

Foreign Office,

June 20, 1928.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Sir Colville Adrian de Rune Barclay, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.B.E., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Portuguese Republic.

Foreign Office,

July 30, 1928.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Sir William George Tyrrell, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., K.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the French Republic.

Whitehall, August 16, 1928.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 11th instant, to appoint Walter Fitz Uryan, Baron Dinevor, to be His Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Carmarthen, in the room of John Hinds, Esquire, deceased.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Lachlan Martin Victor Mitchell, Esq., O.B.E., M.B., Ch.B., of 14, Ardress Street, Inverness, to be one of the Medical Referees under the above Act, for Inverness (Mainland) District of the Sheriffdom of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn, in place of Dr. K. Gillies (deceased).

Whitehall,

14th August, 1928.

*Whitehall, August 3, 1928.***IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDALS.**

His Majesty The KING has been pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to the following Officers:—

Abbott, Samuel Sleeman, Officer, Dartmoor Prison.
 Adams, William, Established Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
 Addis, Ernest Edward Henry, Established Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
 Alderson, Charles Somerset, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
 Allin, William, Sorter Tracer, Accountant General's Department, Post Office.
 Anderson, John Campbell, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Edinburgh.
 Ashcroft, Richard Hulton, Postman, Manchester.
 Austin, Frederick Harold, Established Electrical Fitter (Local Chargeman), H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
 Avent, William George, Established Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Bagge, Henry Hugh, Porter, London Postal Service.
 Bancroft, William, Postman, Derby.
 Banham, Frederick William, Postman, Liverpool.
 Barham, John Ernest, Established Iron Caulker, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.
 Barratt, Frederick, Established Electrical Fitter (Chargeman), H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.
 Barrell, Francis Arthur, Postman, London Postal Service.
 Beesley, Henry Alfred, Overseer, Post Office, Liverpool.
 Bilham, George, Ratefixer, Royal Carriage Department, Woolwich.
 Blatchford, Alfred Samuel, Foreman of the Yard, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
 Boddington, William Charles, Postman, Irchester Sub-Office, Wellingborough.
 Bolton, David John, Established Operative, Royal Naval Torpedo Factory, Greenock.
 Bolton, William, Postman, Bristol.
 Bosbery, Charles, Established Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
 Bovey, Robert Walling, Established Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
 Bowell, Samuel, Postman, Oxford.
 Brealey, Edward, Postman, London Postal Service.
 Brewer, Charles Sydney, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Gloucester.
 Brown, Robert John, Head Postman, London Postal Service.
 Bulley, James Southgate, Established Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
 Bush, George William, Bagman, London Postal Service.
 Callaghan, John, Sorter, London Postal Service.
 Cameron, Donald, Established Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.
 Cant, William, Skilled Workman, Class I, Engineering Department, Post Office.
 Challis, George William, Postman, Epsom.
 Cheesman, William George, Inspector of Storehousemen, Royal Victoria Yard, Deptford.
 Chesterson, Samuel, Chief Officer, Class II, Norwich Prison.
 Clements, Benjamin Ernest, Porter, London Postal Service.
 Cockburn, Robert John, Postman, Edinburgh.
 Cole, Frederick William, Porter, London Postal Service.
 Coles, George, Postman, Bristol.
 Cooke, George Harry, Postman, Birmingham.
 Crawley, George, Head Postman, London Postal Service.
 Crockford, John Knight, Telegraphist, Central Telegraph Office.
 Crossland, George Henry, Inspector, Post Office, Birmingham.
 Cudmore, Thomas, Assistant Head Postman, London Postal Service.
 Curwood, Charles William, Overseer, Post Office, Plymouth.
 Dainton, Samuel, Postman, London Postal Service.
 Darby, Walter Henry, Postman, London Postal Service.
 Darlow, George, Skilled Workman, Class II, Engineering Department, Post Office.
 Davies, Thomas, Established Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.