Si. James's Palace, S.W., 1st January, 1924.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Mr. Victor Smith to be Surgeon-Dentist to His Royal Highness

Crown Office, House of Lords, 27th December, 1923.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. John Edward Mostyn-Jones to the Vicarage of St. Andrew's, Hoxton, in the County of Middlesex and Diocese of London, void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

Crown Office, 28 December, 1923.

Days and places fixed for holding the Winter Assizes, 1924:—

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Green. Mr. Justice Swift.

Wednesday, January 16th, at Appleby. Friday, January 18th, at Carlisle. Wednesday, January 23rd, at Lancaster. Monday, January 28th, at Liverpool. Monday, February 18th, at Manchester.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Sankey.

Mr. Justice McCardie.

Saturday, January 19th, at Devizes. Thursday, January 24th, at Dorchester. Monday, January 28th, at Taunton. Friday, February 1st, at Bodmin. Thursday, February 7th, at Exeter. Wednesday, February 13th, at Bristol. Tuesday, February 19th, at Winchester.

OXFORD CIRCUIT. Mr. Justice Rowlatt.

Mr. Justice Bailhache.

Monday, January 14, at Reading. Thursday, January 17th, at Oxford. Monday, January 21st, at Worcester. Saturday, January 26th, at Gloucester. Friday, February 1st, at Monmouth. Wednesday, February 6th, at Hereford. Monday, February 11th, at Shrewsbury Saturday, February 16th, at Stafford.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.
Mr. Justice Bailhache

Mr. Justice Shearman.

Mr. Justice Talbot.

Monday, January 14th, at Aylesbury. Thursday, January 17th, at Bedford. Monday, January 21st, at Northampton. Friday, January 25th, at Leicester. Thursday, January 31st, at Oakham. Friday, February 1st, at Lincoln. Friday, February 8th, at Nottingham. Friday, February 15th, at Derby. Saturday, March 8th, at Warwick. Thursday, March 13th, at Birmingham.

NORTH WALES AND CHESTER CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Acton. Mr. Justice Branson.

Friday, January 11th, at Welshpool. Tuesday, January 15th, at Dolgelley. Thursday, January 17th, at Carnarvon. Monday, January 21st, at Beaumaris. Thursday, January 24th, at Ruthin. Monday, January 28th, at Mold. Monday, February 25th, at Chester.

Lord Chancellor's Office, House of Lords, S.W. 1, 1st January, 1924.

RAILWAY AND CANAL COMMISSION COURT.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with section 1 (1) of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that after the expiration of at least 40 days from the date hereof, the Railway and Canal Commissioners with the approval of the Lord Chancellor and the President of the Board of Trade, propose to make Rules regarding the procedure upon references to the Railway and Canal Commission under the Mines (Working Facilities and Support) Act, 1923.

Notice is further given that under section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, the Railway and Canal Commissioners with the approval of the Lord Chancellor and the President of the Board of Trade have, on account of urgency, made the above Rules to come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1924, as Provisional Rules.

Copies of the above Draft and Provisional Rules which may be cited as the Railway and Canal Commission (Mines Working Facilities) Provisional Rules, 1923, may be obtained from any bookseller or directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrews Crescent, Cardiff; or 120, George Street, Edinburgh.

Foreign Office, January 1, 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Andrew Percy Bennett, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of Venezuela.