Downing Street, 26th April, 1920.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Charles William Hobley, Esq., C.M.G. (Provincial Commissioner), Ivon Llewellyn Owen Gower, Esq. (Solicitor-General), Sheikh Ali bin Salim, C.B.E. (Assistant Liwali, Mombasa), Kenneth James Muir Mackenzie, Esq. (Crown Counsel), William Kilmister Notley, Esq., D.S.O. (Commissioner of Police), John Thomas Gosling, Esq. (Postmaster-General), and James Russell Orr, Esq. (Director of Education) to be nominated Official Members of the Legislative Council of the East Africa Protectorate; and for the appointment of Abdul Rasul Allidina Visram, Esq., M.B.E., and Vaman Vishnu Phadke, Esq., to be nominated Indian Unofficial Members of the said Legislative Council.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, 26th April, 1920.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 21st April, 1920, to appoint James Walker Inglis, Esq., C.A., to be Accountant of Court in Scotland under the provisions of the Judicial Factors (Scotland) Act, 1889, in succession to Joseph Campbell Penney, Esq., deceased.

> Board of Trade, Great George Street Westminster, S.W. 1. 26th April, 1920.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal upon Mr. Thomas Stratford Knill, Master of the steamship "War Pike," of London.

At Novorossisk on the 14th October, 1919, when the steamship "War Pike," laden with stores and several hundred tons of explosives, took fire, Captain Knill, although deserted by most of his crew, and in spite of the intense heat and frequent explosions, remained on board his ship, casting off hawsers from the quay and making fast others to a tug, only abandoning ship by order of the Captain of His Majesty's Ship "Grafton" as his vessel was being towed out of the entrance of the harbour. He then boarded a tug, stood by his ship after she had grounded; and later, though the bridge, boats and starboard coal bunker were a mass of flames, boarded her and assisted . in getting hoses to work, successfully preventing the fire from spreading aft, where there were still large quantities of explosives. The vessel was then towed towards shallow water, where she grounded. By his gallantry and devotion to duty Captain Knill undoubtedly averted an explosion, and thus probably saved many lives.

Ministry of Labour, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 14th April, 1920.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on him by the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, the Minister of Labour is pleased to establish a

Trade Board for the Laundry Trade in Ireland, as specified in the Trade Boards (Laundry) Order, 1919, namely, the laundering of articles of every description and all processes and operations incidental thereto performed by way of trade or for the purpose of gain.

In accordance with the Regulations with respect to the constitution and proceedings of the above-mentioned Trade Board dated 12th April, 1920, the Trade Board shall consist of : —

(1) Three appointed members, namely:-Sir John R. O'Connell, LL.D., 29, Kildare Street, Dublin,

Mr. Herbert M. Thompson, K.C., 17, Upper Mount Street, Dublin,

Starkie. "Melfort,"

Shrewsbury Road, Dublin,

who are hereby directed to act on the Trade Board.

(2) Ten members representing employers in the trade appointed by the Minister of Labour after considering names supplied by such employers, due regard having been paid to the representation of the various branches of the trade and of the various districts in which the trade is carried on, namely:

Mr. S. Foster, Dublin Laundry Co., Milltown, Co. Dublin.

Mr. T. Goodall, Munster Laundry,

V. Rev. Father Lawrence, O.S.F.C., The Friary, Church Street, Dublin.

Mr. A. McLeod, Castlereagh Laundry,

Mr. W. H. Mellon, Blackrock Laundry Co., Ltd., Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

Mr. J. G. Musgrave, Metropole Laun-

dry, Cork. Mr. L. F. O'Brien, Franklin Laundry,

Miss H. R. Pidgeon, "Mafra," Ballybrack, Co. Dublin.

Mr. A. Ross, Sun Laundry, Larne. Mr. W. J. Simson, Terenure Laundry, Terenure, Co. Dublin.

(3) Ten members representing workers in the trade appointed by the Minister of Labour after considering names supplied by such workers, due regard having been paid to the representation of the various branches of the trade and of the various districts in which the trade is carried on, namely:

Mrs. M. Connolly, 34, Albert Villa Drive, Belfast.

Councillor Day, 9, Nicholas Street, Cork.

Mr, Doherty, 8, Brook Street Avenue, Derry.

Miss A. Duffy, C/o. I.T. and G.W. Union, 74, Thomas Street, Dublin.

Miss R. Dyce, 35, Oxford Street, Bel-

Mr. P. Farrell, Liberty Hall, Beresford Place, Dublin.

Mr. J. S. McKeag, 35, Oxford Street, Belfast.

Mr. J. O'Brien, 91, O'Connell Street,

Mr. J. O'Connor, 74, Thomas Street,

Mr. M. Quinlan, C/o. Blackrock Laundry, Co. Dublin.

The Minister of Labour is further pleased to appoint Sir John R. O'Connell, LL.D., to be Chairman, Mr. Herbert M. Thompson, K.C.,