

Flying Officer Francis William George Aggett, Royal Air Force.
 Warrant Officer William Charles Billing, Royal Air Force.
 Warrant Officer Eugene Jack Vivian, Royal Air Force.
 Warrant Officer Wilfrid Harry Reed, Royal Air Force.
 Warrant Officer Frederick Martin Weiss, Royal Air Force.
 Flying Officer Leonard Waller Heathcote, Royal Australian Air Force.
 Warrant Officer Ernest Edward Lane, Royal Australian Air Force.
 Warrant Officer William Stanley Simpson, Royal New Zealand Air Force.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

9th June, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:—

To be a Dame Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Irene Frances Adza, Marchioness of Carisbrooke.

To be a Knight Grand Cross of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

The Right Honourable Richard William Alan, Earl of Onslow, O.B.E., Lord Chairman of Committees in the House of Lords since 1931. For political and public services.

To be a Dame Commander of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Katherine Elizabeth, Countess of Elgin and Kincardine, M.B.E., Chairman of the Women's Section, Empire Exhibition, Scotland.

To be Knights Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

James Alan Noel Barlow, Esq., C.B., C.B.E., Under Secretary, Treasury.

Frederick Carl Bovenschen, Esq., C.B., Deputy Under-Secretary of State, War Office.

Harold William Stannus Gray, Esq. For political and public services in Cambridge-shire.

Brigadier-General Ernest Makins, C.B., D.S.O., M.P., Member of Parliament for Knutsford since 1922. For political and public services.

Arthur William Street, Esq., C.B., C.M.G., C.I.E., M.C., First Deputy Under Secretary of State, Air Ministry. Lately Second Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

Cecil McAlpine Weir, Esq., M.C., J.P., Con- vener of the Empire Exhibition, Scotland, and Chairman of the Administrative Com- mittee.

To be Commanders of the Civil Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

John Beard, Esq., Member and Past President of the Council of Agriculture for England. Formerly President of the Workers' Union and of the Transport and General Workers' Union. President of the Trades Union Con- gress in 1930.

Mary Emily, Mrs. Percy Birley, J.P., Chief Commissioner for England, Girl Guides Association, and formerly County Commis- sioner for North West Lancashire.

Harold Bishop, Esq., M.I.E.E., M.I.Mech.E., Assistant Chief Engineer, British Broad- casting Corporation.

Isabella Edith, Mrs. Phillips Brocklehurst. For political and public services in Lancashire and Cheshire.

Robert Henry Charles, Esq., H.M. Chief Inspector of Elementary Schools, Board of Education.

Henry Williamson Clothier, Esq., Director of Accounts, Air Ministry.

Major Ernest Radcliffe Cockburn, O.B.E., Chief Constable of Hampshire.

Miss Ruth Frances Darwin, Senior Commis- sioner, Board of Control.

William Dunn, Esq., J.P. For political and public services in North West Devon.

James Fenton, Esq., M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.H., Medical Officer of Health, Royal Borough of Kensington.

Louis Fleischmann, Esq., Chairman of the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital.

William Gladstone Gilbert, Esq., I.S.O., Deputy Comptroller and Accountant General, General Post Office.

Harry Andrew Bennie Gray, Esq., M.I.Mech.E., M.I.Chem.E., J.P., Chairman of the Huddersfield and District Local Employment Committee and of the Juvenile Advisory Committee.

Miss Elizabeth Hurdon, M.D., lately Director, Medical Services and Research, the Marie Curie Hospital, Hampstead, and now a member of the Advisory Council of the Hospital.

Bennett Melvill Jones, Esq., A.F.C., Francis Mond Professor of Aeronautical Engineering in the University of Cambridge.

Major Cedric Llewellyn Longstaff, T.D., J.P., D.L. For political and public services.

Major Cyril Clarke Boville Morris, M.C., M.I.Mech.E., lately Chief Officer, London Fire Brigade.

Cecil Oakes, Esq., Clerk of the East Suffolk County Council.

Lady Muriel Evelyn Vernon Paget, O.B.E., Founder of the British Subjects in Russia Relief Association. For welfare and charit- able work in various foreign countries.

William George Pearson, Esq., J.P., Member of Parliament for Jarrow, 1931-35. For political and public services in Jarrow.

William Percival Robinson, Esq., M.Inst.C.E., County Engineer and Surveyor, Surrey County Council.

Humbert Anthony Sabelli, Esq., Secretary of the Lawn Tennis Association.

Clarence Thomas Albert Sadd, Esq., J.P. For political and public services.

Miss Ethel Walker, Artist.

Charles Redwood Vachell Wallace, Esq., Second Assistant Director of Public Prosecutions.