

*Downing Street,
30th November, 1931.*

The KING has been pleased to confirm the appointment of Major William Chollerton Lead, M.C., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Tanganyika Territory for a further period.

*Downing Street,
28th November, 1931.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Arnold Kirtland Cole, Esq. (Comptroller of Customs), to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Bahama Islands.

*Scottish Office,
30th November, 1931.*

The KING has been pleased by Royal Warrants dated the 28th instant, to make the following appointments in the Court of Session in Scotland:—

Mr. Thomas Ian McWhannell to be Ordinary Clerk in the Bill Chamber in room of Mr. Frederick James Borthwick, appointed to be Assistant Clerk of the Bills and Sequestrations; and

Mr. George Watson to be Assistant Clerk of Session, in room of Mr. Frank Clark Budge, appointed to be Depute Clerk of Session.

*Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1.
1st December, 1931.*

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

REFERENCE TO STANDING COMMITTEE.

PORTABLE ELECTRIC LAMP CASINGS.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 2, sub-section (4) of the Merchandise Marks Act, 1926, the Board of Trade give notice that in pursuance of an application received by them for the making of an Order in Council to require imported casings for dry or secondary battery portable electric lamps, lanterns and torches, whether fitted with a battery or not, to bear an indication of origin, they have made a reference to the Standing Committee appointed by them under the Act in respect thereof.

Attention is called to the fact that, while under the provisions of the above Act the Committee must in every case referred to them consider whether the goods should bear an indication of origin at the time of sale or exposure for sale, they may also at their discretion consider and report upon the question whether such goods should bear an indication of origin at the time of importation.

*Board of Trade,
Mercantile Marine Department,
Great George Street, S.W. 1.
1st December, 1931.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1923, that they have received during the month of November, 1931, the following Reports of Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties held by Courts in British Self-Governing Dominions, Crown Colonies and Possessions Abroad:—

- (1) s.s. "Kwong Sang."
- (2) s.s. "Kianga."
- (3) m.v. "Canusa."
- (4) s.s. "Koraaga."

*Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1.
2nd December, 1931.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made the following Order:—

The Abnormal Importations (Customs Duties) No. 2 Order, 1931, dated November 30, 1931.

The Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1931, No. 1000, and copies may be purchased (Price 1d. net) directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15, Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any book seller.

*War Office,
4th December, 1931.*

Col. (temp. Brig.) (Hon. Brig.-Gen.) C. H. Brand, C.B., C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O., Australian Staff Corps, is apptd. A.D.C. to The King (Addtl.), vice Col. (temp. Brig.) (Hon. Brig.-Gen.) C. H. Foott, C.B., C.M.G., Australian Staff Corps (ret.). 30th June 1931.

REGULAR ARMY.

The undermentioned retain the temp. rank of Brigadier, whilst empld. as Bde. Comdrs. in India:—

Col. (temp. Brig.) E. de Burgh, D.S.O., O.B.E., Ind. Army. 28th Sept. 1931.

Col. (temp. Brig.) W. K. Venning, C.M.G., C.B.E., M.C. 1st Oct. 1931.

Col. J. C. Gretton, Ind. Army, is granted the temp. rank of Brigadier, whilst empld. as Dep. Adj. and Qr.-Mr.-Gen. of a Comd. in India. 1st Oct. 1931.

Col. S. B. Orton, C.B., is granted the hon. rank of Brigadier on retirement. 1st Dec. 1931.