

Commander.

Walter Randolph Lucas, Esq., D.S.O., O.B.E.,
formerly Inspector, Cairo City Police, and
now Chief Constable of Monmouthshire.

Whitehall, November 18, 1936.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned gentlemen His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear Decorations of the Order of the Nile conferred upon them by His Majesty the King of Egypt, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:—

Grand Officer.

Arthur Douglas Deane Butcher, Esq., C.B.E.,
Director-General of Irrigation, Southern Nile.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel The Honourable
Bertram Aloysius Forbes, O.B.E., Reserve of
Officers, Assistant Inspector-General,
Egyptian Army.

Commander.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Henry Haseldine,
D.S.O., O.B.E., Staff Officer for Training,
attached 3rd Infantry Brigade, Egyptian Army.

Major William Irving FitzGerald Powell,
R.A.M.C., Principal Medical Officer,
Egyptian Army.

Edmond Standish Waller, Esq., M.C., Director,
Sudan Projects and Designs, Egyptian
Ministry of Public Works.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made Orders authorising the employment on two day-shifts of women and young persons over 16 years of age:—

(a) In the postcard examination and despatch department at the Westfield Works of Messrs. Valentine & Sons, Ltd., Dundee, subject to conditions as to weekly alternation of shifts, accommodation for clothing and facilities for washing and for taking meals.

(b) In the warping and knitting rooms at the works of Messrs. Courtaulds, Ltd., Knitting Branch, Chapel Hill, Braintree, subject to conditions similar to those under (a) and to a condition as to the taking of additional humidity readings.

Whitehall,
20th November, 1936.

EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN AND YOUNG PERSONS ACT, 1936.

In pursuance of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of 40 days from the publication of this notice, to make an Order under Section 1 of the Employment of Women and Young Persons Act, 1936, as to the manner in which workpeople are to

be consulted and as to the ascertainment of their opinions by secret ballot, before any authorisation is given to employ women and young persons on a system of shifts under the said section.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Order may be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Office at any of the following addresses:—
Astral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2;
120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall,
20th November, 1936.

*Downing Street,
3rd July, 1936.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Richard Cecil Cussen, Esq. (Malayan Civil Service), to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.

*Downing Street,
24th August, 1936.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Joseph Howard Pedlow, Esq. (Malayan Civil Service), to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.

*Scottish Office,
Whitehall, S.W.1.
18th November, 1936.*

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 16th instant, to appoint William Marshall Smart, Esquire, M.A., D.Sc., F.R.A.S., John Couch Adams Astronomer, Chief Assistant in the Observatory and Lecturer in Mathematics, University of Cambridge, to be Regius Professor of Astronomy in the University of Glasgow, in place of Professor Ludwig Becker, resigned.

COAL MINES ACT, 1930.

THE NORTHUMBERLAND DISTRICT (COAL MINES) SCHEME, 1930.

Whereas in pursuance of Clause 32 of the Northumberland District (Coal Mines) Scheme, 1930, an amendment of the said Scheme as set out in the Schedule hereto has been submitted to the Board of Trade by the Executive Board elected under the provisions of the said Scheme.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade, under the provisions of the said Clause and of subsection (5) of Section I of the Coal Mines Act, 1930, hereby approve the said amendment and