"in Ireland that it has given me much pleasure to communicate to the officers

"and men of Her Majesty's Coastguard stationed in Ireland the expression of "the Committee's appreciation of and thanks for the services rendered by those "officers and men in furthering the objects of the Committee.

"The names of the officers mentioned in the list enclosed with your letter "have been noted.

"I am, Sir,

"Your obedient servant,

"ALFRED, " Admiral Superintendent.

"To the Assistant Secretary,

"Canadian Fund for Relief of Distress in Ireland, " Dublin."