

Seymour Wylde Howes, Esq., Unofficial Member of the Executive Council, Montserrat, in recognition of his services to the Government of Montserrat.

William Joseph Johnson, Esq., Deputy Treasurer, Palestine.

Rudolf Franz Mayer, Esq., Chief Proprietor of "The East African Standard," in recognition of his services to Kenya Colony.

Edward Robert Mifsud, Esq., M.B.E., Private Secretary to the Governor of Malta and Clerk of the Executive Council, Nominated Council and Privy Council of the Island.

John Randall Phillips, Esq., M.B., Senior Member of the Legislative Council of Barbados.

John Prichard, Esq., President of the Court of First Instance, Baghdad, Iraq.

Edward Keith Roach, Esq., Deputy District Commissioner Jerusalem District, Palestine.

George Freeman Royds, Esq., Director-General, Tapu Department, Iraq.

Joseph Mario Smith, Esq., Chief Veterinary Officer, Palestine.

Ho Kom-tong, Esq., for public and charitable services in the Colony of Hong Kong.

John Frederick Wilkins, Esq., Deputy Inspector General of Police, Iraq.

Herbert Pinckney Winslow, Esq., Manager of the British Section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, Hong Kong.

Haji Hafiz Mehmed Zia-ud-din, the Mufti of Cyprus.

To be Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Robert Barker Crusher, Esq., Assistant Inspector, Department of Surveys, Palestine.

Bertie Harry Easter, Esq., Headmaster of St. Mary's College, St. Lucia, for services in combatting the recent fire at Castries, St. Lucia.

Frank Tate Ellis, Esq., lately Headmaster, Bishop Gobat's School, Jerusalem.

Samuel John Forster, Esq., Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gambia.

Joseph Trousell Gilbert, Esq., First Assistant Secretary and Clerk of Councils, Zanzibar.

George William Hatchell, Esq., District Officer, Tanganyika Territory.

John Marcus Knight, Esq., Chief Clerk in the Office of the Governor of the Windward Islands, Clerk to the Executive Council of the Island of Grenada.

Major Charles Lionel Grey Matthews Matthews-Donaldson, Aide-de-Camp and Private Secretary to the Governor of the Windward Islands, for services in combatting the recent fire at Castries, St. Lucia.

Robert Moffatt, Esq., Assistant Engineer, Posts and Telegraphs Department, Palestine.

Oliver Nugent, Esq., lately Additional Magistrate and Deputy Coroner, Antigua, Leeward Islands.

Antoni Papápetrou, Esq., Assistant Registrar-General, Land Registration and Survey Department, Cyprus.

Miss Charlotte Harriet Pidsley, Principal of the Annie Walsh Memorial School, Free-town, Sierra Leone.

Captain Frederick Brooke Sharp, Inspector of Police, St. Lucia, for service in combatting the recent fire at Castries, St. Lucia.

Alfred Thomas Sumner, Esq., Senior Master, Njala Agricultural College, Sierra Leone.

To be Honorary Members of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Matheus Placido da Costa, Esq., Head Asiatic Clerk in the Secretariat, Uganda.

Zaki Hadeff, Esq., Mayor of Tiberias, Palestine.

Ahmad Effendi Khaledi, Principal of the Men's Training College, Department of Education, Palestine.

Shawki Effendi Fatallah Saad, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Palestine.

Samuel Tolkowsky, Esq., of Tel Aviv, Palestine, in recognition of his public services.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,

3rd June, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to make the following appointment to the Order of the Companions of Honour:—

To be a Member of the Order:—

The Reverend John Daniel Jones, M.A., D.D., Chairman of the Congregational Union of England and Wales, 1909-10 and 1925-26.

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The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of the conspicuous ability and courage displayed by the under-mentioned Officers of the S.S. "Sunning" in recovering their vessel which had been captured by pirates off the coast of China on the 15th of November, 1926:—

To be Officers of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Thomas Parke Beatty, Esq., Chief Officer.

Joseph William Hurst, Esq., Second Officer.

To be a Member of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

George Cormack, Esq., Chief Engineer.

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The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to make the following Awards of the Kaisar-i-Hind Medal of the First Class for public services in India:—

The Reverend Caleb Davies, Medical Superintendent, Sonthal Mission Hospital, Sarenga, Bankura, Bengal.

Miss Ethel Adelaide Douglas, M.B., B.S., Medical Officer in charge of the Kinnaird Women's Hospital, Lucknow.