

Michael and Saint George, for valuable services rendered in connection with the War:—

To be an additional Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Maj.-Gen. Sir George Kenneth Scott-Moncrieff, K.C.B., C.I.E., Director of Fortifications and Works, War Office.

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,
Buckingham Gate, S.W. 1,
11th March, 1918.*

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

The Right Honourable the Baron Clinton to be Keeper of the Privy Seal of His Royal Highness.

The Right Honourable the Earl Fortescue, K.C.B., to be a Member of the Council of His Royal Highness.

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,
Buckingham Gate, S.W. 1,
11th March, 1918.*

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing Edward Galton Baron Lethbridge, Esquire, of Tregear, Egloskerry, R.S.O., in the County of Cornwall, Sheriff of the County of Cornwall.

*Buckingham Palace,
14th March, 1918.*

The QUEEN has been pleased to appoint Sir John Phillips, M.D., Honorary Physician to Her Majesty.

*Lord Chancellor's Office,
13th March, 1918.*

COURTS (EMERGENCY POWERS) ENGLAND. COUNTY COURTS.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that the Lord Chancellor has, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury as to the fees, approved Rules consolidating the various Rules relating to County Courts under the Courts (Emergency Powers) Acts, 1914 to 1917, to come into operation on the 18th day of March, 1918.

Copies may be obtained on application at H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.

*Treasury Chambers,
March 14th, 1918.*

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Captain William A. Redmond to be Steward and Bailiff of the Three Hundreds of Chiltern.

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*Foreign Office (Foreign Trade Dept.),
15th March, 1918.*

SIAM.

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

Charoen Krung Dispensary, Bangkok.
Siam Hides & Leather Co. Ltd., Bangkok.

Whitehall, March 15, 1918.

Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland conferring the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom upon Colonel Alexander Sprot, C.M.G., of Garnkirk, in the county of Lanark, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

COAL MINES ACT, 1911.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 9th March, 1918, he made an Order in pursuance of Section 33 of the Coal Mines Act, 1911, entitled "The Safety Lamps Order of the 9th March, 1918." The effect of the Order is as follows:—

(a) To approve the following safety lamps for use in all mines to which the Act applies, subject to the conditions specified in the Schedule to the Order:—

(i) The Patterson Flame Safety Lamps, Types A5 and E1, and Type E2 (for officials).

(ii) The "Davis-Briggs" Oxymeter Officials' Lamp.

(iii) The Joel-Fors Electric Safety Lamp, Type 303M.

(b) To amend and consolidate the specification of the "Ceag" Miners' Electric Safety Lamp approved by the Safety Lamps Order of the 26th August, 1913, and amended by later Orders under Section 33 of the Act; and

(c) To make amendments in the specifications of certain other safety lamps approved by previous Orders made under Section 33 of the Act.

Copies of the Order can be purchased through any Bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W.1; 37, Peter Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23, Forth Street, Edinburgh; or from E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Home Office, Whitehall,
14th March, 1918.

*Downing Street,
14th March, 1918.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of John Dewar McKay, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Colony.