

"XVIII. Whenever the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the Southern Provinces of the Protectorate of Nigeria becomes vacant, or if the Lieutenant-Governor is administering the Government of the Colony and Protectorate or is absent from Nigeria or otherwise becomes incapable of or is from any cause prevented from performing the duties of his office, the Governor may by an instrument under the Public Seal of the Protectorate appoint another officer to act provisionally as Lieutenant-Governor. Such officer shall cease to act as Lieutenant-Governor as soon as either His Majesty shall have appointed another officer to the office, or the substantive holder of the office shall again be capable of performing the duties of the office, or the Governor shall appoint another officer to act provisionally as Lieutenant-Governor."

III. The above recited Commissions under His Majesty's Sign Manual and Signet bearing date the fifteenth day of May, 1929, and the fourth day of August, 1930, appointing the said Cyril Wilson Alexander and Walter Buchanan-Smith, respectively, to be Lieutenant-Governors in the Protectorate of Nigeria, are hereby revoked.

IV. This Order shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by the Governor by Proclamation in the Nigeria Gazette, and shall be published in such Gazette; and the Governor shall give directions for the publication of this Order at such places, and in such manner, and for such time or times as he thinks proper for giving due publicity thereto within the Protectorate of Nigeria.

V. His Majesty may from time to time revoke, alter, add to, or amend this Order.

And the Right Honourable Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

M. P. A. Hankey.

[This Order came into operation on the 21st September, 1933, having been published in the Nigeria Gazette on the 14th September.]

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

19th September, 1933.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:—

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Robert Carminowe Michell, Esq., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Montevideo; His Majesty's Ambassador designate at Santiago.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the

Bank of England, on Friday, the 29th September, 1933, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £45,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 2nd October, 1933, to Saturday, the 7th October, 1933, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 2 o'clock (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. In virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (4) of the War Loan Act, 1919, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,
22nd September, 1933.

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1.
19th September, 1933.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that They have made the following Order:

The Import Duties (Drawback) (No. 11) Order, 1933.

The Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1933, No. 891, and copies may be purchased (price 1d. net) direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Astral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15, Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall, September 21, 1933.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, to appoint Lieutenant-General Harry Hugh Sidney Knox, C.B., D.S.O., to the Office or