

Whitehall, January 20, 1919.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased to award the Edward Medal to Lieutenant Arthur Hilary Bristowe, Works Manager, on account of the great courage and presence of mind which he displayed on the occasion of an explosion which occurred on the 1st July, 1918, at the National Filling Factory at Chilwell.

Whitehall, January 20, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Major-General Llewellyn William Atcherley, C.M.G., C.V.O., Chief Constable of the West Riding of Yorkshire, to be one of the Inspectors under the Act 19 and 20 Victoria, cap. 69, intituled "An Act to render more effectual the Police in Counties and Boroughs in England and Wales."

Whitehall, January 20, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto George Leader Bailey, Esq., Director of the Lake Copais Company, Kribba, Greece, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Cross of Chevalier of the Royal Order of the Redeemer, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of the Hellenes in recognition of valuable services rendered by him towards the development of agriculture in Greece.

*Ministry of Munitions of War,
Whitehall Place, S.W. 1,*

21st January, 1919.

ORDER.

RADIO-ACTIVE SUBSTANCES, LUMINOUS BODIES AND ORES.

In reference to the following Order made by the Minister of Munitions, namely:—

The Radio-active Substances (Control) Order, 1918, dated the 13th August, 1918,

the Minister of Munitions hereby orders as follows:—

(1) The operation of the said Order is hereby suspended on and after the date hereof until further notice.

(2) Such suspension shall not affect the previous operation of the said Order or the validity of any action taken thereunder or the liability to any penalty or punishment in respect of any contravention or failure to comply with the said Order prior to such suspension or any proceedings or remedy in respect of any such penalty or punishment.

(3) This Order may be cited as the Radio-active Substances Control (Suspension) Order, 1919.

MERSEY CONSERVANCY ACT.

*Mersey Conservancy,
c/o. Private Office,
Admiralty,
London, S.W. 1.
21st January, 1919.*

I hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 & 6 Victoria, cap. 110,

intituled "An Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that I have received a notice from Messrs. Lever Brothers, Limited, Port Sunlight, Cheshire, given pursuant to the provisions of the above mentioned Act, of their intention to construct at Bromborough two 2' 6" diameter pipes from the new Oil Refinery and Pump House, in accordance with plans and sections deposited at this Office, a copy of which notice is subjoined.

*A. Mostyn Field,
Admiral,
Acting Conservator of the Mersey.*

To Admiral Sir A. MOSTYN FIELD, K.C.B.,
F.R.S., &c., Acting Conservator of the
Mersey.

In pursuance of an Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey (5 & 6 Vic., cap. 110), We, Lever Brothers, Limited, Port Sunlight, Cheshire, Soap Manufacturers, hereby give you notice that we propose to construct at Bromborough, in accordance with Plans and Sections deposited at the office of the Mersey Conservancy, two 2' 6" diam. pipes from new Oil Refinery and Pump House, constructed of stonework, in order to dispose of the cooling water from surface condensers and the overflow water from jet condensers.

It is proposed to begin the work immediately, and it will not in any way project into or interrupt the tidal or other waters of the River Mersey.

Dated this 10th day of January, 1919.

LEVER BROTHERS, LIMITED,
J. P. TIMPERLAKE, Assistant Secretary.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

RAW ASBESTOS ORDER.

Notice of Cancellation.

Notice is hereby given that the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have cancelled as from the date hereof the Raw Asbestos Order (including Asbestos Crude and Asbestos Mine Fibres), made by them on the 5th day of January, 1918. The Order was published in the London Gazette dated the 8th of January, 1918.

By Command of their Lordships,
O. Murray.

Admiralty, S.W.
16th January, 1919.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

*Department of the
Accountant-General of the Navy,
Admiralty, S.W. 1,*

21st January, 1919.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the undermentioned salvage awards will commence on Wednesday, the 22nd instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be