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TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1906.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,
St. James's Palace, April 23, 1906.*

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's visit to Paris and Biarritz, to make the following promotions in, and appointments to the Royal Victorian Order, to take effect from the date noted:—

To be Honorary Members of the Fourth Class:

2nd April, 1906. Cebstin Hennion, Principal Commissioner of Police, Paris.
2nd April, 1906. Pierre Forsans, Mayor of Biarritz.

To be Honorary Members of the Fifth Class:

2nd April, 1906. Jean François Bacqué, Commissioner of Police, Biarritz.
2nd April, 1906. Laurent Antoine Edouard Marie Armand Dupin de Lafforcade, of the French Ministry of the Interior.
2nd April, 1906. Emile Theodore Barnier, Director of the Band of the 57th French Regiment of Infantry.

To be Commander:

6th March, 1906. The Hon. Reginald Lister, M.V.O., Councillor of His Majesty's Embassy, Paris.

To be Members of the Fourth Class:

6th March, 1906. Albemarle Percy Inglis, Esq., His Majesty's Consul-General at Paris.
2nd April, 1906. Hamon d'Albini Bellairs, Esq., His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Biarritz.
2nd April, 1906. Robert Gilbert Vansittart, Esq., 3rd Secretary of His Majesty's Embassy, Paris.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 24, 1906.*

Notice is hereby given, that the King's Birthday will be celebrated in London and at all Home Stations on Friday, the 29th June next. At all other Stations His Majesty's Birthday will be celebrated on Friday, the 9th November next.

*Foreign Office,
March 21, 1906.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Francis William Stronge, Esq., to be His Majesty's Minister Resident and Consul-General in the Republic of Colombia.

*Foreign Office,
March 31, 1906.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Mr. Hilaire Alexandre Léon Duchastel de Montrouge as Consul of France at Vancouver, with Consular jurisdiction in British Columbia; Mr. Edward B. Walker as Consul of the United States of America at Burslem; Mr. Maximo Patricio Morris as Consul of Panama at Vancouver; General D. Carlos M. Céspedes as Consul of Colombia at Port of Spain, Trinidad; Señor Vesey Ricardo Gosche as Consul of Nicaragua in New South Wales, to reside at Sydney; and Mr. Wilhelm Hiltzen as German Vice-Consul at Great Grimsby.

*Foreign Office,
April 17, 1906.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—
Charles Louis Des Graz, Esq., to be His Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at the Court of His Highness the Prince of Montenegro.

*Downing Street,
April 21, 1906.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Henri Leclézio, Esq., C.M.G., and Sir William Newton, K.C., to be Members of the Executive Council of the Colony of Mauritius.