. J. L. ...	... PO/X.116154	Marine	... 30 Advanced Unit Cdo., R.M.
Wiseman, E. ...	... PLY/X.109867	Corpl.	... 2nd Echelon 21 Army Group.
Yates, W. ...	... PO/X.115426	Marine	... R.M.T.G. (W) Burma Camp