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TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1927.

*Scottish Office,  
Whitehall, S.W.1,  
22nd August 1927.*

The Secretary of State for Scotland has been pleased by Warrant under his hand and seal, bearing date the 22nd instant, to appoint Mr. James Petrie to be Sheriff Clerk of East Lothian, in the room of Mr. George Henderson Stevenson, deceased.

*Scottish Office,  
Whitehall, S.W.1,  
22nd August 1927.*

The Secretary of State for Scotland has been pleased by Warrant under his hand and seal, dated the 22nd instant, to appoint Mr. Arthur Crichton Stevenson to be Clerk to the Justices of the Peace of the County of East Lothian, in the room of Mr. George Henderson Stevenson, deceased.

*Privy Council Office,  
19th August 1927.*

NAVAL AND MARINE PAY AND PENSIONS ACT, 1865.  
THE OFFICERS OF ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE ACT, 1863.  
THE NAVAL FORCES ACT, 1903.

Notice is hereby given, that His Majesty in Council was pleased, on the 25th July 1927, to approve a Memorial from the Lords Com-

missioners of the Admiralty under the above mentioned Acts, revising the rates of full pay, unemployed pay, half pay and certain allowances of Officers of the Navy, Marines, and Reserve Forces, and other specified matters.

Copies of the said Order, when published, may be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—  
Austral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2;  
120 George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrews Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

*Whitehall, 20th July 1927.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give and grant unto William Foster MacNeece, Esquire, Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, upon whom has been conferred the Decoration of the Distinguished Flying Cross, a Group Captain in His Majesty's Royal Air Force, now residing in London, His Royal Licence and Authority that he may take and henceforth use the surname of Foster in lieu of his own name and bear the Arms of Foster quarterly with his own Arms and that the said surname and Arms may in like manner be taken borne and used by his issue; the said Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms and recorded in our College of Arms, otherwise this Our Licence and Permission to be void and of none effect.

And to command that the said Royal Concession and Declaration be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms.