

to be Secretary of His Majesty's Privy Purse, in the room of Sir John Henry George Chapple, K.C.B., C.V.O., R.N., resigned.

Foreign Office,
December 12, 1922.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Eardley Garforth Bryan Peel, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for Arabistan, to reside at Ahwaz.

Whitehall, February 17, 1923.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Lieutenant-Colonel Ronald Dockray Waterhouse, C.B., C.M.G., C.V.O., Private Secretary to the Prime Minister, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Grand Officer of the Order of the Crown of Roumania, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Roumania.

Whitehall, February 20, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Viscount of the said United Kingdom upon Sir George Younger, Baronet, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Viscount Younger of Leckie, of Alloa, in the County of Clackmannan.

Whitehall, February 20, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon Sir Owen Cosby Philipps, G.C.M.G., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Kylsant, of Carmarthen, in the county of Carmarthen, and of Amroth, in the county of Pembroke.

Whitehall, February 20, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 19th instant, to appoint Miss Elizabeth Hariott Kelly, C.B.E., J.P., to be a Member of the Royal Patriotic Fund Corporation, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles James Mathew, Esquire.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of Section 118 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, the Right Honourable William Clive Bridgeman, M.P., one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint William Oliver

Buchanan, Esquire, to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall,
16th February 1923.

Factory Department, Home Office,
February 20, 1923.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice, that in consequence of the death of Dr. C. B. Lucas, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Acts, at Foyers, in the County of Inverness, is vacant.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE. INSURANCE INDUSTRY SPECIAL SCHEME (GRANT) REGULATIONS, 1923.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (INSURANCE INDUSTRY SPECIAL SCHEME) (GRANT) REGULATIONS, 1923, DATED JANUARY 24TH, 1923, MADE BY THE MINISTER OF LABOUR UNDER THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS, 1920 TO 1922.*

Whereas by virtue of the Unemployment Insurance (Insurance Industry Special Scheme) Order, 1921, a Special Scheme (hereinafter referred to as the Scheme) is, and has been since the fourth day of July 1921, in force with respect to the Insurance Industry;

And whereas a Joint Board of Management (hereinafter referred to as the Joint Board) is the body charged with the administration of the Scheme;

And whereas by Sub-Section (7) of Section 18 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), the Minister of Labour (hereinafter referred to as the Minister), is empowered by Regulations made by him with the consent of the Treasury to determine the sum to be paid to the Joint Board in every year out of monies provided by Parliament, and to prescribe the conditions upon which such payments may be made;

Now therefore the Minister, by virtue of the powers hereinbefore recited, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby, with the consent of the Treasury, makes the following Regulations:—

1. While the Scheme is in force the sum to be paid under the said Sub-section (7) of Section 18 of the Act out of monies provided by Parliament to the Joint Board shall in every insurance year be whichever of the two following amounts is in that insurance year the less, that is to say:—
 - (a) An amount equal to one-fourth of the amount received by the Joint Board by way of contributions in respect of employed persons properly paid during the insurance year in question under the provisions of the Scheme; or
 - (b) An amount equal to three-tenths of the amount which would if the Scheme had not been in force, and if the rates of contribution set out in the Third Schedule to the Act as originally