

Spices, all kinds of, other than pepper,
but including pimento ;
Starch, including dextrine, farina and
potato flour.

Now, therefore, their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street,*

28th March 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :—

To be an Additional Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

Major-General Michael Joseph Tighe, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., in recognition of his distinguished services whilst in command of the Forces in East Africa and Uganda.

Whitehall, March 25, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Edward Manning Douglas, V.C., C.M.G., D.S.O., R.A.M.C., Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of Saint Sava, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Serbia, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

[In substitution for the notice which appeared in the *Edinburgh Gazette* of 1st February 1916.]

Whitehall, March 27, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Captain William Henry Dudley Boyle, R.N., lately Naval Attaché to His Majesty's Embassy at Rome, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Commander of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Italy in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Whitehall, March 27, 1916.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto Skinner Turner, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Ratanabhon Personal Order, which Decoration was conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of Judicial Adviser to the Siamese Government.

Whitehall, March 27, 1916.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 27th instant, to appoint Henry Fountain, Esq., C.M.G., Assistant Secretary, Commercial Department, Board of Trade, to be a Member of the Royal Commission on the Sugar Supply in the room of Sir George Stapylton Barnes, K.C.B., resigned.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
March 23, 1916.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed H. S. W. Roberts to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Ballindalloch District of the County of Banff.

*Downing Street,
27th March 1916.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Frederick Seton James, Esq., C.M.G. (Administrator of the Colony of Nigeria), to be Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 581 of the *Edinburgh Gazette* of March 21st, 1916, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court in the Falkland Islands in respect of the following vessel :—

Prize Court.	Name of Ship.	Date of Appearance.
Supreme Court of Falkland Islands	Edna	March 30th.

Colonial Office,
27th March 1916.