to British traders by the dislocation of export trade owing to the inclusion in the Statutory List of a former connection, the Foreign Trade Department is collecting and classifying the names of non-enemy firms who may be able to act as substitutes for firms mentioned in the Statutory List. A considerable amount of information is already available at the Foreign Trade Department, and it is in many cases possible to suggest the names of satisfactory substitutes without the necessity of referring the matter abroad. The Department is, however, prepared on application to enquire of His Majesty's Representatives abroad for the names of suitable substitutes. When the applicant wishes this done by telegraph he is required to undertake to pay the cost of tele-graphic correspondence. It would greatly facilitate the work of the Foreign Trade Department if applicants in making enquiries would specify the particular trade or trades for which substitutes are required.

Note (5).—The Statutory List for each country is telegraphed, on the day of issue, to His Majesty's Representative in that country, who is instructed to notify accordingly British Consular Officers, to whom persons abroad should apply for information as to names on Persons and firms in the United Kingdom with agencies or branches abroad would, however, be well advised to furnish such agencies or branches with issues of the List as The Lists for all countries in they appear. Central or South America are also telegraphed to His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington, who transmits them to H.M. Consul-General at New York and to other centres in the United States likely to be interested.

### Crown Office,

7th June, 1917.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. Augustus Robert Buckland, M.A., to the Rectory of Pulhan, St. Mary Magdelene, in the county of Norfolk and Diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

# Foreign Office (Foreign Trade Dept.). 8th June, 1917.

The following additions or corrections to the list published as a supplement to the London Gazette of 18th May, 1917, of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be consigned, are notified by order of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the Proclamation relating to the exportation of articles to China and Siam during the present war, issued on the 24th day of September, 1915:—

#### CHINA.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned:

Arkell & Douglas, Inc.

Bentz, Otto.

China Dispensary (Kwong On & Co.), Canton. Chung Tak Dispensary, Canton. Kwong & Co. (China Dispensary), Canton. Lucas, S. E., Peking. Peterson, V., Peking. Sys, Peter & Co.

The following names are removed from the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned:—

P'u, Yuan Kung. Quan Yuen & Co., Shanghai.

# SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the London Gazette of May 4, 1917.)

List of Vessels.

Nationality. Cargo Detained

Noorderdijk · - Netherland Leith Rijndam - - - Netherland - Leith

> Foreign Office, June 7, 1917.

Name of Vessel.

## Whitehall, May 19, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to rant unto Sir John Courtown Edward Shelley, Baronet, Captain in His Majesty's Regiment of Scots Guards, and Dame Eleanor Georgiana, his wife, His Royal licence and authority that they may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of John Maclean, Baron Llangattock, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Rolls in addition to and after that of Shelley, that he the said Sir John Courtown Edward Shelley may bear the arms of Rolls quarterly with those of Shelley, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, borne and used by the issue of their marriage: the said arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms and recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal 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.

### Whitehall, June 5, 1917.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 4th instant, to grant unto the Reverend Canon Thory Gage Gardiner, M.A., Rector of Lambeth and Honorary Canon of Southwark, the Canonry in the Cathedral and Metropolitical Church of Canterbury void by the death of the Reverend Edward Alexander Stuart.

### Whitehall, June 6, 1917.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing