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CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,
1st January 1924.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's intention of conferring Peerages of the United Kingdom on the following:—

To be a Viscount.

James Lyle, Baron Inchcape, G.C.M.G.,
K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E.

To be Barons.

The Right Honourable Sir Frederick George
Banbury, Bart., M.P.

The Right Honourable Sir Charles John
Darling.

Colonel Sir Herbert Merton Jessel, Bart.,
C.B., C.M.G.

The KING has been graciously pleased to declare that the following shall be sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council:—

The Honourable Henry Burton, K.C., Minister
of Finance, Union of South Africa.

Frederick Henry, Baron Colwyn.

Sir George Ambrose Lloyd, G.C.I.E., D.S.O.

Ronald John M'Neill, Esq., M.P., Under
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs since
October 1922.

Major Edward, Earl Winterton, M.P., Under
Secretary of State for India since October
1922.

The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's intention of conferring Baronetcies of the United Kingdom on the following:—

Henry Strother Cautley, Esq., K.C., J.P.,
M.P.

Major Herbert Robin Cayzer, J.P., M.P.

Sir Thomas Willes Chitty, Senior Master of
the King's Bench Division and King's Re-
membrancer.

Gilbert Wheaton Fox, Esq., J.P.

Sir Donald Macalister, K.C.B., M.D.,
F.R.C.P., F.R.S.E., President of the
General Medical Council.

Sir John Paget Mellor, K.C.B., late His
Majesty's Procurator General and Solicitor
to the Treasury.

John de Fonblanque Pennefather, Esq., M.P.

John Cecil Power, Esq., for Public Services.

Sir Lewis Richardson, C.B.E., in recognition
of services rendered to the Union of South
Africa.

Thomas Cato Worsfold, Esq., M.A., LL.D.,
J.P., D.L.

The KING has been graciously pleased to signify His Majesty's intention of conferring the honour of Knighthood on the following:—

Ernest King Allen, Esq., C.B.E., Assistant
Public Trustee.

Herbert Austin, Esq., Clerk of the Central
Criminal Court.

Alderman Albert Ball, J.P.

Henry William Russell Bencraft, Esq.,
L.R.C.P. (Edin.), M.R.C.S., J.P.

Colonel Joseph Alfred Bradney, C.B., T.D.
 Byrom Bramwell, Esq., M.D., LL.D.,
 F.R.C.P., F.R.S.E., for services to Medicine.
 Leonard James Coates, Esq., a Member of the
 Liquidation Board.
 Archibald Craig, Esq., LL.B., J.P.
 Benjamin Scaife Gott, Esq., for services to
 Education.
 Walter Lawrence, Esq., J.P.
 Thomas Harry Mottram, Esq., C.B.E., His
 Majesty's Chief Inspector of Mines, Mines
 Department, Board of Trade.
 Hugh Murray, Esq., C.I.E., C.B.E., J.P.,
 Assistant Forestry Commissioner of England
 and Wales.
 William George Rice, Esq., J.P.
 Charles Claxton Sandersou, Esq., Controller
 of the London Postal Service.
 Robert Forsyth Scott, Esq., M.A., LL.D.
 William George Turner, Alderman, Lord
 Mayor of Belfast.
 Arthur Watson, Esq., C.B.E., LL.D., General
 Manager of the London Midland & Scottish
 Railway.
 Richard White, Esq., Chief Master of the
 Supreme Court, Chancery Division.
 Alderman John Frederick Winnicott, J.P.
 Fredric Wise, Esq., J.P., D.L., M.P.

INDIA.

Lieutenant-Colonel Denys Brooke Blakeway,
 C.I.E., Agent to the Governor-General
 Central India.
 Rao Bahadur Annapu Parasuramadas Patro
 Garu, Minister for Education, Madras.
 Khan Bahadur Saiyed Muhammad Fakhruddin,
 Minister for Education, Bihar and Orissa.
 Charles Lennox Somerville Russell, Esq.,
 Indian Civil Service, Resident at Hyderabad.
 Mr. Justice Calamur Viravalli Kumaraswami
 Sastriyar, Diwan Bahadur, Puisne Judge of
 the High Court of Judicature at Madras.
 Mr. Justice Amberson Barrington Marten,
 Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judica-
 ture at Bombay.
 Mr. Justice William Ewart Greaves, Puisne
 Judge of the High Court of Judicature at
 Fort William in Bengal.
 Dadiba Merwanjee Dalal, Esq., C.I.E., High
 Commissioner for India in London.
 John Kaye Batten, Esq., Indian Civil Service,
 Judicial Commissioner, Central Provinces.
 Frank Nelson, Esq., Chairman of the Bombay
 Chamber of Commerce and of the Associated
 Chambers of Commerce of India and Ceylon,
 Member of the Bombay Legislative Council.
 John Ernest Jackson, Esq., C.I.E., Acting
 Agent of the Bombay, Baroda and Central
 India Railway.
 Willoughby Langer Carey, Esq., President,
 Bengal Chamber of Commerce, Member of
 the Bengal Legislative Council.
 George Anderson, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Educa-
 tional Service, Director of Public Instruction,
 Punjab.
 Charles Morgan Webb, Esq., C.I.E., Indian
 Civil Service, Chairman, Development
 Trust, Rangoon, Burma.
 Harry George Waters, Esq., M.R.C.S.,
 L.R.C.P., Principal Medical Officer, East
 Indian Railway.

DOMINIONS, COLONIES, PROTEC-
TORATES, ETC.

Lewis Cohen, Esq., Lord Mayor of the City
 of Adelaide, State of South Australia, in
 recognition of his services to Municipal
 Government.
 Henry Lindo Ferguson, Esq., C.M.G., M.D.,
 Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Otago
 University, Dominion of New Zealand.
 John George Fraser, Esq., C.M.G., Govern-
 ment Agent, Western Province, Ceylon.
 David James Galloway, Esq., M.D., Member
 of the Executive Council and of the Legis-
 lative Council of the Straits Settlements, in
 recognition of his public services.
 The Honourable John M'Whae, Agent-
 General in London for the State of Victoria.
 The Honourable Arthur Mielziner Myers,
 formerly Minister of Customs and Munitions
 and for many years Member of the House
 of Representatives of New Zealand, in
 recognition of his public services.
 Sydney Charles King Farlow Nettleton, Esq.,
 Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the
 Bahama Islands.
 Joseph John Nunan, Esq., K.C., LL.D.,
 Attorney-General of British Guiana.
 Lieutenant-Colonel William Thomas Prout,
 C.M.G., O.B.E., M.B., one of the Medical
 Advisers to the Colonial Office.
 Robert Rutherford, Esq., Chairman of the
 West India Committee.
 Ronald Storrs, Esq., C.M.G., C.B.E., District
 Governor of Jerusalem.
 Herbert John Taylor, Esq., for services under
 the British South Africa Company's Ad-
 ministration of Southern Rhodesia, as Chief
 Native Commissioner.
 John Vicars, Esq., of the City of Sydney, in
 recognition of his services to the Common-
 wealth of Australia.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St James's Palace, S.W. 1,

1st January 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to
 give orders for the following promotions in,
 and appointments to, the Most Honourable
 Order of the Bath:—

*To be Ordinary Members of the Military
 Division of the Second Class, or Knights
 Commanders, of the said Most Honourable
 Order:—*

Rear-Admirable the Honourable Algernon Dou-
 glas Edward Harry Boyle, C.B., C.M.G.,
 M.V.O.

Engineer Vice-Admirable Robert Bland Dixon,
 C.B.

*To be Ordinary Members of the Military
 Division of the Third Class, or Companions,
 of the said Most Honourable Order:—*

Rear-Admiral Percy Molyneux Rawson Royds,
 C.M.G.

Rear-Admiral Percival Henry Hall Thompson,
 C.M.G.

Rear-Admiral Alexander Victor Campbell, D.S.O., M.V.O.
Paymaster Commander Robert Archibald Morison Burridge, R.N.

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Engineer Captain Francis Evans Percy Haigh, R.N. (retd.)
Colonel Commandant Picton Phillips, C.M.G., M.V.O., A.D.C., R.M.
Instructor Captain John White, M.A., R.N.

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To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Joseph John Asser, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., C.B., Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Bermuda.
Lieutenant-General Sir William Boog Leishman, K.C.M.G., C.B., F.R.S., M.B., F.R.C.P., F.R.F.P.S., K.H.P., Director-General, Army Medical Service.
Major-General Sir James Marshall Stewart, K.C.M.G., C.B., Indian Army, retired pay.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Colonel (Honorary Brigadier-General) William Bromley-Davenport, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., T.D., late Territorial Army Reserve (Honorary Colonel, the Staffordshire Yeomanry (Queen's Own Royal Regiment)).

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Major-General Denis Joseph Collins, C.M.G., M.D., K.H.S., Deputy Director of Medical Services, Southern Command, East Indies.
Colonel George Peabody Scholfield, C.M.G., C.B.E., Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Command.
Colonel George Napier Johnston, C.M.G., D.S.O., Commanding Royal Artillery, 52nd (The Lowland) Division, Territorial Army.
Colonel (temporary Colonel Commandant) Rowland Henry Mangles, C.M.G., D.S.O., Brigade Commander, Cairo Brigade, The British Troops in Egypt.
Colonel Lewis Francis Phillips, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., Brigade Commander, 128th (Hampshire) Infantry Brigade, Territorial Army.
Colonel (temporary Colonel on the Staff) Henry Thomas Sawyer, D.S.O., Director of Veterinary Services, India Headquarters Staff, East Indies.

Major-General Harry Ashley Vane Cummins, C.M.G., Indian Army, General Officer Commanding, Bombay District, East Indies.

Colonel (temporary Colonel Commandant) William Frank Bainbridge, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, Commander, Jullundur Brigade Area, Northern Command, East Indies.

Colonel Arthur Holroyd Bridges, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, General Staff Officer, 1st Grade, General Staff, Rawalpindi District, East Indies.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Air Chief Marshal Sir Hugh Montague Trenchard, Bart., K.C.B., D.S.O., A.D.C., Royal Air Force.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Air Vice Marshal Oliver Swann, C.B., C.B.E., Royal Air Force.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Air Commodore David Munro, C.I.E., M.B., M.A., F.R.C.S. (Edin.), Royal Air Force Medical Services.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Edward Rodolph Forber, Esq., C.B.E., Principal Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Health.

Roland Venables Vernon, Esq., Assistant Secretary, Middle East Department, Colonial Office.

William Young, Esq., Commissioner of Customs and Excise.

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1st January 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India:—

To be a Knight Grand Commander of the said Most Exalted Order:—

General Henry Seymour Baron Rawlinson of Trent, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., Commander-in-Chief of India.

To be Knights Commanders of the said Most Exalted Order:—

Charles Alexander Innes, Esq., C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Governor-General's Executive Council.
General Sir Claud William Jacob, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., A.D.C.-Gen., Chief of the General Staff, India.

To be Companions of the said Most Exalted Order:—

James Donald, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bengal.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Frederick Travers O'Connor, C.I.E., C.V.O., British Envoy at the Court of Nepal.
Ernest Sampson Lloyd, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Leonard Frederick Morshead, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Board of Revenue, Bihar and Orissa.
Henry Duffield Craik, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Chief Secretary to the Government of the Punjab.
Samuel Andrew Smyth, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Commissioner, Mandalay Division, Burma.
Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Hugh Jeffrey, C.I.E., Indian Army, General Staff, Army Headquarters.
Colin Gurdon Adam, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.
M. R. Ry. Diwan Bahadur Thodla Raghavayya Pantulu Garu, Diwan of Travancore State, Madras.
Raja Ejaz Rasul Khan of Jehangirabad, United Provinces.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Downing Street, 1st January 1924.

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

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Alexander Ransford Slater, Esq., C.M.G., C.B.E., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Sierra Leone.

The Honourable Littleton Ernest Groom, Attorney-General and Member of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Wyndham Rowland Dunstan, Esq., LL.D., F.R.S., C.M.G., for services as Director of the Imperial Institute.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Edward John Arnett, Esq., a Senior Resident in the Northern Provinces of Nigeria.

William Benjamin Chaffey, Esq., Councillor of the Borough of Mildura, State of Victoria, in recognition of his services in connection with irrigation settlement in the State.

Captain the Honourable Bede Edmund Hugh Clifford, M.V.O., in recognition of his services as Secretary to the Governor-General of the Union of South Africa.

Eric Rucker Eddison, Esq., Principal in the Board of Trade, in recognition of his services as Secretary to the Imperial Economic Conference.

The Honourable Richard Feetham, Judge of the Transvaal Provincial Division of the Supreme Court of the Union of South Africa, for services as Legal Adviser to the High Commissioner for South Africa.

John Cyril Douglas Fenn, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Cyprus.

Edward Shaw Hose, Esq., British Resident Negri Sembilan, Acting Chief Secretary to the Government, Federated Malay States.

William Warren Kerr, Esq., C.B.E., formerly President of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Australia and Chairman of the Royal Commission on Taxation appointed by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia, in recognition of his services to the Commonwealth of Australia.

Thomas Luff Perkins, Esq., A.M.I.C.E., A.R.I.B.A., lately Director of Public Works, Hong Kong.

The Honourable John Scaddan, Minister for Mines, Railways, Industries and Woods and Forests, and Member of the House of Assembly, State of Western Australia.

Henry Benjamin Shawe, Esq., I.S.O., Secretary for the Interior, Union of South Africa.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Downing Street, 1st January 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, approved by His Majesty on the occasion of the termination of the administrative functions of the British South Africa Company in Southern Rhodesia:—

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

The Honourable Percival Donald Leslie Fynn, Treasurer and Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils of Southern Rhodesia.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Marshall Hole, for service in the London Office of the British South Africa Company.

James Robertson, Esq., Secretary, Department of the Administrator and Clerk to the Executive and Legislative Councils of Southern Rhodesia.

*Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, 1st January 1924.*

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

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

The Right Honourable the Earl Granville, G.C.V.O., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Copenhagen;

The Lord Kilmarnock, C.M.G., British High Commissioner on the Inter-Allied Rhineland High Commission.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Joseph Addison, Esq., Counsellor of His Majesty's Embassy at Berlin.

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The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:—

To be a Knight Grand Commander of the said Most Eminent Order:—

Maharajadhiraja Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., of Burdwan, Vice-President of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bengal.

To be Knights Commanders of the said Most Eminent Order:—

Arthur Rowland Knapp, Esq., C.S.I., C.B.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Madras.

Hugh Lansdown Stephenson, Esq., C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bengal.

Reginald Arthur Mant, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of the Punjab.

Maung Kin, Esq., Member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Burma.

Bhupendra Nath Mitra, Esq., C.I.E., C.B.E., Financial Adviser, Military Finance, Government of India.

Nawab Muhammad Muzammil-ullah Khan, Khan Bahadur, O.B.E., of Bhikampur, United Provinces.

To be Companions of the said Most Eminent Order:—

Lancelot Graham, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Legislative Department.

Crews Armand Hamilton Townsend, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of the Punjab.

Edmund Willoughby Legh, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Acting Secretary to the Government of Madras, Revenue Department.

Herbert Philip Duval, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department, and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal.

James Campbell Ker, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of Bombay, General and Educational Departments.

Frederick Fleetwood Bion, Esq., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, United Provinces.

Walter Sidney Bremner, Esq., Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Bihar and Orissa.

Percival Stanley Keelan, Esq., Chief Engineer, Mining, Bengal Coal Company.

Colonel William Menzies Coldstream, Superintendent, Survey of India.

Clement Wansbrough Gwynne, Esq., O.B.E., Indian Civil Service, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

Robert Benson Ewbank, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands.

Behari Lal Dlingra, Esq., M.D., Chief Minister, Jind State, Punjab.

Shrimant Jagdeo Rao Puar, Bhau Sahib Maharaj, Chief Councillor, State Council, Dewas State (Senior Branch).

Maulvi Nizam-ud-din Ahmad, Nawab Nizamat Jang Bahadur, O.B.E., Minister in charge of the Political Department of His Exalted Highness the Nizam's Government, Hyderabad State.

Sardar Sahibzada Sultan Ahmad Khan, Muntazim-ud-Daula, Member of the Gwalior State Council.

Philip Graham Rogers, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Postmaster-General, Bombay.

Charles William Dunn, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Burma.

Raymond Evelyn Gibson, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Collector, Hyderabad and Sukkur, Sind.

Major Guy Hamilton Russell, D.S.O., Commandant, South Waziristan Scouts, North-West Frontier Province.

Bertrand James Glancy, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Member, Board of Control, Kashmir.

M. R. Ry. Diwan Bahadur Lewis Dominic Swamikannu Pillai Avargal, I.S.O., Secretary, Madras Legislative Council.

Hugh Byard Clayton, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay.

Ernest William Proctor Sims, Esq., Manager and Engineer-in-Chief, Junagadh State Railway.

Khan Bahadur Muhammad Abdul Karim Khan, I.S.O., M.B.E., Landowner and Provincial Darbari, of Gul Imam, Dera Ismail Khan District, North-West Frontier Province.

Maung Maung Bya, M.B.E., Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Burma.

Sardar Bahadur Sheo Narayan Singh, Honorary Magistrate, Jullundur District, Punjab.

George Deuchars, Esq., formerly Indian Public Works Department, lately Government Director of Indian Railway Companies, India Office.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,
Buckingham Palace,*

1st January 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Knight Grand Cross.

The Rt. Honble. Anthony, Earl of Shaftesbury, K.P., K.C.V.O., C.B.E.

To be Knights Commander.

Archibald Douglas, Baron Blythswood, M.V.O.
Sir James Humphreys Harrison, C.V.O.
Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Warren Crooke-Lawless, C.B., C.I.E., C.B.E.

Major-General George Darell Jeffreys, C.B., C.M.G.

To be Commanders.

Sir Homewood Crawford.

Alexander Hendry, Esq., M.V.O., M.D.

Walter George Covington, Esq., M.V.O.

William Alexander Lindsay, Esq., K.C.,
Clarenceux King of Arms.

To be Members of the Fourth Class.

Major Henry Angus Watson, C.B.E.

Thomas Fell Molyneux, Esq., O.B.E.

Frederic Stanley Osgood, Esq., O.B.E.,
M.V.O. (Fifth Class).

Haywood Temple Holmes, Esq., I.S.O.,
M.V.O. (Fifth Class).

George Slythe Street, Esq.

To be Member of the Fifth Class.

Frederick James Bailey, Esq. (dated 15th October 1923).

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The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following awards of the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the First Class for Public Services in India:—

Robert Niel Reid, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Collector, Rajshahi, Bengal.

Sam Higginbottom, Esq., Principal, Agricultural Institute, Allahabad.

Captain William Ewart Gladstone Solomon, Indian Educational Service, Principal, School of Art, Bombay.

Edmund Tydeman, Esq., Indian Educational Service, Inspector of Training Institutions, Punjab.

Commissioner Arthur Robert Blowers, Commissioner of the Salvation Army for South India and Ceylon, Madras.

Dr. Augustus Sousa, Assistant Director of Public Health, III. Range, Allahabad, United Provinces.

Reverend John Roderic M'Kenzie, Head of the Scottish Episcopal Mission, Chanda, Central Provinces.

Reverend Mother Marie Leonie, *née* Gabrielle Mallaret, Superioress, St. Joseph's Convent, Moulmein, Burma.

Khan Bahadur Abu Nasr Muhammad Yahia, Zamindar, Honorary Magistrate, Sylhet, Assam.

Dr. Louisa Helena Hart, Medical Missionary, Madanapalle, Madras

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The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned:—

For Meritorious Service.

Sergeant William Brereton, late The Connaught Rangers.

Whitehall, 17th December 1923.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the King's Police Medal to the Officers of Police and Fire Brigades whose names appear below:—

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Sutherland Walker, C.B.E., Chief Constable, Worcestershire Constabulary.

Major William Hugh Dunlop, Chief Constable, East Riding of Yorkshire Constabulary.

Captain Dennis Granville, M.V.O., O.B.E., Chief Constable, Dorsetshire Constabulary.

John Henderson Watson, O.B.E., Chief Constable, Bristol City Police Force.

Frederick Walter Mullineux, Chief Constable, Bolton Borough Police Force.

John Berry, Chief Constable, Barrow-in-Furness Borough Police Force.

Harry Haigh, Assistant Chief Constable, West Riding of Yorkshire Constabulary.

John Waller, M.B.E., Assistant Chief Constable, Durham Constabulary.

Charles Goddard, Superintendent, Berkshire Constabulary.

William Davis, Superintendent, Hampshire Constabulary.

William Whitty, M.B.E., Superintendent, Grimsby Borough Police Force.

Fred Taylor, M.B.E., Chief Superintendent, Manchester City Police Force.

Alfred Beasley, Sergeant (C.I.D.), Metropolitan Police. (Now Chief Constable of the Folkestone Borough Police Force.)

Walter Hobbs, Sergeant (C.I.D.), Metropolitan Police.
 Alfred Flint, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 John Rutherford, Constable (C.I.D.), Metropolitan Police.
 John Dubber, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 John Cozens, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 Arthur Cyril Goodison, Constable, Leeds City Police Force.
 Sam Roe, Constable, Glossop Borough Police Force.
 Charles Sadgrove, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 Joseph Allen, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 John Cooper, Constable, Metropolitan Police.
 Henry Lovegrove, Constable, Metropolitan Police.

FIRE BRIGADES.

Major Cyril Clarke Boville Morris, M.C., M.I.M.E., Senior Divisional Officer, London Fire Brigade.
 Arthur R. Corlett, O.B.E., Superintendent of the Manchester (Police) Fire Brigade.
 John W. Dane, Chief Officer, Croydon Fire Brigade.
 Henry Stancliff Leedom, Fireman, London Fire Brigade.

SCOTLAND.

John Morren, Chief Constable of the Counties of Roxburgh, Berwick and Selkirk.
 James Sparks, Constable, Glasgow City Police Force.
 George Ferguson, Constable, Glasgow City Police Force.

IRELAND.

Edward Joseph Conran, District Inspector, Royal Ulster Constabulary.
 James Armstrong, District Inspector, Royal Ulster Constabulary.
 Samuel Wallace Kennedy, District Commandant, Class "B" Special Constabulary, Londonderry City.
 John Johnston, Head Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary.
 Anthony Henry, Head Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary.
 James Smylie, Head Constable, Royal Ulster Constabulary.

INDIA.

For a Bar to the King's Medal.

Cyril Edward Sweney, Superintendent, Madras Police.

For the King's Police Medal.

Alexander John Happell, Superintendent, Madras Police.
 William Rees John, Assistant Superintendent, Madras Police.
 Hugh Keene, Assistant Superintendent, Madras Police.
 Claude Robert Charsley, Assistant Superintendent, Madras Police.
 Edward Hilder Colebrook, Assistant Superintendent, Madras Police.
 Frank William Goodsell, Sergeant, Madras Police.
 Muchakkal Gopalan Nayar, Constable, Malabar Special Police, Madras Police.
 Ariakkal Vethath Bappu, Head Constable, Madras Police.

Frederick William O'Gorman, Acting Superintendent, Bombay Police.
 Chinnappa Gurupadappa Shivasheiti, Sub-Inspector, Bombay Police.
 Pawadappa Annappa, Head Constable, Bombay Police.
 Bhau Ramchandra Nikam, Head Constable, Bombay Police.
 Chaturbhai Kishabhai Amin, Sub-Inspector, Bombay Police.
 Rasulmian Miyambhai, Head Constable Kathiwar Agency Police, Bombay Police.
 Chinnandas Dewandas Motwani, Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Police.
 Raghobendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Police.
 Keshab Lal Bahacharji, Inspector, Bengal Police.
 Eric Hodson, Officiating Additional Superintendent, Bengal Police.
 William Cook, Assistant Commissioner, Calcutta City Police, Bengal Police.
 Surendra Nath Banarji, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, Bengal Police.
 Niaz Ahmad Khan, Sub-Inspector, United Provinces Police.
 Saiyed Sajjad Hussain, Sub-Inspector, United Provinces Police.
 Victor William Smith, O.B.E., Superintendent, Punjab Police.
 William George Clarke, M.B.E., Additional Superintendent, Punjab Police.
 Thomas Raleigh Bassett, Assistant Superintendent, Punjab Police.
 Kirori Singh, Foot Constable, Punjab Police.
 Maung Thaing, Deputy Superintendent (retired), Burma Police.
 Hare Krishna Das, Inspector, Bihar and Orissa Police.
 Ram Beas Pandey, Constable, Bihar and Orissa Police.
 William Henry Montagu Wilson, Superintendent, Bihar and Orissa Police.
 Walter Cyril Plumb, Officiating District Officer, North-West Frontier Police.
 Francis Herbert Du Heaume, Assistant District Officer, North-West Frontier Police.
 Zabardast Khan, Sub-Inspector, North-West Frontier Police.
 Akhmad Khan, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Maizulla Khan, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Mehr Dil, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Zaman Jan, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Gulam Khan, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Sultan Ahmad, Foot Constable, North-West Frontier Police.
 Gheba Khan, Head Constable, Zhob-Loralai Police, Baluchistan Police.
 His Majesty has also graciously consented to the King's Police Medal being handed to the nearest relatives of the undermentioned Officers, who were killed on duty on the 18th August 1922, and who would have received decoration had they survived:—
 Ohandansing Briavansing, Sowar, Palanpur Agency Police, Bombay Police.
 Issarsing Sawatsing, Sowar, Palanpur Agency Police, Bombay Police.

BRITISH OVERSEA DOMINIONS,
COLONIES, PROTECTORATES AND
MANDATED TERRITORIES.

John Cochrane, Chief of Police, Gibraltar.
Captain George Echlin Smith, Commandant
of Police and Governor of Prisons, Zanzibar.
Richard Shearman Godley, O.B.E., Deputy
Commissioner, South African Police, Union
of South Africa.
William Ernest Earle, Inspector, South
African Police, Union of South Africa.
Claude Myles, Inspector, South African Police,
Union of South Africa.
Alfred Ernest Trigger, M.B.E., Inspector,
South African Police, Union of South Africa.
William Christopher Loftus, Inspector, South
African Police, Union of South Africa.
Layton Herbert Burgess, Head Constable,
South African Police, Union of South
Africa.
Nathu son of Boota, Railway Police, Con-
stable, Federated Malay States.
Garba Kano, Police Constable, Nigeria.
Captain Joseph Cyril Brundell, British South
Africa Police, Superintendent, Criminal
Investigation Department and Chief Immi-
gration Officer.
Kamel Irani, Inspector, Palestine Police
Force.

His Majesty has also graciously consented
to the King's Police Medal being handed to
the nearest relatives of the undermentioned

Officers, who were killed on duty and who
would have received the decoration had they
survived:—

Charles Gilbertson White, Volunteer Fireman,
East Fremantle Fire Brigade, W. Australia.
Frederick George Henderson, Trooper, Tas-
manian Police Force.

Whitehall 10th December 1923.

IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased to
make the following appointment:—

*To be a Companion of the Imperial Service
Order.*

John Cannell, Esq., Chief Clerk, Rolls Office,
Isle of Man.

Air Ministry,

1st January 1924.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously
pleased to approve of the following award to
the undermentioned officer of the Royal Air
Force:—

Awarded the Air Force Cross.

Flying Officer Basil Royston Carter.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to His Majesty King
George V., from the Keeper of the Privy Purse, with authority to use the Royal Arms. These
Warrants do not carry the right to fly the Royal Standard, or to the use of the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Barclay, Ross, & Hutchison Limited	Agricultural Implement Makers	Aberdeen.
Christie & Son Limited	Kilt Makers	Edinburgh.
Donald, J. & H.	Decorators	Aberdeen.
Fraser, Ferguson, & MacBean	Highland Ornament Makers	Inverness.
Grant, A. C., Limited	Tartan Manufacturers	Grantown-on- Spey.
Haggart, P. & J.	Tartan Manufacturers	Aberfeldy.
Romanes & Paterson	Tartan Manufacturers	Edinburgh.
Scott, A. H.	Golf Club Maker	Earlsferry, N.B.
Taggart, James	Monumental Sculptor	Aberdeen.

Privy Purse Office, Buckingham Palace,
January 1, 1924.

F. E. G. PONSONBY,
Keeper of the Privy Purse.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to The Queen, from the
Lord Chamberlain to The Queen, with authority to use Her Majesty's Arms. These Warrants do not
carry the right to fly Her Majesty's Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Aitchison, James	Goldsmith	Edinburgh.
Haggart, P. & J.	Woollen Manufacturers	Aberfeldy, N.B.
Keiller, James, & Son Limited	Chocolate Manufacturers	Dundee.
Mackay & Chisholm	Goldsmiths and Silversmiths	Edinburgh.
Marr Woods Limited	Pianoforte Makers and Music Dealers	Aberdeen.
Romanes & Paterson	Scotch Tweed Manufacturers	Edinburgh.
Sturrock & Sons	Hairdressers and Perfumers	Edinburgh.
Taylor & Henderson	Lithographers and Printers	Aberdeen.

Buckingham Palace,
January 1, 1924.

ANGLESEY,
Lord Chamberlain to the Queen.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to His Majesty King George V., in the Department of the Master of the Household, with authority to use the Royal Arms. These Warrants do not carry the right to fly the Royal Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Anderson, Alexander	Bread	Ballater.
Anderson, John, & Sons	Fish	Edinburgh.
Baker, J. W.	Glass and China	Aberdeen.
Begg, John, Limited	Whisky	Glasgow.
Blaikie, John, & Sons Limited	Braziery	Aberdeen.
Brown, James	Fish and Poultry	Aberdeen.
Caldwell Bros.	Stationery	Edinburgh.
Campbell, Hope, & King, Archibald, Limited	Ale and Beer	Edinburgh.
Chivas Brothers	Provisions—Whisky	Aberdeen.
Cockburn & Co. (Leith) Limited	Wine	Leith.
Cotton, George, & Sons	Cigars	Edinburgh.
Cowan, James	Launderer	Milton Bridge, Mid-Lothian.
Crawford, Wm., & Sons Limited	Biscuits	Leith.
Dewar, John, & Sons Limited	Whisky	Perth.
Dicksons & Co.	Nurserymen and Seedsmen	Edinburgh.
Dobbie & Co. Limited	Seeds and Flowers	Edinburgh.
Donald, John, & Co.	Glass and China	Edinburgh.
Duncan, Flockhart, & Co.	Mineral Waters	Edinburgh.
Duncan, John, & Son Limited	Auctioneers	Aberdeen.
Ferguson, Alex.	Edinburgh Rock	Edinburgh.
Forbes, John (Hawick) Limited	Nurserymen	Hawick.
Ford, J., & Co.	China and Glass	Edinburgh.
Garrow, Robert	Fish	Aberdeen.
Gibson, R. & T.	Grocery	Edinburgh.
Gordon, Donald	Mutton and Lamb	Ballater.
Haig, John, & Co. Limited	Whisky	Markinch.
Harper, James, & Son	Fruit and Vegetables	Ballater.
Hill, Thomson, & Co.	Wine	Edinburgh.
Hutchinson & Sim	Meat	Braemar.
Jameson, William, & Sons	Fruit	Edinburgh.
Johnston & Co.	Poultry	Edinburgh.
Johnston, Green, & Co. Limited	Fish and Poultry	Edinburgh.
Keiller, James, & Son Limited	Marmalade	Dundee.
Laing & Mather (incorporated with Stuart & Mein)	Agricultural and Horticultural Seeds	Kelso-on-Tweed.
Lumsden & Gibson	Grocery	Aberdeen.
Macdonald, Greenlees & Williams (Dis- tillers), Limited	Whisky	Aberdeen.
Macfarlane, Lang, & Co. Limited	Biscuits	Glasgow.
Mackenzie & Moncur Limited	Hothouse Builders and Heating Engineers	Edinburgh.
Mackie & Co., Distillers Limited	Whisky	Glasgow.
Mackie, J. W., & Sons Limited	Risks and Shortbread	Edinburgh.
Macvitties, Guest, & Co. Limited	Confectionery	Edinburgh.
Melrose, Andw., & Co.	Tea and Coffee	Edinburgh.
Mitchell & Muil Limited	Biscuits	Aberdeen.
Mitchell, John	Refreshment Contractor	Aberdeen.
Moore, Stanislaus	Fruit and Vegetables	Edinburgh.
Orr, William	Meat	Edinburgh.
Pegler, George, & Co. Limited	Fruit	Aberdeen.
St. Ronan's Wells Co.	Mineral Waters	Innerleithen.
Shirras, Laing, & Co. Limited	Braziery, Grates, and Ranges	Aberdeen.
Smith, George, & Co.	Fishing Tackle Makers	Ballater.
Smith, Robert	Meat	Ballater.
Stevenson Bros. (Dundee) Limited	Launderers	Aberdeen.
Stevenson, Taylor, & Co. Limited, R.	Whisky	Glasgow.
Thomson, J. G., & Co. Limited	Wine	Leith.
Westburn Sugar Refineries Limited	Sugar	Greenock.
Williamson, J. & Son	Meat	Aberdeen.
Wilson, C., & Sons	Meat	Edinburgh.
Wilson, James, Limited	Meat	Edinburgh.
Wood Bros.	Meat	Edinburgh.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland in The Department of the Master of the Household with authority to use the Royal Arms and to style themselves "By Appointment to the late Queen Victoria," but not to fly the Royal Standard, or to use the word "Royal" :—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Davidson, James M.	Dried Fish	Glasgow.
Dods, William, & Son	Seeds	Haddington, N.B.
Gray, Dunn, & Co.	Biscuits	Glasgow.
Mathewson, James, & Son Limited	Table Linen	Dunfermline.
M'Killam, B. & W.	Confectionery	Aberdeen.
Wotherspoon, Wm., & Co. Limited	Starch	Paisley.

Board of Green Cloth, Buckingham Palace,
January 1, 1924.

CROMER,
Lord Chamberlain.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to His Majesty the King in the Ceremonial Department, with authority to display the Royal Arms. These Warrants do *not* carry the right to fly the Royal Standard, or to use the word "Royal" :—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Aitchison, James	Jeweller	Edinburgh.
Allan, James, & Co.	Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers	Aberdeen.
Bartholomew, J.	Cartographer	Edinburgh.
Brook & Son	Goldsmiths	Edinburgh.
Carron Company	Ironfounders	Falkirk.
Davidson & Kay	Chemists	Aberdeen.
Doig, Wilson, & Wheatley	Picture Restorers, Printsellers, and Publishers	Edinburgh.
Edward & Son	Goldsmiths and Silversmiths	Glasgow.
Ewing & M'Intosh	Music Sellers	Glasgow.
Findlay, John	Taxidermist	Ballater.
Gray, J., & Son	Ironmongers	Edinburgh.
Hamilton & Inches	Chronometer and Watch and Clock Makers	Edinburgh.
Hampton, Thomas W.	Picture Frame Maker	Aberdeen.
Inglis, Francis C.	Photographer	Edinburgh.
Irving Brothers	Portmanteau and Brush Manufacturers	Edinburgh.
Jenner, Charles, & Co.	Drapers	Edinburgh.
Lindsay & Gilmour	Chemists	Edinburgh.
Maclehose, James, & Sons	Publishers and Booksellers	Glasgow.
Marr Woods Limited	Pianoforte Makers	Aberdeen.
Maule, Robert, & Son	House Furnishers	Edinburgh.
Methven, Simpson, Limited	Pianoforte and Music Sellers	Edinburgh.
Pratt & Keith	Drapers	Aberdeen.
Pullar, John, & Sons Limited	Dyers and Cleaners	Perth.
Robb, William	Jeweller	Ballater.
Sorley, R. & W.	Jewellers	Glasgow.
Stevenson, John	Clockmaker	Aberdeen.
Stewart, J., & Son	Tailors	Edinburgh.
Taylor & Henderson	Stationers and Printers	Aberdeen.
Tytler, William W.	Chemist	Ballater.
Whytock & Reid	Upholsterers and Cabinet Makers	Edinburgh.
Wylie & Lochhead Limited	Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers	Glasgow.

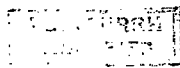
January 1, 1924.

CROMER,
Lord Chamberlain.

LIST of Firms in Scotland in the Ceremonial Department permitted to style themselves "By Appointment to the late Queen Victoria," entitling them to display the Royal Arms, but *not* to fly the Royal Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Annan, T. & R., & Sons	Photographers and Photographic Engravers	Glasgow.
Dunningham, W., & Co.	Watch and Clock Makers	Aberdeen.
Fyfe, J., & Son	Brushmakers	Aberdeen.
Harvey, Hilliard, & Son	Surgical Instrument Makers	Edinburgh.
Miller & Richard	Type Founders	Edinburgh.
Paterson & Sons	Music Sellers	Edinburgh.
Stewart, R.	Goldsmith and Silversmith	Glasgow.
Wilson, P. G.	Silversmith and Jeweller	Inverness.
Wright & Sons	Workers in Polished Granite	Aberdeen.

January 1, 1924.



CROMER,
Lord Chamberlain.

LIST of Tradesmen and others in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to His Majesty King George V. in the Royal Mews Department, with authority to use the Royal Arms. These Warrants do not carry the right to fly the Royal Standard, nor to make use of the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Aberdeen Lime Co. Limited	Coal Merchants	Aberdeen.
Burmah Oil Co. Limited	Purveyors of Motor Spirit	Glasgow.
Campbells Limited	Posting Masters	Aberdeen.
Croall & Croall	Coachbuilders	Edinburgh.
Croall, John, & Sons Limited	Job and Posting Masters	Edinburgh.
Harper, John F.	Posting Master	Ballater.
Rossleigh Limited	Motor Engineers	Edinburgh.
Smart, John	Carrier	Ballater.
Smith, George	Harness and Saddle Maker	Ballater.

Royal Mews, Buckingham Palace,
January 1, 1924.

CROMER,
Lord Chamberlain.

LIST of Tradesmen and others in Scotland in the Royal Mews Department having authority to use the Royal Arms and to style themselves "By Appointment to the late Queen Victoria," but not to fly the Royal Standard, nor to make use of the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Bain Limited, W.	Posting Masters	Aberdeen.
Mearns, A., & Co.	Harness and Saddle Makers	Aberdeen.

Royal Mews, Buckingham Palace,
January 1, 1924.

CROMER,
Lord Chamberlain.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to Queen Alexandra from the Lord Chamberlain to Her Majesty, with authority to use Her Majesty's Arms. These Warrants do not carry the right to fly Her Majesty's Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Aitchison, James	Jeweller	Edinburgh.
Duncan, Thomas, & Co.	Bootmakers	Edinburgh.
Durrant	Ladies' Tailor, Dressmaker, and Furrier	Edinburgh.
Haggart, P. & J.	Woollen Manufacturers	Aberfeldy.
Romanes & Paterson	Tartan Manufacturers	Edinburgh.
Royal Repository for the Sale of Gentlewomen's Work		Edinburgh.
Sturrock & Sons	Hairdressers	Edinburgh.

Marlborough House, S.W. 1,
January 1, 1924.

HOWE,
Lord Chamberlain to Her Majesty Queen Alexandra.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to Queen Alexandra from the Comptroller to Her Majesty, with authority to use Her Majesty's Arms. These Warrants do not carry the right to fly Her Majesty's Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Baker, J. W.	China and Glass Merchant	Aberdeen.
Chivas Bros.	Italian Warehousemen	Aberdeen.
Lumsden & Gibson	Grocers	Aberdeen.
Shirras, Laing, & Co. Limited	Ironmongers	Aberdeen.
Smart, John	Carrier	Ballater.
Stevenson, R., Taylor, & Co. Limited	Purveyors of Scotch Whisky	Glasgow.
Taggart, James	Granite Sculptor	Aberdeen.
Taylor & Henderson	Printers	Aberdeen.

Marlborough House, S.W. 1,
January 1, 1924.

D. M. PROBYN, General,
Comptroller to Her Majesty Queen Alexandra.

LIST of Tradesmen in Scotland who hold Warrants of Appointment to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales from the Comptroller to His Royal Highness, with authority to use His Royal Highness's Arms. These Warrants do not carry the right to fly the Prince of Wales's Standard, or to the use of the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Christie, J., & Son Limited	Tailors	Edinburgh.

Saint James's Palace,
January 1, 1924.

LIONEL HALSEY,
Comptroller to His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales.

LIST of Firms in Scotland permitted to style themselves "By Appointment to the late Queen Victoria," entitling them to use the Royal Arms, but not to fly the Royal Standard, or to use the word "Royal":—

Name.	Description.	Address.
Milne, W. & J.	Dressing Bag and Writing Case Makers	Edinburgh.

Marlborough House, S.W. 1,
January 1, 1924.

HOWE,
Lord Chamberlain to H.M. Queen Alexandra.

*Treasury Chambers,
2nd January 1924.*

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to act as Public Valuers for Great Britain for the year ending 31st December 1924, under the provisions of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896 (59 & 60 Vict. cap. 25), viz. :—

PUBLIC VALUERS APPOINTED UNDER THE FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Austin, H. H., Pearl Assurance Company Limited, High Holborn, London, W.C. 1.
 Bacon, James, Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Barrand, A. R., Oak Lodge, Bycullah Road, Enfield.
 Barrett, W. G., 196 Strand, London, W.C. 2.
 Begg, David, 142 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.
 Burrows, V. A., "Leith Hill," Chandos Avenue, Whetstone, London, N. 20, and Messrs. R. Watson & Sons, Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Clemens, F. B., 4 South Street, Finsbury Pavement, London, E.C. 2.
 Clinton, L. E., 246 Bishopsgate, London, E.C. 2.
 Fulford, W. J., 40 Bargery Road, Catford, London, S.E. 6.
 Galer, F. B., "Worcomer," Garrads Road, Streatham, London, S.W. 16.
 Green, A. J., 234 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.
 Kelham, C. S., 5 Farnan Road, Streatham, London, S.W. 16.
 Levey, R., Birkenseld, 142 Widmore Road, Bromley, Kent.
 Mandling, R. G., Messrs. R. Watson & Sons, Temple Chambers, Temple Avenue, London, E.C. 4.
 Meiklem, W. H., Norwich Union Life Assurance Society, Norwich.
 Melville, G. W., 79 West Regent Street, Glasgow.
 Nathan, E. B., 26 Bedford Row, London, W.C. 1.
 Paterson, G. W., 38 Tay Street, Perth.
 Reid, W. A., 6 Golden Square, Aberdeen.
 Rhodes, F., Royal Insurance Buildings, 1 North John Street, Liverpool.
 Robertson, J. H., Messrs. Robertson & Melville, 79 West Regent Street, Glasgow.
 Rusher, E. A., Christ Church Cottage, Hampstead, London, N.W. 3.
 Searle, T. J., 20 Windmill Road, Croydon.
 Sewell, Richard, 4 Broad Street Place, London, E.C. 2.
 Stuart, J. Moody, 53 East Parade, Harrogate.
 Tayler, H. Hosking, 252 High Holborn, London, W.C. 1.
 Thompson, J. H. R., 75 Alexandra Park Road, Muswell Hill, London, N. 10.
 Worthington, W., Royal Insurance Buildings, 1 North John Street, Liverpool.

*Foreign Office,
January 1, 1924.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Andrew Percy Bennett, Esquire, C.M.G., to

be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of Venezuela.

Whitehall, December 31, 1923.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto William George Smith, Esquire, lately Lecturer in the English Language and English Literature in the Tokyo School of Foreign Languages, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of the Sacred Treasure, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 29, 1923.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. J. H. Mains an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Clackmannan, in the County of Clackmannan, is vacant.

*Downing Street,
31st December 1923.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of James Glover-Addo, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Colony.

*Downing Street,
17th December 1923.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by John James Maclaren, Esq., lately a Judge of the Supreme Court of the Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada.

*Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1,
31st December 1923.*

TREATY OF PEACE ORDER, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that by agreement between the British and German Governments, the period for lodging Claims under Article 296 of the Treaty of Versailles has been extended.

British creditors who have claims not hitherto preferred against German nationals which come within the provisions of the aforesaid Article must forward proofs of claim to the Controller of the British Clearing Office, Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E. 1, by the 31st March 1924, which is the final date for notification. The necessary forms can be obtained on application to the Controller.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

COFFIN FURNITURE AND CEREMENT MAKING TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES AS VARIED FOR MALE WORKERS IN THE COFFIN FURNITURE SECTION OF THE TRADE FOR PERIODS DEPENDENT UPON THE COST OF LIVING INDEX FIGURE, EFFECTIVE AS FROM 1st JANUARY 1924.*

* Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in any case not later than 7th January 1924.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES (AS VARIED).

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES. Per Week of 47 hours.						
For the Cost of Living Periods (as defined in Section I. of Part. IV. of this Schedule) during which the Cost of Living Figure (as defined in Section II. of Part IV.) is:						
101 or above.	Not less than 88 and not more than 100.	Not less than 76 and not more than 87.	Not less than 63 and not more than 75.	Not less than 51 and not more than 62.	50 or below.	
Col. I.	Col. II.	Col. III.	Col. IV.	Col. V.	Col. VI.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
SECTION I.—For MALE WORKERS employed as DRESSERS, STAMPERS, POLISHERS, or PLANISHERS (including WHEELERS):—						
A.—WORKERS of 21 years of age or over:						
(a) DRESSERS AND STAMPERS—						
Workers of Grade I. as hereinafter defined						
68	3	64	4	61	5	57 6 55 0 52 6
Workers of Grade II. as hereinafter defined						
75	9	71	10	68	11	65 0 62 0 59 0
Workers of Grade III. as hereinafter defined						
81	9	77	10	74	11	71 0 67 6 64 0
(b) POLISHERS AND PLANISHERS (including WHEELERS)—						
Workers of Grade I. as hereinafter defined						
69	9	65	10	62	11	59 0 56 6 54 0
Workers of Grade II. as hereinafter defined						
78	9	74	10	71	11	68 0 65 0 62 0
Workers of Grade III. as hereinafter defined						
83	9	79	10	76	11	73 0 69 6 66 0
Provided that a Male Worker entering the trade as a Dresser, Stamper, Polisher, Planisher or Wheeler for the first time at or over the age of 21 may be employed, during the first three months of his employment, at a rate of 10s per week less, and during the second three months of his employment at a rate of 5s. per week less than the minimum rate otherwise applicable as set out above:—						
B.—WORKERS of under 21 years of age:—						
1. Workers under 15 years of age						
14	0	14	0	13	0	12 0 11 0 10 0
2. Workers of 15 and under 16 years of age						
20	0	18	6	17	0	15 6 14 0 12 6
3. Workers of 16 and under 17 years of age						
23	0	21	6	20	0	18 6 17 0 15 6

PART I.—continued.

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES. Per Week of 47 hours.						
For the Cost of Living Periods (as defined in Section I. of Part. IV. of this Schedule) during which the Cost of Living Figure (as defined in Section II. of Part IV.) is :						
101 or above.	Not less than 88 and not more than 100.	Not less than 76 and not more than 87.	Not less than 63 and not more than 75.	Not less than 51 and not more than 62.	50 or below.	
Col. I.	Col. II.	Col. III.	Col. IV.	Col. V.	Col. VI.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
4. Workers of 17 and under 18 years of age	27 0	25 0	23 0	21 0	19 0	17 0
5. Workers of 18 and under 19 years of age :—						
(a) Who have had less than 2 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged	27 0	25 0	23 0	21 0	21 0	19 0
(b) Who have had 2 years' and less than 3 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged	33 0	31 0	29 0	27 0	25 0	23 0
(c) Who have had not less than 3 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged ...	36 0	34 0	32 0	30 0	28 0	26 0
6. Workers of 19 and under 20 years of age :—						
(a) Who have had less than 3 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged	33 0	31 0	29 0	27 0	25 0	23 0
(b) Who have had 3 years' and less than 5 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged ...	39 0	37 0	35 0	33 0	31 0	29 0
(c) Who have had not less than 5 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged ...	43 6	41 6	39 6	37 6	35 6	33 6
7. Workers of 20 and under 21 years of age :—						
(a) Who have had less than 3 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged	39 0	37 0	35 0	33 0	31 0	29 0
(b) Who have had 3 years' and less than 5 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged ...	45 0	43 0	41 0	39 0	37 0	35 0
(c) Who have had not less than 5 years' experience in the branch of trade in which they are engaged ...	49 6	47 6	45 6	43 6	41 6	39 6
SECTION II.—For MALE WORKERS employed on :—						
PACKING, ROUGH WAREHOUSING AND DESPATCHING, or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the Manufacture of Coffin Furniture from any metal by any process :—						
1. Workers under 15 years of age	14 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	11 0	10 0
2. Workers of 15 and under 16 years of age	20 0	18 6	17 0	15 6	14 0	12 6
3. Workers of 16 and under 17 years of age	23 0	21 6	20 0	18 6	17 0	15 6
4. Workers of 17 and under 18 years of age	27 0	25 0	23 0	21 0	19 0	17 0
5. Workers of 18 and under 19 years of age	28 0	26 0	24 0	22 0	20 0	18 0
6. Workers of 19 and under 20 years of age :—						
(a) Who have less than 1 year's						

PART I.—continued.

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES. Per Week of 47 hours.						
For the Cost of Living Periods (as defined in Section I. of Part. IV. of this Schedule) during which the Cost of Living Figure (as defined in Section II. of Part IV.) is :						
101 or above.	Not less than 88 and not more than 100.	Not less than 76 and not more than 87.	Not less than 63 and not more than 75.	Not less than 51 and not more than 62.	50 or below.	
Col. I.	Col. II.	Col. III.	Col. IV.	Col. V.	Col. VI.	
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	30 6	28 6	26 6	24 6	22 6	20 6
(b) Who have had not less than 1 year's experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	34 0	32 0	30 0	28 0	26 0	24 0
7. Workers of 20 and under 21 years of age:—						
(a) Who have less than 1 year's experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	37 0	35 0	33 0	31 0	29 0	27 0
(b) Who have had not less than 1 year's experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	41 0	39 0	37 0	35 0	33 0	31 0
8. Workers of 21 years of age and over:—						
(a) Who have had less than 1 year's experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	53 0	51 0	49 0	47 0	44 9	42 6
(b) Who have had not less than 1 year's and less than 5 years' experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	56 0	54 0	52 0	50 0	47 6	45 0
(c) Who have had not less than 5 years' experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	62 0	60 0	58 0	56 0	53 3	50 6

The expression "similar work" in this Section includes light stamped or pressed metal work as included within the scope of the Stamped or Pressed Metal Wares Trade Board (Great Britain) and the following trades:—Builders, Cabinet, Brass Foundry, Electro Plate and Silver Plate and other similar trades.

SECTION III.—All the above weekly Minimum Rates are based on a week of 47 hours, and are subject to a proportionate adjustment according as the time spent in the factory or workshop in any week under contract of employment is less than 47 hours.

SECTION IV.—Definitions—For the purpose of the rates referred to in Section I. A. of this Part of this Schedule the following definitions apply:—

Dressers.—A Dresser of Grade I. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over employed on Dressing and not fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. or Grade III. next hereinafter respectively defined.

A Dresser of Grade II. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who has had not less than six years' experience as a Dresser and who turns, screws inside

and out, files flat and square at the vice, and finishes his own work throughout.

A Dresser of Grade III. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who, in addition to fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. as above defined, is also an expert in all processes or is a Charge Hand responsible for all work and order in the shop.

Stampers.—A Stamper of Grade I. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over employed on stamping and not fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. or Grade III. next hereinafter respectively defined.

A Stamper of Grade II. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who has had not less than six years' experience as a Stamper and is an expert in all processes, and who undertakes all classes of work of all strengths of metal used.

A Stamper of Grade III. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who, in addition to fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. as above defined, is an expert in all classes of Stamping, Pressing and Cutting-out by hand or who is a Charge Hand responsible for all work and order in the shop.

Polishers.—A Polisher of Grade I. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over employed on Polishing and not fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. or Grade III. next hereinafter respectively defined.

A Polisher of Grade II. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who has had not less than six years' experience as a Polisher and is an expert in all processes of any class of common work and can emery-bob and mop best work.

A Polisher of Grade III. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who, in addition to fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. as above defined, is also an expert in all processes of both common and best work or is a Charge Hand responsible for all work and order in the shop.

Planishers or Wheelers.—A Planisher or Wheeler of Grade I. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over employed on Planishing or Wheeling and not fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. or Grade III. next hereinafter respectively defined.

A Planisher or Wheeler of Grade II. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who has had not less than six years' experience as a Planisher or Wheeler and is an expert in all processes and is able to do good class work.

A Planisher or Wheeler of Grade III. is a Male Worker of 21 years of age or over who, in addition to fulfilling the conditions of Grade II. as above defined, is employed in making Mitred Breast Plates or Handled Plates of any design.

PART II.

PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES
(AS VARIED).

The Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates for all Male Workers of 21 years of age or over in the Coffin Furniture Section of the Trade are:—

For the Cost of Living Periods (as defined in Section I. of Part IV.) during which the Cost of Living (as defined in Section II. of Part IV.) is:

Not less than 76.

Column I.

12½ per cent. above the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable.

75 or below.

Column II.

15 per cent. above the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable.

NOTE.—In the case of workers of 21 years of age and over employed on piece-work, each piece-rate paid must be such as would yield, in the circumstances of the case to an Ordinary

worker, not less than the appropriate Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate.

In the case of Workers under 21 years of age employed on piece-work, each piece-rate paid must be such as would yield, in the circumstances of the case to an Ordinary worker, not less than the appropriate General Minimum Time-Rate.

PART III.

OVERTIME RATES FOR MALE WORKERS (ALL AGES).

SECTION I.—In accordance with Section 3 (1) (c) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board have declared the normal number of hours of work in the trade to be as follows:—

In any week (exclusive of Sunday and any Customary Public or Statutory Holidays)	47
On any day other than Saturday ...	9
On Saturday	5

Provided that All time worked on Sundays and on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays shall be regarded as Overtime to which the Overtime Rates shall apply.

SECTION II.—The Overtime Rates for Time-Workers in respect of time worked in excess of the declared normal number of hours of work in the trade are as follows:—

- (a) For all time worked on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, one-and-a-half times the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, i.e., Time-and-a-Half, and
- (b) For all time worked on Sundays, twice the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, i.e., Double-Time.
- (c) For all other Overtime worked, one-and-a-fifth times the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, i.e., Time-and-a-Fifth.

SECTION III.—The Overtime Rates for Piece-Workers in respect of time worked in excess of the declared normal number of hours of work in the trade are as follows:—

- (a) For all time worked on Sundays, piece-rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.
- (b) For all time worked on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, Piece-Rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of one-half of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.
- (c) For all other Overtime worked, piece-rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-

Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of one-fifth of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.

SECTION IV.—The Overtime Rates are payable in respect of all time worked in excess of 5 hours on a Saturday and in respect of all time worked in excess of 9 hours on any other day (not being a Sunday or Customary Public or Statutory Holiday) notwithstanding that the total number of hours worked in the week does not exceed 47.

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PART IV.

" COST OF LIVING " CLAUSES.

SECTION I.—Each " Cost of Living " period referred to in Columns I. to VI. of Part I. and in Columns I. and II. of Part II. of this Schedule, is a period from the first day of the month following the publication in the " Ministry of Labour Gazette " of a Cost of Living figure (as defined in Section II. below), within the range of percentages specified in the appropriate column until the first day of the month following the publication of a figure within the range specified in another column.

Provided that in cases where the first day of the month does not coincide with the beginning of the weekly pay period, the " Cost of Living " period shall begin or end as the case may be at the beginning of the next following weekly pay period.

SECTION II.—The Cost of Living figure specified in this Schedule is:—the average percentage increase since July 1914, in retail prices (all items) in the United Kingdom, as published each month in the " Ministry of Labour Gazette."

SECTION III.—The minimum rates set out in this Schedule are operative only during the several periods specified, or until such time as the cancellation or variation thereof may become effective.

SECTION IV.—The Minimum rates payable on the date specified by the Minister of Labour as the date for which the minimum rates shall become effective, viz., 1st January 1924, are the rates set out in Column III. of Part I. and Column I. of Part II. and Overtime Rates as specified in Part III. of this Schedule.

PART V.

The Minimum Rates of Wages set out in Parts I., II., and III. of this Schedule apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all Male Workers in Great Britain in respect of all time during which they are employed in the Coffin Furniture Section of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Coffin Furniture and Cerement-Making) Order, 1919, that is to say:—

- (a) The manufacture, wherever carried on, of Coffin Furniture from any metal by any process.
- (b) The manufacture of Cerements, including shrouds, face curtains, face cloths,

sidecloths, winding sheets, pillow covers, coffin pads, sleeves or frilling.

Including—

- (c) The operations of folding, packing, warehousing, despatching or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the manufacture of any of the above-mentioned articles.

PART VI.

SECTION I.—The General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates and Overtime Rates set out in Parts I., II., and III. of this Schedule must be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments, or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any superannuation or other provident fund.

SECTION II.—The above General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates and Overtime Rates are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages, or to agreements made, or that may be made, between employers and workers for the payment of wages in excess of these Minimum Rates of Wages.

Signed by order of the Trade Board and in pursuance of an Order of the Minister of Labour confirming the Minimum Rates of Wages as varied by the Trade Board and set out above, and specifying the dates provided in this Notice, as the dates from which they should become effective.

This 31st day of December 1923.

F. POPPLEWELL,

Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
1 Whitehall Gardens,
London, S. W. 1.

N.B.—The employment of women, young persons and children is subject to the provisions of the Factory and Workshop Acts, the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, and the Education Acts.

Every occupier of a factory or workshop or of any place used for giving out work to out-workers must, on receipt of this Notice, post up and keep posted up a sufficient number of true copies thereof in prominent positions, in every factory, workshop, or place used for giving out work in such a manner as to ensure that in each case the Notice is brought to the knowledge of all workers employed by him or on his premises who are affected thereby. Penalty for non-compliance, a fine not exceeding 40s.

Where a notice applies only to a special process in the work of the trade or a class of workers in the trade or a class of workers in a special process, an occupier shall be under no obligation to post or keep posted such notice so long as no workers are employed by him or on his premises to whom any of the rates set out in the notice are applicable.

PART I.—*continued.*

		General Minimum Time-Rates.	
		Per week of 47 hours.	
		Workers of 18 and under 21 years of age.	Workers of 21 years of age and over.
		s. d.	s. d.
5.	Workers of 18 years of age and over:—		
(a)	Workers who have had less than three years' experience in the class of work in which they are employed	24 0	25 0
(b)	Workers who have had not less than three years' experience in the class of work in which they are employed	26 0	27 0

SECTION IV.

(a) For Female Workers employed in PACKING, WAREHOUSING, DESPATCHING, or other Operations incidental to or appertaining to the manufacture wherever carried on of Coffin Furniture from any metal by any process; and

(b) For all Female Workers employed in the Coffin Furniture Section of the Trade other than those already specified in Sections I., II., III. and IVa.

		General Minimum Time-Rates.	
		Per week of 47 hours.	
		s.	d.
1.	Workers under 15 years of age	11	0
2.	Workers of 15 and under 16 years of age	13	0
3.	“ “ 16 “ “ 17 “ “	15	0
4.	“ “ 17 “ “ 18 “ “	18	0

		General Minimum Time-Rates.	
		Per week of 47 hours.	
		Workers of 18 and under 21 years of age.	Workers of 21 years of age and over.
		s. d.	s. d.
5.	Workers of 18 years of age and over:—		
(a)	Workers who have had less than three years' experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	23 6	24 6
(b)	Workers who have had not less than three years' experience in the work on which they are employed or similar work	25 6	26 6

The expression “ similar work ” in this Section includes light stamped or pressed metal work as included within the scope of the Stamped or Pressed Metal Wares Trade Board (Great Britain) and the following trades:—Builders, Cabinet, Brass Foundry, Electro Plate and Silver Plate and other similar trades.

SECTION V.

All the above Weekly Minimum Rates are based on a week of 47 hours, and are subject to a proportionate adjustment according as the time spent in the factory or workshop in any week under contract of employment is less than 47 hours.

CEREMENT-MAKING SECTION OF THE TRADE.

SECTION VI.

FOR ALL FEMALE WORKERS (other than Pinkers and Choppers), including workers employed on FOLDING, PACKING, WAREHOUSING, DESPATCHING, or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the manufacture of articles in the Cerement-Making section of the Trade:—

		General Minimum Time-Rates.	
		A.—Operative only from 1st January 1924 until 30th June 1924, inclusive.	B.—Operative as from 1st July 1924.
		Per hour.	Per hour.
		d.	d.
A.—Workers under 18 years of age:—			
1.	Workers under 14½ years of age	2	2
Workers of—			
2.	14½ and under 15 years of age	2¼	2¼
3.	15 “ 15½ “ “	2½	2½
4.	15½ “ 16 “ “	2¾	2¾
5.	16 “ 16½ “ “	4	3¾
6.	16½ “ 17 “ “	4¾	4½
7.	17 “ 17½ “ “	5¼	5
8.	17½ “ 18 “ “	6	5¾

PART I.—*continued.*

General Minimum Time-Rates.	
A.—Operative only from 1st January 1924 until 30th June 1923, inclusive.	B.—Operative as from 1st July 1924.
Per hour. d.	Per hour. d.

Provided that female workers entering the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade for the first time between the ages of 16 and 18 years may be employed during the first twelve months at a minimum rate which is *1d. per hour less* than the minimum rate otherwise applicable.

B. Workers of 18 years of age or over:—

9. Workers of 18 and under 21 years of age:—

(a) Who have had less than 1 year's experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	6	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
(b) Who have had 1 year's and less than 2 years' experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6
(c) Who have had not less than 2 years' experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$

10. Workers of 21 years of age or over:—

(a) Who have had less than 1 year's experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	6	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
(b) Who have had 1 year's and less than 2 years' experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
(c) Who have had not less than 2 years' experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$

Provided that with respect to workers of 24 years of age or over who have had not less than 4 years' experience in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade the minimum rate payable shall be

7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$
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SECTION VII.

PINKERS.—The General Minimum Time-Rates for Female Pinkers shall be those set out in Section VI. above *with the addition thereto of 1d. per hour* in each case.

SECTION VIII.

CHOPPERS.—The General Minimum Time-Rates for Female Choppers shall be those set out in Section VI. above, *with the addition thereto of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour* in each case.

SECTION IX.

For the purpose of the minimum rates set out in this Schedule:—

- (a) HEAVY HAND PRESS WORKERS are workers employed on Hand Press work on any blank the largest diameter of which is 7 inches or over and the thickness of the material of which is 48-1000ths of an inch or over.
- (b) LIGHT HAND PRESS WORKERS are workers employed on any Hand Press work other than that included under paragraph (a) above.

PART II.

PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES FOR FEMALE WORKERS.

COFFIN FURNITURE SECTION OF THE TRADE.

SECTION I.—The Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates for Female Piece-Workers of 18 years of age and over in the Coffin Furniture Section of the Trade shall be 15 per cent. above the appropriate General Minimum Time-Rate as set out in Sections I., II., III., and IV. of Part I. of this Schedule.

CEREMENT-MAKING SECTION OF THE TRADE.

SECTION II.—The Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates for Female Piece-Workers of 18 years of age and over in the Cerement-Making Section of the Trade shall be *1d. per hour higher* than the appropriate General Minimum Time-Rate as set out in Sections VI., VII., and VIII. of Part I. of this Schedule.

In cases where a worker is employed on

Piece-Work each Piece-Rate paid must be such as would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an Ordinary worker not less than the appropriate Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate or, in the case of female workers under 18 years of age, not less than the appropriate General Minimum Time-Rate.

PART III.

OVERTIME RATES FOR FEMALE WORKERS (ALL AGES).

SECTION I.—In accordance with Section 3 (1) (c) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board have declared the normal number of hours of work in the trade to be as follows:—

In any week (exclusive of Sunday and any Customary Public or Statutory Holidays)	47
On any day other than Saturday	9
On Saturday	5

Provided that All time worked on Sundays and on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays shall be regarded as Overtime to which the Overtime Rates shall apply.

SECTION II.—The Overtime Rates for Time-Workers in respect of time worked in excess of the declared normal number of hours of work in the trade are as follows:—

- (a) For all time worked on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, one-and-a-half times the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, *i.e.*, Time-and-a-Half, and
- (b) For all time worked on Sundays, twice the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, *i.e.*, Double-Time.
- (c) For all other Overtime worked, one-and-a-fifth times the General Minimum Time-Rate otherwise applicable, *i.e.*, Time-and-a-Fifth.

SECTION III.—The Overtime Rates for Piece-Workers in respect of time worked in excess of the declared normal number of hours of work in the trade are as follows:—

- (a) For all time worked on Sundays, Piece-Rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.
- (b) For all time worked on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, Piece-Rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed, the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of one-half of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.
- (c) For all other overtime worked, Piece-Rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate applicable, or where no Piece-Work Basis Time-Rate has been fixed, the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable, with the addition in either case of one-fifth of the General Minimum Time-Rate applicable as set out above.

SECTION IV.—The Overtime Rates are payable in respect of all time worked in excess of 5 hours on a Saturday and in respect of all time worked in excess of 9 hours on any other day (not being a Sunday or Customary Public or Statutory Holiday) notwithstanding that the total number of hours worked in the week does not exceed 47.

PART IV.

The respective Minimum Rates of Wages set out in Parts I., II., and III. of this Schedule apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all female workers in Great Britain in respect of all time during which they are employed in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Coffin

Furniture and Cerement-Making) Order, 1919, that is to say:—

- (a) The manufacture, wherever carried on, of Coffin Furniture from any metal by any process.
- (b) The manufacture of Cerements, including shrouds, face curtains, face cloths, side-cloths, winding sheets, pillow covers, coffin pads, sleeves or frilling.

Including—

- (c) The operations of folding, packing, warehousing, despatching or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the manufacture of any of the above-mentioned articles.

PART V.

SECTION I.—The above Minimum Rates of Wages must be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments, or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any Superannuation or other Provident Fund.

SECTION II.—The above Minimum Rates of Wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages or to agreements made or that may be made between employers and workers for the payment of wages in excess of the Minimum Rates.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board and in pursuance of an Order of the Minister of Labour confirming the Minimum Rates of Wages as varied by the Trade Board and set out above, and specifying the dates provided in this Notice as the dates from which they should become effective.

This 31st day of December 1923.

F. POPPLEWELL,

Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
1 Whitehall Gardens,
London, S.W.

N.B.—The employment of Female Workers, young persons and children is subject to the provisions of the Factory and Workshop Acts, the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, and the Education Acts.

Every occupier of a factory or workshop or of any place used for giving out work to out-workers must, on receipt of this Notice, post up and keep posted up, a sufficient number of true copies thereof in Prominent Positions in the factory, workshop or place used for giving out work, in such a manner as to ensure that in each case the Notice is brought to the knowledge of all workers employed by him; or on his premises who are affected thereby. Penalty for non-compliance, a fine not exceeding 40s. Where a notice applies only to a special process in the work of the trade or a class of workers in the trade or a class of workers in a special process, an occupier shall be under no obligation to post or keep posted such notice so long as no workers are employed by him or on his premises to whom any of the rates set out in the Notice are applicable.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 28TH DECEMBER 1923.)

RENFREWSHIRE AND DISTRICT (FOOT-
AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF
1923 (No. 11).

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Further Extension of Controlled Area.

1. The Renfrewshire and District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 6) and any Order amending that Order shall be read and have effect as if the Area described in the Schedule hereto were included in and formed part of the Controlled Area described in the Schedule to the first mentioned Order.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

Short Title.

3. This Order may be cited as the RENFREWSHIRE AND DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1923 (No. 11) and shall be read with the Orders referred to in Article 1.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-eighth day of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-three.



J. JACKSON,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Area added to Controlled Area.

An Area comprising:—

In the county of Stirling.

The parish of Buchanan, and such parts of the parish of Drymen as are not already included in the Controlled Area.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 28TH DECEMBER 1923.)

FIFE AND PERTSHIRE DISTRICT
(FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER
OF 1923 (No. 6).

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested

in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Meaning of Terms.

1. In this Order:—

The "Controlled Area" means the Area described in the Schedule hereto in which the movement of animals is hereby controlled. If any farm (excluding any detached part) is partly within and partly outside the Controlled Area the whole shall be deemed to be within that Area.

"Animals" means cattle, sheep, goats and pigs.

"Slaughterhouse" means premises used habitually and solely for the purpose of slaughtering animals, but does not include a slaughterhouse which forms part of a farm.

Restrictions in Force in the Controlled Area.

2.—(a) No animal shall be moved out of the Controlled Area, except as provided in Article 3 of this Order.

(b) No animal shall be moved without a licence under Article 3 of this Order

(i.) into the Controlled Area; or

(ii.) along or across any road or other highway or by water within the Controlled Area.

(c) No animals shall be permitted by the owner or person in charge thereof to stray upon any road or other highway in the Controlled Area.

(d) No market, sale or exhibition of animals shall be held in the Controlled Area, except a market or sale of fat animals intended for immediate slaughter, or a sale of animals on farm premises. A licence must be obtained from the Local Authority to hold any such market or sale, and a Veterinary Inspector of the Local Authority shall attend and examine the animals exposed thereat. No licence shall be granted for the holding of any such market or sale on any premises within a radius of five miles from any place infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

(e) No slaughterhouse manure or refuse shall be moved out of the Controlled Area or be brought into contact with animals in such Area.

Movement of Animals by Licence into, within, or out of the Controlled Area.

3. Licences may be granted by an Inspector of a Local Authority for the following movement of animals only:—

(a) From premises outside the Controlled Area to a slaughterhouse in the Controlled Area;

(b) From premises outside the Controlled Area to a farm in the Controlled Area;

(c) From a farm in the Controlled Area to a licensed fat stock market or fat stock sale in such Area;

(d) From a licensed fat stock market or sale in the Controlled Area or from a farm or other premises in the Controlled Area, to a slaughterhouse in such Area;

(e) From one farm to another in the Controlled Area or between different parts of the same farm in such Area, if the Inspector considers the movement to be necessary or expedient. (These licences may be made

available for movement as often as required if the Inspector endorses the licence "Occupation Licence.")

(f) From a licensed fat stock market or sale in the Controlled Area or from a farm in that area to any public slaughterhouse in the Controlled Area to which the Renfrewshire and District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 6) for the time being applies. In the case of such movement the licence shall be granted by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the district in which the slaughterhouse is situated, and shall not be available unless and until it is countersigned by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the district in which the movement commences.

Provided that no licence shall be granted under this Article for (i.) the movement of any animal on a road within a radius of two miles from any place infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease, or (ii.) the movement of animals from any premises to any farm for the purpose of sale at a licensed farm sale.

Conditions of Licence.

4.—(a) Licences may be granted only by an Inspector of the Local Authority in whose district the movement commences, except where otherwise expressly stated and also except in the case of movement from premises outside the Controlled Area to a destination in such Area, in which case the licence shall be granted by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the district in which the place of destination is situate;

(b) Licences shall not permit movement on any road within a radius of two miles of a Foot-and-Mouth Infected Place, or movement out of the Controlled Area, in order to reach a destination in that Area;

(c) Occupation Licences may be withdrawn at any time by a notice served by an Inspector of the Local Authority on the person to whom such licence was granted;

(d) Licences, other than Occupation Licences, must be delivered up at or sent by post to the nearest Police Station, or to an Officer of the Local Authority, immediately after completion of the movement;

(e) Licences, other than Occupation Licences, shall only be available for four days, including the day of issue, and shall accompany the animals throughout the movement;

(f) Animals, while being moved with a licence under this Order, shall be moved as far as practicable by the nearest available route, and without avoidable delay, to the place of destination specified in the licence, and not elsewhere, and shall be kept separate, as far as practicable, from all other animals;

(g) Copies of licences authorising movement into the district of another Local Authority shall be sent by the Inspector issuing such licences to such other Local Authority.

(h) Licences shall be produced by the person in charge of the animals moved therewith on demand to an Inspector or to a Constable, and such person shall, if required by such Officer, give his name and address.

Movement through Controlled Area by Railway Permitted.

5. This Order shall not prevent the move-

ment of animals direct by railway through the Controlled Area if the animals are not untrucked within the Area.

Animals for Slaughter to be Marked.

6.—(a) Animals moved to a slaughterhouse in accordance with a licence under this Order shall be detained at such slaughterhouse until they are slaughtered;

(b) Before movement commences all such animals shall be marked as follows:—

Cattle.—A broad arrow six inches long clipped on the left hind-quarter and the hair clipped off the end of the tail.

Sheep.—A broad arrow clipped on the forehead and a letter M six inches long painted or stamped with red or blue adhesive composition on both sides of each sheep.

Pigs.—Letter M painted or stamped on both sides of the pig with red or blue adhesive composition.

Power to Reduce Time Limit for Slaughter of Animals.

7. Where any animals are moved with a licence under this Order to a slaughterhouse the Local Authority of the district in which the slaughterhouse is situated may, if they think fit, require the animals to be slaughtered within a less period than 96 hours from the time of their arrival at the slaughterhouse.

Closing of Footpaths and Premises.

8.—(1) An Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority may (notwithstanding the existence of any footpath or right of way) prohibit the entry of any person into any field, shed or other place in the Controlled Area by giving notice in writing to that effect to the occupier. In such cases the owner of the animals in such places, or his agents, or servants, may enter for the sole purpose of feeding or tending the animals, but no other persons shall enter any such place until such notice has been withdrawn by a further notice from an Inspector, unless he has obtained a licence to do so from an Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority.

(2) Copies of such notices shall be affixed or exhibited by the Inspector in such manner as he may think desirable for ensuring notification of the restrictions thereby imposed.

(3) Copies of such notices, when served, shall be sent to the Ministry.

Control of Dogs and Poultry.

9.—(1) An Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority may, by a written notice served upon the occupier of any premises in the Controlled Area on which dogs or poultry are kept, require such occupier to keep such dogs or poultry under such control as may be prescribed in the notice, or to confine them to any specified part of the premises.

(2) Copies of such notices, when served, shall be sent to the Ministry.

Local Authority to enforce Order.

10. This Order shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Offences.

11. Any contravention of this Order or of any notice served thereunder, shall be deemed to be an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, and renders the offender liable to prosecution.

Revocation of Previous Orders.

12. The Fife and Perthshire District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 3) and the Fife and Perthshire District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Orders of 1923 (Nos. 4 and 5) are hereby revoked.

Commencement.

13. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

Short Title.

14. This Order may be cited as the FIFE AND PERTHSHIRE DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1923 (No. 6).

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-eighth day of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-three.



J. JACKSON,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Controlled Area.

An Area comprising:—

The counties of Clackmannan, Fife, Linlithgow and Kinross, including all burghs geographically situated therein.

In the county of Perth.

The parishes of Glendevon, Muckart, Dron, Arngask, Dunning, Forteviot, Forgandenny, Dunbarney, Abernethy and Rhynd.

In the county of Stirling.

The burghs of Stirling and Falkirk.

The parishes of Logie, Airth, Grangemouth, Muiravonside, Slamannan, Falkirk, Larbert, Dunipace, Denny, St. Ninians, Stirling, Garraunock and Kippen.

In the county of Midlothian.

The parishes of West Calder, Mid-Calder, Kirknewton, Ratho and Kirkliston.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES

(DATED 28TH DECEMBER 1923.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE: INFECTED PLACE.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested

in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

The premises mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby declared to be a place infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-eighth day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.



W. P. SMART,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Limits of Infected Place.

The farm holding known as Upper Darnley Farm, in the occupation of William Strang, in the parish of Eastwood, in the county of Renfrew.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 28TH DECEMBER 1923.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE: INFECTED PLACE.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

The premises mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby declared to be a place infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-eighth day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.



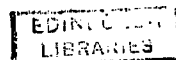
W. P. SMART,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Limits of Infected Place.

The holding known as Meikle Drumquharn, in the occupation of James Davidson, in the parish of Killearn, in the county of Stirling.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.



ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 30TH DECEMBER 1923.)

ABERDEENSHIRE AND DISTRICT
(FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER
OF 1923 (No. 4).

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Alteration of Controlled Area.

1. The Aberdeenshire and District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 2) shall be read and have effect as if the Controlled Area described in the Schedule hereto were substituted for the Controlled Area described in the Schedule to that Order.

Revocation.

2. The Aberdeenshire and District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 3) is hereby revoked.

Short Title.

3. This Order may be cited as the **ABERDEENSHIRE AND DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1923 (No. 4).**

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this thirtieth day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

L. S.

J. JACKSON,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

*Area to which this Order applies.**Controlled Area.*

An area comprising:—

In the county of Aberdeen.

The parishes of Methlick, New Deer, Old Deer, Strichen, Rathen, Fraserburgh, Pitsligo, Tyrie, Aberdour, King Edward, Monquhitter, Turriff, Auchterless, Fyvie, Drumblade, and Forgue, and such parts of the parishes of Gartly, Huntly, and Cairnie as lie to the east of the railway from Inch via Huntly to Banff.

In the county of Banff.

The parishes of Inverkeithny, Rothiemay, Marnoch, Ordiquhill, Fordyce, Boyndie, Banff, Alvah, Forglan, and Gamrie.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 31ST DECEMBER 1923.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE:
INFECTED PLACE.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

The premises mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby declared to be a place infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

L. S.

W. P. SMART,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Limits of Infected Place.

The whole of the buildings and land known as Avonbank Farm, in the occupation of Robert Hutchison, in the parish of Muiravonside, in the county of Stirling.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 31ST DECEMBER 1923.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE:
INFECTED PLACES.

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

The several premises mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby declared to be places infected with Foot-and-Mouth Disease.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

L. S.

W. P. SMART,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Limits of Infected Places.

1. The farm buildings of Dumbarnie and the Steading Park adjoining thereto, in the occupation of John Howie, in the parish of Newburn, in the county of Fife.
2. The holding of Blackley Hill, in the occupation of David Anderson, in the parish of Kolconquhar, in the county of Fife.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 31ST DECEMBER 1923.)

RENFREWSHIRE AND DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1923 (No. 12).

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1922, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Further Extension of Controlled Area.

1. The Renfrewshire and District (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1923 (No. 6), and any Order amending that Order, shall be read and have effect as if the Area described in the Schedule hereto were included in and formed part of the Controlled Area described in the Schedule to the first-mentioned Order.

Short Title.

4. This Order may be cited as the RENFREWSHIRE AND DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1923 (No. 12), and shall be read with the Orders referred to in Article 1.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

L. S.

J. JACKSON,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Area added to Controlled Area.

An Area comprising:—

In the county of Peebles.

The parishes of West Linton, Newlands, Lyne, Kirkurd, Skirling, Stobo, Manor, Drumelzier, Broughton Glenholm and Kilbucho, and Tweedsmuir, and

In the county of Lanark.

The parish of Crawford.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4 Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.

**PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 AND 1919.**

Application for Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given that application has been made for the restoration of the Patent granted to Frederick Robert Morgan for an invention entitled "Improvements in creep anchors for railway and like rails" numbered 126257 (482 of 1919) and bearing date the 7th day of January 1919, which expired on the 7th day of January 1923, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee.

Any person may give notice of opposition to the restoration by leaving Patents Form No. 17 at the Patent Office, 25 Southampton Buildings, London, W.C. 2, on or before the 28th day of February 1924.

W. TEMPLE FRANKS,
Comptroller-General.

**DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,
1894 to 1914.**

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SCHEDULED DISEASES in SCOTLAND which have been confirmed by, or notified to, the Ministry during the week ended 29th December 1923:—

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen ...	1	1	—	—	—
Ayr ...	1	1	—	—	—
Banff ...	1	1	—	—	—
East Lothian ...	1	1	—	—	—
Fife ...	1	1	—	—	—
Forfar ...	1	1	—	—	—
Lanark ...	1	—	—	—	—
Perth ...	3	3	—	—	—
Wigtown ...	1	1	—	—	—
TOTAL ...	11	10	—	—	—

PARASITIC MANGE.*

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
		No.
Lanark ...	2	3
Perth ...	1	1
TOTAL ...	3	4

* Excluding outbreaks in Army horses.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS—Continued.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.
	No.
Ayr	—
Dumbarton	—
Fife	2
Lanark	3
Renfrew	—
Stirling	2
TOTAL	8

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
1st January 1924.

SHEEP SCAB MOVEMENT AREAS.

The following Areas in Scotland are now "Movement Areas" for the purposes of Part I. of the Sheep (Double Dipping) Order of 1920:—

Inverness.—(1) An Area comprising the islands known as the Outer Hebrides (*except the islands of St. Kilda, Dune, Soay, and Boreray*), in the County of Inverness.

(2) An Area in the County of Inverness, comprising the islands known as Skye or Inner Hebrides.

Ross and Cromarty.—An Area comprising the Island of Lewis, including the smaller island adjacent thereto, in the county of Ross and Cromarty.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN, per Hundred-weight of 112 imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ended 29th December 1923, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
WHEAT	Cwts. 252,726	9	8
BARLEY	269,406	10	4
OATS	46,758	9	2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1913 to 1922.

Corresponding Week in	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.					
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1913	209,653	210,643	41,607	7	2	7	3	6	7
1914	221,550	189,846	67,715	10	9	8	3	9	6
1915	334,196	138,529	83,084	13	0	13	4	11	3
1916	255,771	132,643	47,872	17	8	18	7	16	11
1917	145,513	129,932	21,411	16	7	16	2	16	3
1918	72,557	102,943	16,815	16	10	17	5	17	5
1919	121,213	94,021	16,650	16	11	30	0	20	8
1920	79,526	163,507	16,898	19	9	20	6	14	10
1921	159,411	69,496	29,590	10	4	12	9	10	1
1922	272,353	217,661	37,117	9	5	9	6	9	6

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section (2) of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The above prices are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week named. They represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the preceding week.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
Whitehall Place, London, S.W. 1.
29th December 1923.

E. B. SHINE,
Assistant Secretary.

STATEMENT showing what has been during SEVEN YEARS, ending Christmas Day, 1923, the Average Price of a cwt. of 112 Imperial lbs. of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY and OATS, computed from the Weekly Averages of CORN RETURNS pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
15	5	16	6	15	3

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
December 31, 1923.

H. L. FRENCH.

NOTE.—The Value of £100 Tithe Rent-charge for the Year 1924, as fixed by the Tithe Act, 1918, will be £109 3s. 11d.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per cwt. of 112 Imperial lbs., for the QUARTER ending Christmas, 1923, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
9	4	10	6	8	10

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
December 31, 1923.

H. L. FRENCH.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of a cwt. of 112 Imperial lbs. of BRITISH CORN, for the YEAR ending Christmas 1923, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
9	10	9	5	9	7

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
December 31, 1923.

H. L. FRENCH.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, for the YEARS 1913 to 1923, of the Quantities Sold and the Average Prices per cwt. of 112 Imperial lbs. of BRITISH CORN as returned under the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

YEAR.	QUANTITIES SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.			
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>		
1913	10,762,701	10,531,893	1,780,902	7	5	7	7	6	10
1914	12,977,040	12,153,829	3,243,577	8	2	7	7	7	6
1915	13,822,277	9,114,743	3,291,266	12	4	10	5	10	10
1916	15,430,247	7,793,636	3,145,339	13	7	15	0	12	0
1917	10,226,554	8,632,021	2,292,843	17	8	18	1	17	11
1918	10,646,614	6,681,289	1,248,872	17	0	16	6	17	9
1919	13,050,553	11,117,350	1,883,137	17	0	21	2	18	9
1920	11,710,654	10,015,007	2,079,221	18	10	25	0	20	5
1921	13,719,326	11,460,418	2,308,875	16	8	14	7	12	3
1922	17,079,390	3,608,929	2,580,438	11	2	11	2	10	5
1923	16,047,131	12,736,138	2,672,790	9	10	9	5	9	7

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
December 31, 1923.

H. L. FRENCH.

CURRENCY NOTES.

(4 & 5 Geo. V., cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Total issued up to 24th December 1923, inclusive—				Total cancelled or called in up to			
£1 notes	2,250,321,616	0	0	24th December 1923, inclusive—			
10/- notes	626,236,071	10	0	£1 notes	2,017,805,406	0	0
Currency notes certificates	177,160,000	0	0	10/- notes	583,451,329	0	0
				Currency notes certificates	154,820,000	0	0
Issued during the week ended 2nd January 1924—				Cancelled or called in during the			
£1 notes	6,266,764	0	0	week ended 2nd January 1924—			
10/- notes	1,467,217	10	0	£1 notes	10,526,369	0	0
Currency notes certificates	40,000	0	0	10/- notes	2,294,566	0	0
				Currency notes certificates	1,330,000	0	0
				TOTAL	2,770,227,670	0	0
				Outstanding—			
				£1 notes	228,256,605	0	0
				10/- notes	41,957,394	0	0
				Currency notes certificates	21,050,000	0	0
				TOTAL	291,263,999	0	0
				TOTAL	£3,061,491,669	0	0

II.—BALANCE SHEET.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes outstanding	270,213,999	0	0	Currency Note Redemption Account—			
Certificates outstanding	21,050,000	0	0	Bank of England Notes	22,450,000	0	0
Notes called in but not yet cancelled	1,427,910	10	0	Gold Coin and Bullion	27,000,000	0	0
				Silver Coin	7,000,000	0	0
Investments Reserve Account	12,605,469	1	8	Government Securities	248,687,908	18	10
				Balance at the Bank of England	159,469	12	10
				TOTAL	£305,297,378	11	8

Treasury Chambers, 3rd January 1924.

N. F. WARREN FISHER, Secretary to the Treasury.

STEVENS & SONS (GLASGOW) LIMITED
(in Voluntary Liquidation).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held within the North British Station Hotel, George Square, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 12th day of December 1923, the following Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 31st day of December 1923, the same Resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that James Deakin, Signal Manufacturer, Glasgow, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator.”

(Signed) SCOTT & BROWNIE, Writers,
Glasgow, Law Agents.

115 Wellington Street, Glasgow,
3rd January 1924.

STEVENS & SONS (GLASGOW) LIMITED
(in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of Stevens & Sons (Glasgow) Ltd., 338 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, will, in terms of the 188th Section of the Companies Consolidation Act (1908), be held within the Office of the Company at 338 Maryhill Road, Glasgow, on the 16th day of January 1924, at 2.30 o'clock afternoon. All persons having claims against the Company are requested to lodge same with the Liquidator forthwith.

(Signed) JAMES DEAKIN, Liquidator.

NOTE.—This Notice is given to comply with the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908. All Creditors have been or will be paid in full.

338 Maryhill Road, Glasgow,
3rd January 1924.

In the Matter of THE “DAILY RECORD”
(GLASGOW) LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at Geraldine House, Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane, in the City of London, on the fourteenth day of December 1923, the following Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the thirty-first day of December 1923, such Resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Arthur S. Jecks, of 24 Austin Friars, London, E.C. 2, and Sir Samuel Hardman Lever, of 18 St. Swithin's Lane, London, E.C. 4, be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.”

WALTER LIMA, Chairman.

1st January 1924.

THE “DAILY RECORD” (GLASGOW)
LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held at Geraldine House, Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane, London, E.C., on Thursday the seventeenth day of January 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purposes provided for in the said Section; and notice is hereby given that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the fifteenth day of February 1924 to send in their names and addresses with particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Mr. Arthur S. Jecks and Sir Hardman Lever, the Liquidators of the said Company, to 18 St. Swithin's Lane, London, E.C., and if so required by notice in writing by the said Liquidators are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice,

or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this first day of January 1924.

JOHNSON, JECKS, & COLCLOUGH, 24
Austin Friars, London, E.C. 2,
Solicitors for the Liquidators.

NOTE.—The above Meeting is only convened to comply with the provisions of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, as all admitted liabilities have been or will be paid in full.

THE BRITISH HYDRAULIC FOUNDRY
COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held within the Accountants' Hall, 218 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on the 14th day of December 1923, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held within the Accountants' Hall, 218 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on the 29th day of December 1923, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

RESOLUTION REFERRED TO.

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Robert Macfarlan, C.A., of Messrs. Kerr, MacLeod, & Macfarlan, 149 West George Street, Glasgow, the Auditors of the Company, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the Creditors of The British Hydraulic Foundry Company Limited (in Liquidation) will be held within the Offices of Messrs. Kerr, MacLeod, & Macfarlan, C.A., 149 West George Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 18th day of January 1924, at 12 noon.

ROBERT MACFARLAN, C.A., Liquidator.

149 West George Street, Glasgow,
31st December 1923.

GARRON AND FORTH SHIPPING COMPANY
LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 188, Sub-section (1) of the Companies Consolidation Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above Company will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. D. Macdonald Browne & Co., C.A., 3 Coates Crescent, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 16th day of January 1924, at 3 o'clock afternoon.

D. MACDONALD BROWNE, Liquidator.

3rd January 1924.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles, at the instance of Walter Scott, Spice and Sausage Skin Manufacturer, 98 Barrack Street, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of B. LEBOVITS, Butcher, Slaughterhouse, Musselburgh, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said B. Lebovits to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

SIMPSON & MARWICK, W.S., Agents.

18 Heriot Row, Edinburgh,
2nd January 1924.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Robert Lamb, Sawmiller, Packing Case Maker, &c., Logie Green Works, Beaverhall, Edinburgh, for Sequestration of the Estates of GEORGE STEPHEN, Fishcurer, residing at 19 Marischal Street, Peterhead, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said George Stephen to appear in Court on the seventh day next after

citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

BALFOUR & MANSON, S.S.C., 24 Castle Street, Edinburgh.

29th December 1923.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, at Glasgow, at the instance of The Staveley Coal and Iron Company Limited, near Chesterfield, England, for Sequestration of the Estates of **WILLIAM WILSON & COMPANY**, Quarrymasters, 21 Hope Street, Glasgow, and William Wilson and Ronald Wilson, Quarrymasters, of 21 Hope Street aforesaid, Partners of the said Firm of William Wilson & Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, the Sheriff-Substitute, on the 3rd day of January 1924, granted Warrant for citing the said William Wilson & Company and William Wilson and Ronald Wilson to appear in Court on an *induciae* of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration of their Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

WEST, ANDERSON, & RANKIN, Solicitors, 180 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agents for the Petitioners.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Perthshire, at Perth, at the instance of W. S. Ferguson & Company Limited, Chemical Manure Manufacturers, having their Registered Office at the Perthshire Chemical Manure Works, Friarton, Perth, for Sequestration of the Estates of **FRANK SALMOND HENDERSON**, sometime Farmer, Maryfield, Blairgowrie, presently residing at The Croft, Blairgowrie, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Frank Salmond Henderson to appear in Court on the seventh day after citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; and his Lordship further appointed David Aitchison Coates, Solicitor, Perth, as Judicial Factor on the Estates of the said Frank Salmond Henderson, in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913, Section 14; of all which Intimation is hereby made.

WILLIAM MUNRO, Solicitor, 5 St. John Street, Perth, Agent for Petitioners.

2nd January 1924.

SEQUESTRATION of **ANDREW MARR**, residing at 84 Hawthornvale, Trinity, Leith.

CHARLES JOHN MUNRO, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and David Mathieson, Solicitor, Leith, Alexander Fowler Hay, Solicitor, 31 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, and Christopher Williamson, Writer, 344 Easter Road, Leith, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 10th day of January 1924, at 2 p.m. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Friday the 18th day of January 1924, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A., Trustee.
Edinburgh, 4th January 1924.

SEQUESTRATION of **ALEXANDER FORDYCE BURKE**, Solicitor, Dundee, and residing at Dunnichen, near Forfar.

CHARLES JOHN MUNRO, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Urquhart Nicol, a Partner of D. & J. Nicol, Shipbrokers, 18 Dock Street, Dundee, Charles Clark Duncan, Solicitor, Dundee, and John Grafton Lawson, Solicitor, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Forfar, on Friday the 11th day of

January 1924, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 22nd day of January 1924, at twelve o'clock noon.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A., Trustee.
Edinburgh, 4th January 1924.

SEQUESTRATION of **Mrs. EUPHEMIA W. BURKE**, of Dunnichen, near Forfar, Wife of Alexander Fordyce Burke, Solicitor, residing with her there.

CHARLES JOHN MUNRO, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and George Dargie Scott, Managing Director of Scott & Graham Limited, Forfar, Charles Clark Duncan, Solicitor, Dundee, and John Grafton Lawson, Solicitor, Dundee, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Forfar, on Friday the 11th day of January 1924, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 22nd day of January 1924, at eleven-thirty o'clock forenoon.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A., Trustee.
Edinburgh, 4th January 1924.

SEQUESTRATION of **GEORGE MILLAR**, Grocer, 31 Main Street, Newhaven, Edinburgh.

WILLIAM M'INTOSH, Accountant, 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and James Clarkson, 90 St. Andrew Street, Leith, John Adam Turnbull Tait, 18 Bristo Street, Edinburgh, and John Fraser, 19 Arch, Gordon Street, Leith, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, George IV. Bridge, Edinburgh, on Friday the 11th day of January 1924, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 23rd day of January 1924, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

WM. M'INTOSH, Trustee.
Edinburgh, 4th January 1924.

In the **SUMMARY SEQUESTRATION** of Miss **JANE MELDRUM**, sometime carrying on business as a Lodging House Keeper at 13 Victoria Street, Rothesay, and thereafter residing at Edenbeg, North Bute, by Port Bannatyne.

I JOHN WISHART, Accountant, 138 Bath Street, Glasgow, hereby given notice that I have been duly elected and confirmed Trustee; and that Susan Halliday or Spence, wife of and residing with John Spence, sometime at 125 George Street, Scotstoun, Glasgow, thereafter at 13 Victoria Street, Rothesay, and now at 134 Great Hamilton Street, Glasgow, has been elected and confirmed a Commissioner; that the Sheriff has fixed the tenth day of January next, within the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Rothesay, at eleven o'clock forenoon, as a Diet for the Public Examination of the Bankrupt; that the second Meeting of Creditors will be held within my Chambers, 138 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Friday the eighth day of February next, at three o'clock afternoon, and that to entitle Creditors to participate in the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged with me on or before 17th January 1924.

JNO. WISHART, Trustee.

To the Creditors of **ALEXANDER FIFE ROBB**, residing at 425 Brook Street, Broughty Ferry, Dundee (now believed to be residing at Brownings Temperance Hotel, 7 Crichton Street, Dundee).

I GEORGE ELLIOT TELFER, residing at "Titensor," Stirling Road, Stannergate, Dundee, Creditor on the Sequestered Estates of the said

Alexander Fife Robb, do hereby intimate that the Sheriff-Substitute of Forfarshire, at Dundee, has appointed a General Meeting of the Creditors on the said Estates to be held within The Royal British Hotel, Dundee, on the fourteenth day of January current (1924), at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a new Trustee in room of Robert Bain Smith, Chartered Accountant, 13 Albert Square, Dundee, deceased.

G. E. TELFER, Creditor above-named and designed.

Dundee, 2nd January 1924.

THE Firm of STRAIN & ROBERTSON, Civil Engineers, 154 West George Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the only Partners, was DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, at 31st December 1923, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Robert Robertson.

The Subscribers William Foulis and Norman Cressy Bridge will continue the Business under the present Firm name of STRAIN & ROBERTSON, at the same address, for their own behoof. They are authorised to collect the whole assets and will discharge the whole liabilities of the dissolved Firm.

ROBERT ROBERTSON.

WM. FOULIS.

NORMAN C. BRIDGE.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said Robert Robertson, William Foulis, and Norman Cressy Bridge—

WARREN CROSBIE, 30 George Square, Glasgow, Solicitor.

J. WILSON MILLER, 154 West George Street, Glasgow, Engineer.

Glasgow, 3rd January 1924.

NOTICE OF RETIRAL.

THE Subscriber Donald Morrison, one of the Partners of MORRISON & NICOL, Fruiterers and Confectioners, four hundred and forty-one Shields Road, Glasgow, has retired from the Firm, and the date of his retiral has by arrangement been fixed as at the twenty-second day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

The Business will be continued by the other Partner, Miss Effie Nicol, in her own name.

D. MORRISON.

E. NICOL.

GEO. M. OLIPHANT, 41 West George Street, Glasgow, Law Clerk, Witness.

JAMES M. MACKELLAR, 41 West George Street, Glasgow, Law Apprentice, Witness.

3rd January 1924.

THE Copartnership of JAMES BOARDMAN, Die Sinkers, fifty-five Charlotte Lane, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers Frederick Thomas Campbell and Edwin Gordon Campbell were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED by the retiral therefrom, on thirty-first December nineteen hundred and twenty-three, of Edwin Gordon Campbell.

The other Subscriber Frederick Thomas Campbell, as now sole Partner of the Firm, will carry on the Business at the same address under the same Firm, for his own behoof, and he will collect all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

FRED. T. CAMPBELL.

EDWIN G. CAMPBELL.

WILLIAM GILLIES, Writer, Glasgow, A. FRASER ANDERSON, Apprentice-at-Law, 204 West George Street, Glasgow,

Witnesses to both Signatures.

2nd January 1924.

NOTICE.

THE Business of WALKER & SINCLAIR, Wholesale Stationers and Printers, 11 and 15 Swinton Row, Edinburgh, of which Mrs. Dorothea Collins or Walker was the sole owner, has been sold and transferred by her as at 1st January 1924 to John Marshall, Wholesale Stationer, 1 Panmure Place, Edinburgh, William Howden, Traveller, 8 Edina Street, Edinburgh, and Alexander Brown Allan, Foreman Compositor, 5 Perth Street, Edinburgh, who will continue to carry on the same for their own behoof, under the said Firm name of WALKER & SINCLAIR.

The said John Marshall, William Howden, and Alexander Brown Allan will collect the whole debts and discharge the whole liabilities of the said Business.

Dated at Edinburgh, this 31st day of December 1923.

DOROTHEA WALKER.

Signed by the said Mrs. Dorothea Collins or Walker before and in the presence of—

WM. C. L. STARK, 6 Hill Street, Edinburgh, S.S.C.

NINA MORISON, 6 Hill Street, Edinburgh, Typist.

JOHN MARSHALL.

WM. HOWDEN.

A. B. ALLAN.

Signed by the said John Marshall, William Howden, and Alexander Brown Allan before and in the presence of—

JEAN DOUGLAS BALD, 9 Gibson Street, Edinburgh, Cashier.

ELIZABETH LOWE MITCHELL, 3 Northcote Street, Edinburgh, Clerkess.

THE Firm of SMITH, M'DONALD, & MACKAY, carrying on business as Licensed Valuers, Stock-takers, and Accountants at fifty-five West Regent Street, Glasgow, has been DISSOLVED as at the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three, by mutual consent, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber John Ross MacKay, one of the Partners.

The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscribers James Smith and James William M'Donald and on their own account, and under the name of JAMES SMITH & M'DONALD.

Mr. James Smith and Mr. James William M'Donald are authorised to uplift all the debts due to, and they will discharge the whole debts and liabilities of, the Firm.

Dated at Glasgow, the thirty-first day of December nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

JAS. SMITH.

J. W. M'DONALD.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said James Smith and James William M'Donald—

JESSIE M'DONALD, Clerkess, 44 Craigie Street, Glasgow.

A. M'CLURE, Writer, 223 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

JOHN R. MACKAY.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said John Ross MacKay—

JESSIE M'DONALD, Clerkess, 44 Craigie Street, Glasgow.

A. M'CLURE, Writer, 223 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE OF RETIRAL.

THE Subscriber JOHN HAMILTON SCOTT retired, of mutual consent, on 31st December 1923, on account of ill health, from the Firm of GIBB & AUSTINE, Timber Merchants and Pitwood Importers, Grangemouth, of which he and the other Subscribers were the sole Partners.

The other Subscribers will continue to carry on

the Business under the same name, and will collect the debts and discharge the liabilities of the Firm.

J. H. SCOTT.

WILLIAM JAS. GIBB.

JAMES G. AUSTINE.

JOHN HOPE.

CHAS. FINLAYSON, 160 West George Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk,

WILLIAM E. EMBERTON, 160 West George Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk,

Witnesses to all the above Signatures.

Dated 31st December 1923.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1914.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Arthur John Campbell Cottew, 72 Lombard Street, city of London, and 39 Fairlop Road, Leytonstone, Essex, bank clerk.

Jacob Smith, 19-21 White Lion Street, Norton Folgate, London, E.C., mantle maker.

William Sinclair Taylor, Earlswood, Winterbourne Gunner, near Salisbury Wilts, lately residing at 20 Redcliffe Square, Kensington, London.

Ernest Edward Cumberland, residing and carrying on business at The Grapes Inn, 305 High Street, West Glossop, in the county of Derby, licensed victualler.

Augustus Osborne Lamplough, Tanygoppa, Abergele, in the county of Denbigh, artist.

Peggy Annie Tatlock (a Married Woman, trading separately and apart from her husband), 41 Park Road, Colwyn Bay, in the county of Denbigh, milliner and draper.

Ernest Newcombe, residing at 53 Gawber Road, Barnsley, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 13 Sheffield Road, Barnsley aforesaid, general dealer.

Frank Horne, 26 Great Lister Street, Birmingham, and lately carrying on business and residing at 24 Great Lister Street, Birmingham aforesaid, fruiterer and greengrocer.

Frank Ernest Pardy, Fairfield Road, Montpelier, Bristol, builder and contractor.

David Franklin Stevens, 66 Ellington Road, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, coachbuilder, lately carrying on business at Cliff Street, Ramsgate aforesaid, in partnership with Roland Assiter under the style or firm of Assiter and Stevens.

George Charles Penly Werrett (trading as Penly Werrett), Hillesley, Gloucestershire, acetylene generator maker.

Albert Goff, 13 Testard Road, Guildford, and 3 Farnham Road, Guildford, in the county of Surrey, builder.

Alfred Henry Milnes, Glenside, Out Lane, Huddersfield, in the county of York, carrying on business at 48 Lidget Street, Lindley, Huddersfield aforesaid, electrical engineer.

Anthony Claude Handby, late Carmelite House, now 7 The Crescent and London Street, all in Swaffham, in the county of Norfolk, manual training teacher and confectioner.

Edith Adelaide Harvey, residing at 26 St. Peter's Lane, in the city of Leicester, Spinster, carrying on business under the style or firm of F. A. Hayward, at 25 St. Peter's Lane, Leicester, fancy goods dealer.

David Moritzki, residing and carrying on business at 144 Bellott Street, Hightown, Manchester, and also carrying on business in the Markets at Cross Lane, Salford, Blackburn and Darwen, all in the county of Lancaster, market draper.

William James Davie Gibbs, 59 Park Terrace, Wideopen, Northumberland, lately residing at 2 Rosedale Terrace, and trading at 9 Rosedale Place, both in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, builder.

Margaret Annie Brooks, Wife of Thomas Newbury Brooks, at present residing at Mount Pleasant, Tremont Road, Llandrindod Wells, in the county of Radnor, but recently residing at Preslwyfya, Llandrindod Wells aforesaid, journeyman baker.

Samuel Richard Pine, 2 Union Lane, Brixham, in the county of Devon, lately residing and carrying on business at 16 Middle Street, Brixham, in the said county of Devon, carpenter.

The following Amended Notices are substituted for those published in the Edinburgh Gazette of Dec. 28, 1923:—

Jack Shapero (trading as Sharpe Brothers), of and lately residing and carrying on business at 527 Kingsland Road, Dalston, London, tailor.

William Brooks, The Bungalow, Lew Down, in the county of Devon, rabbit trapper and motor driver.

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