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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1927.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS.

The Secretary of State for Scotland hereby gives notice that he has made an Order dated the Sth September 1927 (Final Order No. LV.), under Section 51 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1889, and Section 46 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, annexing to the Parish of Old Monkland that portion of the Parish of Bothwell which lies within the Burgh of Coatbridge.

Copies of the Order, which takes effect as from the 15th May 1927, can be purchased through any bookseller, or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, 120 George Street, Edinburgh.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, S.W.1, 21st September 1927.

Foreign Office,

June 23, 1927.

The KING has been pleased to approve of :—

Monsieur Agnelo Lopes da Cunha Pessoa, as Consul of Portugal at Dublin.

Foreign Office,

August 11, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :----

- Frank Gordon Rule, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Republic of Liberia, to reside at Monrovia and to be also His Majesty's Consul for the Island of Fernando Po and its Dependencies;
- Robert Townsend Smallbones, Esq., M.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Portuguese Possessions in West Africa, south of and within the Gulf of Guinea and for the Spanish Possessions in the Gulf of Guinea, excluding Fernando Po and its Dependencies, to reside at Loanda; and
- Alexander Byres Hutcheon, Esq., M.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Departments of Gironde, Dordogne, Haut-Vienne, Vienne, Deux-Sèvres, Vendée, Corrèze, Lot-et-Garonne, Tarn-et-Garonne, Ariège, Gers, Hautes Pyrénées, Basses-Pyrénées, Landes, Lot, Haute-Garonne, Charentè, and Charente Inférieure, to reside at Bordeaux.

Foreign Office, August 22, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

John Joseph Drumm, Esq., to be His

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