

Mr. Robert Lindsay Munro, as Consul of Norway at Suva, for the colony of Fiji, the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony, Phoenix Islands, the Protectorate of Tonga and the remaining British Islands in the Pacific Ocean (not coming within the administration of the Commonwealth of Australia or New Zealand), with the exception of the British Solomon Islands;

Mr. D. H. Medcalf, as Vice-Consul of Spain at Accra, for the Gold Coast; and

Mr. E. Gregory Jones, as Vice-Consul of Spain at Singapore, for Singapore and the Federation of Malaya.

Foreign Office, 30th May, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
Señor Don Jose León Sandino, as Consul-General of Nicaragua at Liverpool and Manchester.

Foreign Office, 20th June, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
Monsieur F. Buckens, as Consul-General of Belgium at Hong Kong;

Mr. Alexis Liatis, as Consul-General of Greece at Cyprus;

Senhor Jorge Kirchhoffer Cabral, as Consul of Brazil at Cardiff, for the counties of Brecon, Cardigan, Carmarthen, Glamorgan, Gloucester, Hereford, Monmouth, Pembroke, Radnor, Salop, and Worcester;

Senhor Antonio Faustino Xavier, as Consul of Brazil at Hong Kong, for the Colony of Hong Kong;

Mr. Eric Vio, as Consul of Italy at Hong Kong, for the Colony of Hong Kong;

Monsieur Sven Stiner, as Consul of Switzerland at Hong Kong, for the Colony of Hong Kong; and

Mr. Sidney Maurice Sewell, as Vice-Consul of Belgium at King's Lynn.

Whitehall, July 8, 1949.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 7th instant, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the United Kingdom upon Sir Winston Joseph Dugan, G.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., lately Governor of the State of Victoria, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of **BARON DUGAN OF VICTORIA**, of Lurgan in the County of Armagh.

Whitehall, July 6, 1949.

The KING was pleased on Tuesday, July 5th, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Mr. Justice (Harold Otto) Danckwerts.

Colonial Office, The Church House, S.W.1.

27th June, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Major-General Colin Muir Barber, C.B., D.S.O., to be a Member of the Executive Council of Nigeria.

Scottish Home Department,

St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh 1.

5th July, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Major-General Alexander Patrick Drummond Telfer-Smollett of Bonhill, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., to be Keeper of Dumbarton Castle in place of the late Sir George Murray Home Stirling, Bart., of Glorat.

Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1.

5th July, 1949.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.I.'s 1949, price 1d., except where indicated:—

No. 1159—The Paper (Prices) Order, 1949, dated 22nd June, 1949. (Price 1s. 3d.)

No. 1175—The Newspaper (Prices) (Amendment No. 3) Order, 1949, dated 24th June, 1949.

No. 1177—The Utility Apparel (Nurses' Uniforms) (Manufacture and Supply) Order, 1949, dated 24th June, 1949. (Price 3d.)

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents, or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast.

CATERING WAGES ACT, 1943.

INDUSTRIAL AND STAFF CANTEEN UNDERTAKINGS WAGES BOARD.

The Industrial and Staff Canteen Undertakings Wages Board hereby gives notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals for (1) the fixing of specified statutory minimum remuneration in substitution for the minimum remuneration fixed by the Wages Regulation (Industrial and Staff Canteen Undertakings) Order, 1948 (Order I.S.C. (12)) and (2) the revocation of the Wages Regulation (Industrial and Staff Canteen Undertakings (Holidays) Order, 1946 (Order I.S.C. (6)) as amended by the Second Schedule to Order I.S.C. (12) and for the substitution of specified holidays to be allowed and holiday remuneration to be paid.

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Wages Board at the address given below.

The Wages Board will consider any written representations with respect to the above mentioned proposals which may be sent to it within twenty-one days from 8th July, 1949. Any such representation should be signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and sent to the Secretary, Industrial and Staff Canteen Undertakings Wages Board, Ebury Bridge House, Ebury Bridge Road, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

Z. T. Claro, Secretary.

7th July, 1949.

Commonwealth Relations Office, 8th July, 1949.

The KING has approved the following promotion, retirements, relinquishments, etc.:—

SPECIAL LIST (EX-INDIAN ARMY). BRITISH ARMY.

Capt. R. H. NESHAM (450 AI) to be Maj., 31st Jan. 1948.

The undermentioned officers retire:—
1st Jan. 1949.

Major G. M. K. FRANKS (517 AI).
Capt. J. H. P. S. EMERSON (948 IA) and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Maj. R. H. NESHAM (450 AI), 5th Jan. 1949.

The notifn. regarding Capt. J. H. P. S. EMERSON (948 IA) in the Gazette dated 7th Jan. 1949 is cancelled.

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their comms.:—

War Subs. Lt. R. H. R. HASTINGS (EC 5978), 25th Jan. 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

War Subs. Capt. R. W. SCOTT, M.B.E. (EC 13413), 7th Feb. 1949, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

War Subs. Lt. G. J. FULFORD (EC 16000), 8th Apr. 1949, on appt. to T.A.

The initials of War Subs. Lt. F. J. V. ARROWSMITH (EC 12579) are as now described and not as notified in the Gazette dated 27th May 1949.

Departments.

Maj. E. A. T. BINGE (ST/81) retires 5th June 1948.

The notifns. regarding Maj. E. A. T. BINGE (ST/81) in the Gazette dated 10th Sept. 1948 and 24th June 1949 are cancelled.

Medical Service.

The undermentioned officers retire:—

Maj. E. L. WILSON (MZ/17130), 23rd May, 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 29th Oct. 1948.)

Maj. J. P. O'RIORDAN (MZ/18432), 21st June 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Maj. D. F. EASTCOTT (MZ/18583), 8th July 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col. (Substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette dated 6th Aug. 1948.)

Maj. H. REES (MZ/18576), 15th Nov. 1948, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.