

*Foreign Office,*  
October 18, 1923.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

William Linskill Bond, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Tangier.

*Foreign Office,*  
November 1, 1923.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Frederick Watson, Esquire, O.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the States of Pennsylvania, Delaware and Ohio, to reside at Philadelphia.

*Foreign Office.*  
November 2, 1923.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

James MacIver MacLeod, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Regency of Tunis, to reside at Tunis;  
Arthur Langford Sholto Rowley, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for Belgium, with the exception of the Provinces of Liège, Limbourg, Luxembourg, Namur and Hainaut, and the Districts of Eupen

and Malmédy, to reside at Antwerp; and to be also His Majesty's Consul-General for the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg; and Philip Charles Sarell, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Provinces of Huesca, Zaragoza, Teruel, Barcelona, Tarragona, Lerida, Gerona, Valencia, Alicante, and Castellon, and the Balearic Islands, to reside at Barcelona.

*Whitehall, December 17, 1923.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Brigadier-General Richard Beale Colvin, C.B., to be Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment on two day shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in impregnating cord for tyre making at the works of Messrs. W. & A. Bates Ltd., St. Mary's Mills, Leicester, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall,

14th December, 1923.

#### APPOINTMENTS OF STANDINGS FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES WITHIN THE METROPOLITAN POLICE DISTRICT, AND REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED.

*By virtue of the Act 13 and 14 Victoria, chapter 7, intituled "An Act for consolidating the Office of the Registrar of Metropolitan Public Carriages with the Office of the Commissioners of Police of the Metropolis and making other provisions in regard to the Consolidated Offices."*

I, WILLIAM THOMAS FRANCIS HORWOOD, the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, do hereby appoint Standings for Hackney Carriages at the several places hereinafter mentioned; for such number of carriages at each Standing as specified, and within the boundaries set forth for each Standing, provided that no Hackney Carriage shall be suffered to stand across any street or carriage-way, or upon any place where foot passengers usually cross the carriage-way.

Metropolitan Police Office,  
New Scotland Yard, S.W. 1.  
27th November, 1923.

W. T. F. HORWOOD,  
The Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis.

#### APPOINTMENTS.

GOLDHAWK ROAD,  
SHEPHERD'S BUSH.

Twelve vehicles :

On North side of roadway, commencing at the East end of Shepherds Bush Green, by water post, and extending, by kerb, in a Westerly direction, as far as necessary for twelve carriages.

Front of vehicles toward the East.

KNIGHTSBRIDGE, S.W.

Three vehicles :

In centre of roadway, commencing at a point in line with the Western corner of Seville Street, extending Westward as far as necessary for three carriages.

Front of vehicles toward the East.

KNIGHTSBRIDGE, S.W.

Six vehicles :

In centre of roadway, commencing at a point in line with the Eastern Corner of Sloane Street, extending Eastward as far as necessary for six carriages.

Front of vehicles toward the West.