

Foreign Office,
November 20, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

James Kenneth Victor Dible, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Departments of Gironde, Dordogne, Haute-Vienne, Corrèze, Lot-et-Garonne, Tarn-et-Garonne, Ariège, Gers, Hautes-Pyrénées, Basses-Pyrénées, Landes, Lot, Haute-Garonne, Charente and Charente Inférieure, to reside at Bordeaux.

Foreign Office,
November 21, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

George Lyall, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Republic of Costa Rica, to reside at San José.

Foreign Office,
November 23, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Laurence Barton Grafftey-Smith, Esquire, O.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for Albania to reside at Durazzo; and Frederick Herbert Gamble, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Durazzo.

Foreign Office,
November 27, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Thomas Charles Sharman, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Milan.

Foreign Office,
December 1, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Thomas Cecil Rapp, Esquire, M.C., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Dravska, Savska and Vrbaska Banovinas, to reside at Zagreb.

Whitehall, January, 9, 1940.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint the Reverend Johnston Redmond, Vicar of Carlton-on-Trent, to the District of Saint Andrew, East Kirkby, in the County of Nottingham and Diocese of Southwell, vacant by the cession of the Reverend William Gloster Anderson.

Whitehall, January 12, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto William Gumbes Richardson, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Decoration of Chevalier of the Order of Orange Nassau, which has been conferred

upon him by Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of honorary Consul of the Netherlands at St. John, Antigua.

Whitehall, January, 9, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Cedric Blaker, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Chevalier (First Class) of the Order of Vasa, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Sweden, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of honorary Vice-Consul of Sweden at Hong Kong.

LONDON GOVERNMENT ACT, 1939.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that on the 1st January, 1940, he made an Order under Section 36 of the London Government Act, 1939, prescribing the form of declaration of acceptance of office by the Chairman of the London County Council, aldermen and councillors for the County of London, and the mayor, aldermen and councillors of a Metropolitan Borough.

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

Whitehall,
9th January, 1940.

Downing Street,
3rd January, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Harold Francis Cartmel-Robinson, Esq., O.B.E. (Provincial Commissioner), Claud John Lewin, Esq., M.C. (Director of Agriculture) and William Fairley, Esq. (Chief Engineer, Public Works Department) to be Nominated Official Members of the Legislative Council of Northern Rhodesia.

Scottish Office,
Whitehall, S.W.1.

The KING has been pleased by Royal Warrant bearing date the 20th December, 1939, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting the rank and dignity of Counsel to His Majesty to Arthur James Alison, Esquire, Advocate, a Member of the Scottish Bar.

Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W.1.
10th January, 1940.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have issued a Licence entitled Open General Export Licence, No. G.L. 218—Coal, Coke,