Whitehall, April 27, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 22nd instant, to nominate the Reverend Guy Vernon Smith, M.C., M.A., late Archdeacon of Colombo and Vicar of St. Peter, Colombo, to be Bishop Suffragan of Willesden in the Diocese of London.

Whitehall, April 27, 1929.

Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of the Realm granting the Dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom to Friedrich Gustav Jonathan Eckstein, of Fairwarp in the County of Sussex and of the Sudan, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, April 27, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Royal Warrant bearing date the 23rd instant, to appoint the Reverend Roy McKay, M.A., to the newly constituted Living of Saint Mark, Londonderry, in the County of Warwick and Diocese of Birmingham.

Whitehall, April 29, 1929.

The KING was pleased on Saturday, the 27th instant, at Craigweil House, Aldwick, Bognor, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Major Henry O'Neal Dehane Segrave.

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 the Tyre Wire Braiding Department at the works of the United Steel Wire Mills Limited, 85, South Street, Openshaw, Manchester, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable accommodation for clothing put off during working hours, messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall,

25th April, 1929.

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 years of age and over in knitting hosiery at the Unity Mills of Messrs. Tom Smith & Sons, Bulkington, Nuneaton, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable accommodation for clothing put off during working hours and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall,

27th April, 1929.

Downing Street, 27th April, 1929.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of Tan Cheng Lock, Esq., and Henry Edwin Nixon, Esq., as Nominated Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

Admiralty, 24th April, 1929. R.N.

The seniority of Surg.-Lieut. C. B. Nicholson, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., has been antedated to 2nd Dec. 1926.

Admiralty, 25th April, 1929. R.N.

Sub-Lieut. D. E. Holland-Martin to be Lieut. 31st Mar. 1929.

R.N.V.R.

Proby. Sub-Lieut. W. M. Nairn to be Sub-

Lieut. with seny. 9th Mar. 1929 Proby. Sub-Lieut. T. S. Forbes to be Sub-Lieut. with seny. of 12th Mar. 1929.

Surg. Sub-Lieut. D. C. Livingston to be Surg. Lieut. with seny. of 28th Mar. 1929.

Admiralty, 26th April, 1929.

R.N.

Payr. Lieut. W. S. Cooper to be Payr. Lieut... Com. 15th Apr. 1929.

R.M.

Prob. Lt. E. A. Brown is confirmed in the rank of Lieut. 1st Sept. 1928.

Prob. Lt. R. G. S. Lang is confirmed in the rank of Lieut. 1st Oct. 1928.

Admiralty, 27th April, 1929.

R.N.

Lieut. J. H. Candy placed on Retd. List. 27th Apr. 1929.

R.N.R.

Sub-Lieut. H. Close to be Lieut. 11th Apr. 1929.

Act. Sub-Lieut. R. E. H. Partington to be Sub-Lieut. with seny. of 16th Mar. 1929.

Admiralty, 29th April, 1929. R.N.

Lieut.-Comdr. A. V. Hemming placed on Retd. List with rank of Comdr. 28th Apr. 1929.

R.N.R.

Paym. Sub-Lieut. J. W. Edelsten to be Paym .-Lieut. 29th Apr. 1929.