Crown Office, 13th February, 1911.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Carnarvon, Northern or Arfon Division.

William Jones, Esquire, re-elected on accepting the office of one of the Commissioners for executing the office of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

Whitehall, February 11, 1911.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to Bessie Barfield, formerly a Female Sorter in the Savings Bank Department of the General Post Office.

Whitehall, February 11, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Lieutenant Henry Charles Brewster, R.N.R., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of Chevalier of the Order of the Crown of Italy, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Italy, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him at the time of the earthquake at Messina in December, 1908, when serving as officer on board the steamship "Ophir."

## Whitehall, February 11, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned gentlemen His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear Decorations (as stated against their respective names), which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorised by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:—

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, Fourth Class.

Captain Charles Wilberforce Maclean, The Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, Fourth Class.

Captain Leicester William Le Marchant Carey, Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment). Captain Robert Ian Rawson, The Gloucestershire Regiment.

Whitehall, February 13, 1911.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 13th instant, to appoint the Reverend James Gilliland Simpson, D.D., Canon of Manchester, to the Canonry in the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London, void by the appointment of the Reverend Canon Henry Scott Holland, D.D., to be Regius Professor of Divinity in the University of Oxford, and Canon of Christ Church in the said University.

## Whitehall, February 11, 1911.

In addition to the names which appeared in the London Gazette of the 22nd of July, 1910, His Majesty has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal of the Second Class to the workmen whose names appear below on account of their conspicuous bravery in connection with the attempt made to rescue their fellow workmen at the Wellington Pit, Whitehaven, on the 11th of May, 1910:—

Fletcher Young.
Edward McKenzie, Senior.
Edward McKenzie, Junior.
George Henry.
James Scawcroft.
John McAllister.
William Ginbey.
Thomas Birkett.
Thomas Donald.
Joseph Cowan.
Hugh McKenzie.
Allinson Mathers.
John Hampson.
Thomas Ferryman.

## Whitehall, February 11, 1911.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal of the Second Class to Frank Smith and John Wapplington under the following circumstances:—

On the 30th September, 1910, John Wapplington and another labourer, named Albert Templeman, were engaged in sinking a well at East Markham, in Nottinghamshire, and had fired a shot in order to blast the rock at the bottom. After an interval, during which they tested the air with a lighted lamp and found no gas, Templeman went down the well and struck the rock with a crowbar. Immediately afterwards he cried out that he was feeling dizzy, and asked Wapplington to lower a ladder and rope. He did not wait to fasten a rope round himself, but tried to mount the ladder, and fell back when he was half way up. plington, calling for help, went down to Templeman's assistance; but found that he could not lift him, and came up in a dazed con-After a rest of a quarter of an hour, he bravely made another attempt; but called out that he could not attach the rope to Templeman, as he was overcome by the gas. He managed, however, to reach the top before becoming unconscious. Frank Smith, foreman, then came to the spot with other men, and, fastening the rope round his body, went