

New Entrants

We welcome the following who have recently joined the Sea Staff:-

Mr. M. H. Pacey (Fourth Officer); Messrs. B. T. Guntrip, R. N. Harris (Trainee Radio Officers); Messrs. H. J. Buchan, J. Grouwstra (Senior Second Engineers); Messrs. J. L. Farquhar—reinstated, B. Gunton (Third Engineers); Messrs. W. A. Ashford, F. B. Burke, J. A. Carey, M. J. Carey, J. Chesters, J. Deighan, K. Dickson, D. Donaldson, O. Dyroff, R. F. Giles, T. D. Glen, J. W. Greenaway, D. L. Haxby, P. L. Hockin, R. T. Holland, M. Hughes, D. K. Lakes, L. Meiring, S. Middlewood, D. B. Millington, F. S. Morris, T. A. Norris, K. C. Parsons, D. R. P. Robinson, N. A. Rouse, D. Smith, W. J. Strefford, A. E. S. Tottan, A. W. Walker, D. Webster, P. E. Wickes, K. D. Winhall—ex Apprentice, R. A. P. Wood, R. Wright (Junior Engineers); Messrs. D. Allen, A. D. Church, J. G. Coyle, J. De Harn—reinstated, L. A. Meredith—reinstated, A. A. Rodgers—reinstated, I. D. Tuohy, D. L. Wring (Electricians); Messrs. A. D. Bartram, K. C. Beale, D. W. Bridson, C. A. Burns, C. S. Clerk, A. A. Coyle, M. Dobinson,

B.E.M. FOR RETIRED SEAMAN

Warmest congratulations to Mr. Richard Harding, whose award of the British Empire Medal (Civil Division) was Gazetted in June.

Mr. Harding, who spent 40 of his 48 years at sea with the Union-Castle Line, retired last December.

He joined *Kenilworth Castle* as a Trimmer in June, 1917, when the ship was engaged in troop-carrying. Sailing in convoy, she caused no little excitement when her coal bunkers caught fire—a blaze which lasted for almost 3 days.

Mr. Harding served afloat throughout the Second World War and, in *Durban Castle*, took part in the Sicily and Salonica landings. At the end of hostilities he held the 1939–45 Star, The Africa Star, The Italy Star and the Atlantic Star, in addition to the 1914–18 Star and the General Service Star previously awarded.

In June, 1959, Mr. Harding was promoted to Petty Officer (Leading Hand) on board *Pretoria Castle*; he transferred in August, 1962, to *Windsor Castle* as Donkeyman, a position he held until retirement.



D. J. Livesey, W. E. McCaig, T. S. McCullough, L. W. J. Maher, C. A. Palmer, N. Whittle (Junior Electricians); Mr. D. H. Kershaw (Third Refrigerating Engineer); Misses M. C. Lewin, J. F. Wyatt, Messrs. D. M. Howden, A. G. Lowry, M. H. Lukas, A. P. Myers, R. M. Welsford (Purser's Clerks); Mr. J. Simmonds (Assistant Purser-Chief Steward).

To meet the Queen

Engineer Cadet Alastair Baker—a Queen's Scout—was given special leave from his ship in Hamburg to attend the gathering of young people on the Common when the Queen visited Southampton on 15th July.

Among other engagements, she opened a new terminal at Southampton Docks.

	Clan MacLennan Left Liverpool 15th July for Ceylon and Pakistan	Clan Macdougall Left Le Havre 20th July for South and East Africa	King Alexander Left Hebburn 23rd July for Charleston	Argyllshire Left Liverpool 27th July for South and East Africa	Clan Sutherland Left Liverpool 28th July for South and East Africa	Clan Mactavish Left Marseilles 30th July for South and East Africa
Master	N. Wallace	M. N. Ure	R. B. Linsley	A. S. Palethorpe-May	A. F. Banks	W. J. Freestone
Chief Officer	A. Melia	H. Edwards	C. Binks	A. Grant	A. Graham	O. Ross
Training Officer	—	—	—	—	D. Morris	—
Second Officer	M. Johns	J. Howell	J. Solomon	L. Bartrip	J. Hancock	S. Stokes
Third Officer	E. Perera	J. King	G. Adam	G. Ball	E. Martin	A. Stokes
Cadets	A. Holt	R. Head	—	R. Day	†	F. Niehues
Radio Officer	R. Sawczyn	O. Thomas	—	A. Hill	—	—
Carpenter	G. Lea	J. Sanderson	T. Willis	A. MacLeod	W. Gay	P. Entwistle
Assistant Carpenter	D. MacPhail	A. O'Donnell	—	H. Elliott	J. Cunningham	J. McIlkenny
Chief Engineer	W. McClunie	G. Kasprzak	—	R. Bolam	—	—
Snr. Second Engineer	C. Aitken	E. Hodgson	R. Ferguson	H. Busher	P. Partington	R. Macdonald
Jnr. Second Engineer	G. Pears	A. Ford	C. Martin	A. Clydesdale	A. Cameron	R. French
Third Engineer	M. Turner	H. Clifton	—	N. Spoeter	R. Crowe	F. Kent
Jnr. Third Engineer	—	J. Ferguson	J. Doe	F. Botha	M. Ritchie	J. Paul
Fourth Engineer	D. Dawson	H. Townshend	—	—	—	—
Jnr. Fourth Engineer	—	B. Layzell	M. Johnson	R. McQuillan	R. Aris	J. Donald
Jnr. Engineers	D. Madurawala	E. Vermeulen	—	—	—	—
	D. Morgan	A. Milne	F. Clarke	G. Warrington	P. Jacks	J. Pitman
	—	F. Falconer	N. Rouse	D. Donaldson	G. Burridge	D. Wallis
First Refrigerating Engineer	—	R. Wood	—	—	—	—
Second Refrigerating Engineer	—	A. McLeod	—	L. Ball	—	—
Third Refrigerating Engineer	—	J. Morris	—	W. Trevett	—	—
First Electrician	—	D. Kershaw	—	R. Hollands	—	—
Second Electrician	—	T. Higginson	W. McIntosh	A. Kerr	G. Freeman	J. Miller
Purser-Chief Steward	M. Kimpton	—	—	R. Boyd	—	—
Assistant Purser-Chief Steward	T. Armstrong	D. Kinnear	J. McNeill	T. Henshall	R. Bowtell	B. Rimmer
Steward	—	—	—	J. Nunnick	D. Trinick	—

† J. Stevenson, P. Bloomer, P. Hunt, I. Donaldson, G. Maxwell, J. Arlow, J. Gartside, R. Baxter, C. Laycock, K. Adams.