



The annual Report  
of the Civil Service  
and Post Office  
Life-Boat Fund

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1972

## CIVIL SERVICE AND POST OFFICE LIFE-BOATS IN SERVICE

Twelve life-boats out of 35 boats, the cost of which has been defrayed by the contributions of Civil Servants and Officers of the Post Office at home and abroad, remain in service at various stations in the British Isles. The list of Civil Service boats, at the time of going to press, is as follows:

- Gvil Service No. 4 The "Lady Scott"  
*Portrush, Co. Antrim*
- 7 The "Princess Royal"  
*III reserve*
- 8 The "Winston Churchill"  
*Blyth, Northumberland*
- 9 The "St. Cybi"  
*Holyhead, Anglesey*
- 10 The "St. Andrew"  
*In reserve*
- 11 The "North Foreland"  
*Margate, Kent*
- 30 The "Greater London 11"  
*Southend-on-Sea*
- 31 The "Pentland"  
*III reserve*
- 32 The "Charles Dibdin"  
*Walmer, Kelli*
- 33 The "Duke of Cornwall"  
*Lizard / Cadg with, Cornwall*
- 34 The "Joseph Soar"  
*St. David's, Pembrokeshire*
- 35 The "Charles H. Barrett"  
*Bristol Channel*

The Fund contributes £5,000 per annum towards the maintenance of these boats and also refunds to the Royal National Life-boat Institution the allowances on service paid to the crews.

# The Civil Service and Post Office Life-Boat Fund

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# The Report for 1972



The Council have pleasure in presenting the Annual Report of the Civil Service and Post Office Life-Boat Fund.

Sir Eric Seal who retired after 17 years as Chairman at the A.G.M. held on 24th March, 1971, died eight days later. The Fund is greatly indebted to him for his untiring work on its behalf and to the Life-Boat movement generally. His last act as Chairman was to agree to the purchase of Civil Service and Post Office Life-Boat No. 36 now to be named "Eric Seal".

The Council is gratified that the response to the Annual Appeals has increased steadily and consistently in recent years as the following figures show:-

Appeal Year	Total Subscriptions £
1966	25,375
1967	25,810
1968	23,473
1969	30,535
1970	32,941
1971	39,869

The final figure for the year 1972 is not yet available. Cash receipts in the year totalled £37,579-including legacies of £1,280 from the late Miss A. C. Redford's estate and £100 from Mrs. M. E. Nelson Jones's estate, in addition to the usual income of £13 from Miss E. A. Close's estate. But for Departmental convenience the Appeal Year does not always coincide with the financial year of the Fund, and for this reason the cash receipts do not represent the final result. The Council is confident that the 1972 collection will in the event show an increase on previous years; and for this they are very grateful.

The fund is again grateful for the donations from Luncheon Clubs, individual contributors and gifts in memory of deceased colleagues, as detailed in the summary of contributions.

A total sum of £100,000 was deposited with the **R.N.L.I.** in 1970 and 1971 for new boats. The purchase of Life-Boat CS & PO No. 36 has now been completed and, on the recommendation of the Council, the **R.N.L.I.** has agreed to the boat being named "Eric Seal" in memory of our late Chairman. The naming ceremony is to be conducted by Lady Seal at Eyemouth some time during the summer or autumn of 1973. The cost of this boat, which is a Waveney Class Boat, was £72,000.

The "Pentland" (CS No. 31) has been modernised and converted to a self-righting boat at a cost of £18,000 and the balance of the £100,000 is held by the R.N.L.I. to our credit.

A further sum of £30,000 was deposited with the R.N.L.I. in 1972.

e CS No. 6-the "Swn-y-Mor"-has been taken out of service and sold for the sum of £2,050 and this has also been credited to our deposit, which now stands at £42,050. This sum is held to the Fund's Order to be utilised for future Life-Boats or any other purposes directed by the Fund.

In 1974 the Royal National Life-Boat Institution celebrates its 150th Anniversary, and the Committee of Management are planning a number of celebrations, commemorations and a Life-Boat Exhibition at Plymouth during the year. The Committee of Management of the **R.N.L.I.** approached the fund asking how it could best participate in these celebrations. In view of the fact that the contributors are spread over the whole of the country, it has been decided by the Council that the Fund should present a new Life-Boat to commemorate this 150th Anniversary. This will be the 37th Life-Boat purchased by the Civil Service and Post Office; the Fund has in fact provided more Life-Boats than any other outside organisation.

The Committee of Management of the R.N.L.I. have accepted this offer and have asked whether we would provide the cost of building the latest and most up-to-date boat in their fleet. It will be a 52 foot Arun Class, and they have asked whether it would be available for the R.N.L.I.'s Life-Boat Exhibition at Plymouth during the summer of 1974. To this the Council have agreed.

After the Exhibition the boat is likely to make a tour of other European Life-Boat Societies and later to be commissioned to one of the Stations around the coast. It is hoped by the Council that Members will use the opportunity to visit the Exhibition at Plymouth and to visit our latest boat, the name of which has yet to be chosen; its cost will be not more than £100,000.

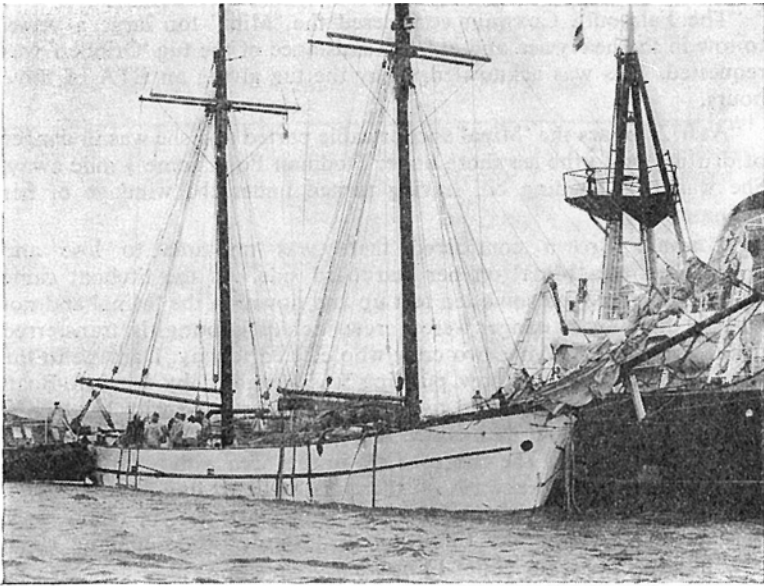
Our Life-Boats, thirteen in number, have saved 70 lives, having been launched on service 79 times. Notwithstanding the sale of the "Swn-y-Mor" (Civil Service No. 6) our new Life-Boat the "Eric Seal" (No. 36) will maintain our fleet at thirteen.

The Council, as in previous years, is conscious of the debt owed to the representatives in each Department who devote so much time and effort to the Appeals and Collections, without which our magnificent record could not be maintained. It is an earnest of the R.N.L.I.'s appreciation that the Fund have been asked to provide the latest Life-Boat for special Exhibition in their Anniversary Year.

Miss Guthrie, who recently retired as the Admiralty Representative of the Fund, has been appointed Assistant Honorary Secretary.

The Executive Committee instructed the Secretary, with the help of a small Sub-Committee, to review the Council representation and this has been brought into line with the Constitution as published last year.

In the early hours of Tuesday, 8th October 1972, the "Princess Royal" (Civil Service No. 7-in the Reserve Fleet and then stationed at Falmouth) was called out and Members might like to read the official Report.



"At 0348 hours on Tuesday, 8th August 1972, the Honorary Secretary of the Falmouth Life-Boat was informed by Falmouth Coastguard of a red flare sighted by MV 'Sussex' in position 8 miles from Falmouth. The Honorary Secretary replied that the Life-Boat would launch immediately and maroons were fired at 0353 hours. . .

"The wind was South Westerly, force 6-7, with a rough sea and heavy SW swell. The weather was d'vercast with heavy rain squalls, visibility was moderate and it was the sixth hour of the flood, spring tides.

"The Reserve Life-Boat ON 828 'The Princess Royal' (CS No. 7-46 f t..X 12 ft. 9 in. Watson cabin Life-Boat, built at J. S. White, Cowes, in 1939) slipped at 0410 hours with a crew of seven.

"After a passage of nine miles in rough following sea and heavy swell with rain squalls, a red flare was sighted ahead about two miles at 0514 hours.

"At 0548 hours the casualty was sighted in position t mile south of Dodman Point and at .0601the Life-Boat passed a tow line which broke almost immediately under the strain of the lifting seas.

"The schooner 'Mina' was at anchor heading SW with her rudder seriously damaged. She was rolling and pitching heavily and frequently putting her bowsprit under. MV 'Sussex' was standing by about a mile to the SE.

"The weather had deteriorated further, the wind was SW'ly force 8-9 with a rough sea and heavy SW'ly swell. Visibility was very poor with heavy rain squalls and the tide was setting 040 (MH knot).



■ "The Falmouth Coxwain considered the 'Mina' too large a vessel to tow in the heavy sea and at 0629 assistance of the tug 'Orinoco' was requested. This was acknowledged by the tug giving an ETA of three hours.

"At 0728 hours the 'Mina' anchor cable parted and she was in danger of drifting on to the lee shore under Dodman Point some 1 1/2 mile away. She was now heading NE having turned under the windage of her mainmast.

"Coxwain Brown considered there was no time to lose and approached the 'Mina' on her starboard side. As the lifeboat came alongside she ranged some ten feet up and down on the 'Mina' and not without difficulty or danger were 8 crew, including four girls, transferred to the Life-Boat, leaving two crew who elected to stay. Damage to the port rubbing-piece and bow pudding was sustained by the Life-Boat. A tow line was again passed to the 'Mina's' stern and with her engine assisting the Life-Boat maintained this position close South of Dodman Point at 0800 hours. The confused sea in this area with a SW gale contributed in part by backwash off the cliffs made towing almost impossible for the Life-Boat and the tow line parted at 0808 to be reconnected almost immediately. The Life-Boat held this position making slight headway to the SE for about 1 1/2 hours.

"At 0945 hours the tug 'Orinoco' arrived on the scene and the tow was transferred in position 1 1/2 miles SSE of Dodman Point. MV 'Sussex' now detached herself, having stood by and assisted in communications between the Life-Boat and Falmouth Coastguard.

"At 1019 hours, with the 'Mina' under tow by the 'Orinoco' and Falmouth Life-Boat escorting, passage was made towards Falmouth.

"At 1210 hours Falmouth Life-Boat returned two crew back aboard the 'Mina' to assist in pumping operations.

"At 1530 hours casualty, tug, and Falmouth Life-Boat entered Falmouth harbour and after disembarcation of casualties, Life-Boat returned to her moorings available for service at 1720 hours."

The Life-Boat was credited with saving ten lives.

At a meeting of the Committee of Management of the Institution held on 8th November 1972, it was decided to award the Institution's bronze medal for gallantry to Coxwain Walter Lewis Brown.

The following were presented with certificates to commemorate their participation in the service.

2nd Coxswain  
Motor Mechanic  
Assistant Mechanic  
Crew Member

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Arthur Charles West  
Vivian Dudley Pentecost  
Ronald Francis Twydle  
Barry Joseph Timmins  
James Trevor Painter  
Ronald Pentecost.

Signed on behalf of the Council

Louis Petch, *Chairman*

J. S. Chapman, *Hon. Secretary*

*Dated 27th March, 1973.*

# The Record of the Civil Service and Post Office Life-Boats

during the year ended 31st December, 1972

Station	Life-boat	Number of launches	Lives* rescued	Vessels saved and assisted
Blyth	<i>Winston Churchill</i> (C.S. No. 8)	3	3	1
Reserve Fleet	<i>Swn-y-Mor</i> (C.S. No. 6)	-	-	-
Reserve Fleet	<i>St. Andrew</i> (C.S. No. 10)	6	6	2
Reserve Fleet	<i>Princess Royal</i> (C.S. No. 7)	17	14	4
Holyhead	<i>St. Cybi</i> (C.S. No. 9)	12	19	6
Lizard/Cadgwith	<i>Duke of Cornwall</i> (C.S. No. 33)	3	1	1
Margate	<i>North Fore/and</i> (C.S. No. 11)	12	11	5
Portrush	<i>Lady Scott</i> (C.S. No. 4)	3	5	1
St. David's	<i>Joseph Soar</i> (C.S. No. 34)	4	-	-
Southend-on -Sea	<i>Greater London II</i> (C.S. No. 30)	4	5	2
Reserve Fleet	<i>Pentland</i> (C.S. No. 31)	-	-	-
Walmer	<i>Charles Dibdin</i> (C.S. No. 32)	5	6	1
Bristol Channel	<i>Charles H. Barrett</i> (C.S. No. 35)	10	-	-
TOTAL		79	70	23

This brings the total of lives rescued since the foundation of the Fund to 3,292

\*Lives are not claimed as "rescued" unless there is strong probability that they would have been lost had no rescue been effected.

# CIVIL SERVICE AND POST OFFICE LIFE-BOAT FUND

## Receipts and Payment Account, 1 January 1972 to 31 December 1972

RECEIPTS		
		1972
1971		
10,799	Balance brought forward, 1st January 1972	9,510.34
36,924	Subscriptions	36,185.12
12	Legacies	1,393.74
376	Interest on Deposit Account	381.25
45	Advertisements in Report	
20	Sale of Typewriter	
£48,176		<u>£47,470.45</u>

We have examined the foregoing Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December 1972 with the books and vouchers. We have received all the information and explanations we have required. We certify that in our opinion it records correctly the transactions of the Civil Service and Post Office Life-boat Fund for the year under review as disclosed by the books and in accordance with the information and explanations furnished to us.

25th January 1973  
37 St. Margaret's Street,  
Canterbury

(Signed) REEVES & NEYLAN  
*Chartered Accountants*

1971	<b>PAYMENTS</b>	1972	
/		£p	£p
5,000	<i>Payments to R.N.L.I .</i>		
2,575	Maintenance of Civil Service Lifeboats	5,000.00	
	Allowances on Service 1971	1,981.13	
30,000	Advance payment for 'Civil Service No. 37'	30,000.00	
37,575		<hr/>	36,981.13
	<i>Administrative Expenses</i>		
788	Printing, Duplicating & Stationery	927.90	
27	Postages, etc.	27.87	
7	Travel Expenses	13.61	
5	Audit Fee	5.25	
264	Provision of Office Accommodation, etc.	264.00	
1,091		<hr/>	1,238.63
	<i>Balances 011 31st December 1972</i>		
7,100	Deposit Account	6,500.00	
1,266	Current Account	201.58	
622	Cheques in transit on 31st December 1972	2,297.02	
522	Subscriptions, etc received direct by <b>R.N.L.I.</b> in year ended 30th Septem- ber 1972	248.36	
	Petty Cash	3.73	
9,510		<hr/>	9,250.69
<u>148,176</u>			<u>£47,470.45</u>

(Signed) R. L. Osborn, *Hon. Treasurer*  
(Signed) L. Petch, *Chairman*  
(Signed) R. C. Griffiths, *Deputy Chairman*  
(Signed) R. S. Hayward, *Member of Council*  
(Signed) C. H. Henry, *Member of Council*

# Summary of Contributions to the Fund

Received during the year ended 31st December, 1972,  
from the Departments listed below.

	£	
Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Ministry of	757.56	
Agricultural Research Council	126.27	
British Museum	114.47	
Cabinet Office	55.10	
Central Office of Information	90.25	
Charity Commission ...	30.00	
Civil Service Department	280.80	
Crown Agents for Overseas Governments & Administrations ...	63.73	
Crown Estate Commission ...	27.00	
<b>H.M. Customs and Excise (excluding £1.72 received direct by R.N.L.I.)</b>	<b>1,415.10</b>	?
Defence, Ministry of:		{, G{
Account No.7. Central Staffs	519.33	IS''t !
Account No. 9. Air Department ...	544.74	1' /zt)
Account No. 5. Army Department	1,592.89	t%
Account No. 11. Navy Department (excluding £100 received direct by R.N.L.I.)	1,402.91	10
Account No. 4. Procurement Executive	1,34.32	
Education and Science, Department of	299.00	
Employment, Department of	605.02	
Environment, Department of (excluding £12 received direct by R.N.L.I.)	3,190.76	
Exchequer and Audit Department ...	146.15	
Foreign and Commonwealth Office (excluding £42.46 received direct by R.N.L.I.)	160.87	
Friendly Societies Registry ...	7.59	
Government Actuary's Department	9.50	
Health and Social Security, Department of	3,860.76	
Home Office ...	1,076.23	
House of Lords	12.06	
Inland Revenue Department	3,800.00	
<b>H.M. Land Registry ...</b>	<b>146.41</b>	
Lord Chancellor's Department	541.04	
National Savings, Department for ...	317.32	
Overseas Development Administration	116.75	
Patent Office ...	356.62	
Population Censuses and Surveys, Office of ...	131.00	
Post Office (excluding £38.34 received direct by R.N.L.I.)	6,897.22	
Posts and Telecommunications, Ministry of ...	42.00	
Principal Registry of the Family Division ...	71.82	
Public Record Office ...	22.70	
Public Trustee ...	43.48	
Royal Courts of Justice, Admiralty Marshal's Office	107.40	
Royal Mint	52.04	
Science Research Council ...	54.47	
<b>H.M. Stationery Office</b>	<b>311.21</b>	
Trade and Industry, Department of	819.48	
Treasury Solicitor's Office	39.00	
<b>Wales</b>		
Welsh Office	63.85	
Post Office	220.45	
<b>Scotland</b>		
Accountant of Court, Edinburgh	3.35	
Crown Office, Edinburgh ...	4.55	
<b>H.M. Exchequer</b>	<b>11.17</b>	

• <b>Scotland</b> (continued)	£
Inland Revenue Scotland :	
Chief Inspector of Taxes ... ..	221.86
Comptroller of Stamps & Taxes (including Collection Service)	85.19
Valuation Department	35.89
National Galleries, Scotland	4.60
National Library of Scotland	13.30
National Museum of Antiquities, Scotland	3.80
National Savings Committee for Scotland	10.13
Pensions Appeal Tribunal, Scotland	0.75
Post Office in Scotland	1,083.84
H.M. Register House, Edinburgh ...	35.21
Scottish Development Department ...	130.80
Scottish Home and Health Department (excluding Prison Service)	178.00
Scottish Land Court ...	4.00
Scottish Prison Service	82.10
Sheriff's Courts, Scotland (all Sheriffs Clerks and Procurators Fiscal and their staffs)	120.10
Teinds Office, Edinburgh	0.75
<b>Northern Ireland</b>	
Agriculture, Ministry of	266.511
Commerce, Ministry of	36.87
Community Relations, Ministry of ...	8.20
Community Relations Commission	2.05
Development, Ministry of ... ..	113.50
Education, Ministry of	46.10
Exchequer and Audit Department ... ..	4.50
Finance and Offices of the Cabinet, Ministry of ...	377.87
Health and Social Services, Ministry of	523.33
Home Affairs, Ministry of ... ..	100.05
House of Parliament ... ..	7.15
Post Office	393.06
<b>Special Contributions</b>	
Subscriptions received direct by <b>R.N.L.I.</b> ...	235.36
Anonymous Donations ... ..	11.30
Air Commodore <b>J. C. Millar</b> ... ..	0.50
Ney castle upon Tyne E.E. Staff Restaurant	84.81
Worcester P.O. Refreshment Club ...	50.00
R. D. Skinner, Esq.	2.00
<b>Legacies</b>	
Miss <b>E. A. Close</b> ... ..	13.00
Mrs. <b>M. E. Nelson-Jones</b> ... ..	100.00
Miss <b>A. C. Redford</b> ... ..	1,280.74
Donation in memory of <b>W. M. Bowen, Esq.</b>	0.50
Donation in memory of <b>D. J. W. Lewis, Esq.</b> ...	5.00
Donation in memory of <b>A. L. Stanbridge, Esq.</b> ...	2.00
Total	£37,578.86

Requests have been received from certain branches of the contributing offices to show separately the amounts collected by them. These amounts, which are stated below, are included in the total of £37,578.86 shown in the Summary of Contributions received during the years ended 31st December, 1972.

	£
Birmingham Telephone Area	346.50
The Sheriffs, Glasgow	7.00
<i>Inland Revenue</i>	
Chief Inspector's Office	2,150.00
Accountant and Comptroller General (Collection Service)	454.46
Valuation Office	608.40
<i>Royal Courts of Justice per Admiralty Marshal</i>	
Mr. B. C. Sheen, Q.C. Chambers	3.00
Mr. J. F. Willmer, Q.C. Chambers	5.25
Mr. D. H. Hene, Barrister	2.50
Waltons, Bright & Co.	3.00
Wm. Crump and Son	5.00
Holman, Fenwick and Willan	5.25
Thomas Cooper and Stibbard	3.00
Norton, Rose, Botterell and Roche	25.00
Middleton, Lewis and Co.	5.00
Sinclair, Roche and Temperley ...	5.00
Richards, Butler and Co. ...	5.25
Ingledeew, Brown, Bennison and Garrett	3.00
Hill, Dickinson and Co. ...	5.25
Ince and Co.	5.25
Simpson, North and Stanleys	2.10
Parker, Garrett and Co.	3.15
Pattinson and Brewer	3.15
Hedleys	3.00
Clyde and Co.	10.00
Office Staff ...	5.25

### Appendix

The contributions recorded below were received in the period from 1st January to 31st March, 1973, in response to the 1972 Appeal and will be included in the Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1973.

Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Ministry of	10.25
Agricultural Research Council ... ..	8.15
Civil Service Department	7.30
Crown Estate Commission ...	34.00
<b>H.M. Customs and Excise ...</b>	<b>17.25</b>
Defence, Ministry of:	
Account No. 7. Central Staffs	27.87
Account No. 9. Air Department ...	111.90
Account No. 5. Army Department	898.37
Account No. 11. Navy Department	745.60
Account No. 4. Procurement Executive	434.66
Employment, Department of	2,106.32
Environment, Department of	41.05
Export Credits Guarantee Department	50.00
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	322.11
Home Office ...	51.42

	£
Ordnance Survey	317.32
Overseas Development Administration	109.59
Post Office	1,647.64
Public Record Office	18.50
Treasury Solicitor's Office	49.64
<i>Northern Ireland</i>	
Commerce, Ministry of	35.28
<i>Special Contributions</i>	
Cadet Valuers, Leeds	1.00
Miss O. Pappalarde	1.00
Mrs. J. C. Butcher	6.60
Unidentified	2.40
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Total	£7,055.22
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