## Whitehall, January 12, 1928.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 11th instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable George Abraham Gibbs, Treasurer of His Majesty's Household, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Wraxall, of Clyst St. George, in the County of Devon.

## Whitehall, January 3, 1928.

## IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDAL.

His Majesty The KING has been pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to the following officers:-

## HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

Alder, London Edgar, Postman, Postal Service.

Thomas Samuel, Allcock, Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Allen, John, Inspector, Post Office, Windsor. Bartram, William Harbour, Postman, London Postal Service.

Bate, John James, Joiner, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Beattie, John, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dock-

yard, Chatham. Benn, Walter, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Bradford.

Berry, Thomas, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Newport, Mon.

Betton, Albert Edward, Postman, London Postal Service.

Bleach, Albert, Founder, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Boyd, James, Inspector, Post Office, Falkirk. Brand, Henry Frederick, Litho Draftsman, Group I., Publication Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.

Brookman, Richard, Assistant Inspector, Post Office, Bristol.

Brown, Albert Richard, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Buckley, Benjamin Ewart, Postman, Heywood, Sub-Office, Rochdale.

Burgess, William, Postman, London Postal Service.

Burrett, Henry John, Sorter, London Postal Service.

Callard, Samuel Thomas, Machinist, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Campbell, William, Postman, Omagh.

Cantelo, Herbert Vincent, Assistant Superintendent, Small Scale Revision Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.

Carter, William Joseph, Telegraphist, Central Telegraph Office.

Clark, Emily, Supervisor of Sorting Assistants, Savings Bank Department, Post

Clark, George Bernard, Overseer, Post Office, Birmingham.

Clarke, William Henry, Porter, London Postal Service.

Cock, Barzillia Stephen, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Darton, Thomas, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Deacon, Edwin Albert Christopher, Founder. H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Deakin, John Henry, Officer, H.M. Prison, Wormwood Scrubs.

Demaria, Edward, Timekeeper, Department, Malta.

Dovey, Arthur John, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Portsmouth and Gosport.

Dunnell, Frederick George, Inspector of Boilermakers, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Elliot, Walter, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Manchester.

Elsey, Charles Frederick, Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Endean, John Thomas, Postman, Birmingham.

England, Charles Edwin, Caulker, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Evans, David John, Postman, Obmore Vale Sub-Office, Bridgend.

Facey, Frank, Sorter, London Postal Service. Fallan, Charles, Postman, Tadcaster Sub-Office, Leeds.

Farmer, Frank Arthur, Postman, Cardiff.

Ferguson, Alexander, Postman, St. Monance Sub-Office, Leven.

Finlay, William John, Preventive Officer, Customs and Excise, Arbroath, Dundee Collection.

Fudge, Arthur Ernest, Overseer, Post Office, Bournemouth.

Fullwood, Richard James, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Gadge, Sidney William, Sorter, London Postal Service.

Gibson, Edward Thomas, Skilled Labourer, Royal Naval Armament Depot, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Goldsmith, Joseph Henry, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Gray, Hugh William, Postman, Birmingham. Grey, Edward Jenkins, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Swansea.

Hale, Herbert George, Draughtsman, Group III., Second Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.

Hall, Henry, Postman, Brighton.

Hardman, John James, Postman, London Postal Service.

Hawkins, Alfred George, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Higgins, Herbert Charles, Sorter, London Postal Service.

Hodgkins, Alfred, Overseer, Post Office, Shrewsbury.

Holbrook, Matthew, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Holcroft, Thomas, Inspector, Post Office, Bury.

Holder, George Alfred, Driller, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Holder, Thomas, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Gloucester.

Honey, George Albert, Driller, H.M. Dock-yard, Devonport. Hooper, Edward Charles, Postman, Preston.

Hughes, Hugh, Postman, Machynlleth. Jackson, Agnes Sophia, Sorting Assistant, Money Order Department, Post Office.

Jenner, Allan, Skilled Labourer, Platelayer, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

Jewell, John Henry, Joiner, Royal Naval Armament Depot, Plymouth.