

Foreign Office,
February 24, 1928.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Archibald John Kerr Clark Kerr, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Chile.

Foreign Office,
April 10, 1928.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Sir Thomas Beaumont Hohler, K.C.M.G., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Denmark and Iceland.

Foreign Office,
April 17, 1928.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Herbert Adolphus Grant Watson, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Guatemala.

Foreign Office,
April 21, 1928.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Señor Don Joaquin Orrantia, as Consul-General of Colombia at Manchester;
Mr. Lowell C. Pinkerton, as Consul of the United States of America in London;
Mr. Robert B. Macatee, as Consul of the United States of America in London;
Monsieur Antoine Cassar, to be Vice-Consul of Greece at Jaffa; and
Mr. William Austin, as Vice-Consul of Greece at Barbados.

Whitehall, April 26, 1928.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 16th instant, to appoint John Bertrand Watson, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be one of the Magistrates of the Police Courts of the Metropolis.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed William Mennie Fowler, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., of Craig Linnhe, Fort William, Inverness-shire, to be one of the Medical Referees under the above Act for

the Lochaber District (Sheriffdom of Inverness, Elgin and Nairn) in place of Dr. A. C. Miller (deceased).

Whitehall,
25th April, 1928.

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 at the works of The Preston Doubling Co. Ltd., Grimshaw Street, Preston, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and mess-room accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall,
26th April, 1928.

Downing Street,
8th April, 1928.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Salisbury Stanley Spurling, Esq., C.M.G., O.B.E., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Bermudas or Somers Islands for a further period.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

Whereas the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, have been applied to the Milk Distributive Trade by the Trade Boards (Milk Distributive) Order, 1920; and whereas the Trade Boards (Milk Distributive) Order, 1920, has been varied by the Trade Boards (Milk Distributive) Order, 1926;

And whereas the Minister of Labour on the second day of March, 1928, published a Notice of his intention to make a Special Order further varying the description of the Trade;

And whereas objections have been made with regard to the Draft Special Order accompanying the said Notice and the objections have been considered by the Minister and he has not amended or withdrawn the Draft Special Order but has directed that an Inquiry shall be held in accordance with the First Schedule to the Trade Boards Act, 1918;

And whereas the Minister has appointed me, the undersigned, to hold the Inquiry and report to him;

Now therefore I hereby give notice that an Inquiry under the First Schedule to the Trade Boards Act, 1918, with regard to the said Draft Order will be opened by me at 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1928, at 5, Old Palace Yard, S.W. 1, and will be held thereafter, if necessary, at such time and place as may be found convenient.

Any objector or other person who appears to me to be affected may appear either in person or by Counsel, Solicitor or agent.

Any person desiring to be heard who has not already communicated in writing with the