Colonies, Protectorates, etc.

Blackman, James Foster, Head Teacher, Barbados.

Vassallo, Joseph, Chief Landing and Ware-housing Officer, Customs, Malta.

Omar Mohamed, Sergeant, Police, Kenya. Stoby, Sylvanus, Lance Sergeant-Major, Police,

British Guiana.

Whittley, Ernest, Captain and Chief Engineer, Preventive Service, Customs, Trinidad.

James, Robert Alexander, Head Teacher, Trinidad.

Downing Street, 11th October, 1937.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of William Murray Howell, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Presidency of Antigua.

> Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.1. 14th October, 1937.

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

REFERENCE TO THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

In accordance with the provisions of sub-section (4) of Section 2 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 goods of certain classes and descriptions to bear an indication of origin they have made a reference to the Standing Committee appointed by them under the Act in respect of the following descriptions of imported goods:-

Basketware of the following descriptions made wholly or mainly of cane, wicker, bamboo, rush, straw, raffia or seagrass, or of fabrics woven from paper, jute or hemp yarn:

(I) Baskets (other than fruit bushels, cucumber and game flats and similar baskets ordinarily used for the transport

of food).

(2) Furniture and frames therefor.

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.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

PAPER BAG TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES.

In accordance with Regulations made by the Minister of Labour under section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, and dated 21st April, 1927, the Paper Bag Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages at present set out in their Notice P.(17), dated 28th February, 1930, so as to provide for the current rates of wages being paid for a week of 45 hours instead of 48 hours.

Particulars of the proposed variations may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

In accordance with section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board will consider any objections to the proposed variations which may be lodged with them within two months from 15th October, 1937. Any such objection should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and should be sent to the Secretary, Paper Bag Trade Board, Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2. It is desirable that objections should state precisely, and, so far as possible, with reasons, what is objected to.

R. J. Humphreys,

Secretary.

14th October, 1937.

War Office, 15th October, 1937.

The undermentioned are apptd. Aides-de-Camp General to the King. 12th Oct. 1937:-

Gen. Sir W. Edmund Ironside, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. Comdt. R.A., vice Gen. Hon. Sir J. Francis Gathorne-Hardy, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., C.M.G., D.S.O., ret. pay.

Gen. Sir Walter M. St. G. Kirke, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. Comdt. R.A., vice Gen. Sir Alexander E. Wardrop, G.C.B., C.M.G., Col. Comdt. R.H.A., and Col. 2/9 Jat. R., Ind. Army, ret. pay.

REGULAR ARMY.

Maj.-Gen. B. C. Freyberg, V.C., C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., LL.D., h.p., is placed on ret. pay under the prov. of Art. 568, Royal Warrant for Pay and Promotion, 1931. 16th Oct. 1937.

Col. (temp. Brig.) Hon. H. R. L. G. Alexander, C.S.I., D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., to be Maj.-Gen. 16th Oct. 1937.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

undermentioned relinquish their appts.:-

Capt. M. W. Barnett, 3rd H., as A.D.C. to the G.O.C.-in-C., N. Comd. 12th Oct.

Capt. & Bt. Maj. H. L. Birks, R. Tank Corps, as G.S.O., 2nd Grade, War Office. 14th Oct. 1937.

Lt. R. W. M. de Winton, Gordons, as A.D.C. and A.M.S. to G.O.C., British Forces in Palestine & Trans-Jordan (temp.). 20th Sept. 1937.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

Sir William H. Bartholomew, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. Comdt. R.A., to be G.O.C.-in-C., N. Comd. 1937.