

Signor Stanislao Lepri, as Consul of Italy at Colombo, with consular jurisdiction in the island of Ceylon;
Señor Don Alberto Fernández Ballesteros, as Consul of Spain at Gibraltar; and
Mr. G. Stanley Hawker, as Consul of Turkey at Birmingham.

Foreign Office,
October 1, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Ernest Edmonds, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Society Islands, the Tuamotu Archipelago including the Gambier Islands or Mangareva, the Marquesas Islands, the Archipelago of Tubuai, the Island of Rapa and the Bass Islets, to reside at Tahiti.

Foreign Office,
October 2, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Walter St. Clair Howland Roberts, Esquire, C.M.G., M.C., to be a Counsellor of Embassy in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office,
October 4, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Terence Vincent Brenan, Esquire, O.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Kingdom of Bulgaria, to reside at Sofia, with effect from 29th August, 1938.

Foreign Office,
November 19, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Victor Vincent Cusden, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for French West Africa and the territory of Togoland under French Mandate, to reside at Dakar; and
Edgar James Joint, Esquire, His Majesty's Consul-General at Leopoldville, to be also His Majesty's Consul-General for French Equatorial Africa and the territory of the Cameroons under French Mandate.

Foreign Office,
December 1, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Captain Alexander Napier, I.A., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Khorramshahr.

Foreign Office,
December 16, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Stanley Rupert Jordan, Esquire, to be a Commercial Secretary, First Grade, attached to His Majesty's Embassy in Turkey.

Foreign Office,
February 1, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Frank Savery, Esquire, C.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Republic of Poland, to reside at Warsaw.

Foreign Office,
February 7, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Mr. John Harrison, as Consul-General of Bulgaria in London.

Senhor Henrique Pinheiro de Vasconcellos, as Consul-General of Brazil in London, for the Counties of Bedford, Berkshire, Buckingham, Cambridge, Essex, Hertford, Huntingdon, Kent, Middlesex, Norfolk, Northampton, Oxford, Surrey and Sussex;

Mr. Akiyoshi Tajiri, as Consul-General of Japan at Hong Kong;

Senhora Zorayma de Almeida Rodrigues, as Consul of Brazil at Liverpool, for the Counties of Anglesey, Caernarvon, Chester, Cumberland, Denbigh, Derby, Durham, Flint, Lancaster, Leicester, Lincoln, Merioneth, Montgomery, Nottingham, Northumberland, Salop, Stafford, Warwick, Westmorland, Worcester and York and for the Isle of Man;

Señor Don Frederico A. Xavier, as Consul of the Dominican Republic at Hong Kong;

Sayid Khadim el Dujaily, as Consul of Iraq at Bombay;

Señor Doctor Don Ramón Meza, as Consul of Nicaragua in the Grand Cayman Island;

Señor Don Arturo Brown, as Consul of Uruguay at Glasgow; and

Señor Don Luis Cuellar Calderón, as Vice-Consul of Colombia at Birmingham.

Whitehall, February 18, 1939.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 9th instant, to confer the dignity of a Baronetcy of the United Kingdom upon Andrew Ashton Waller Hills of Hills Court in the County of Kent, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Ministry of Labour,
Whitehall, S.W.1.
20th February, 1939.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS, 1935 TO 1938.

BUILDING INDUSTRY SUPPLEMENTARY UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE SCHEME.

The Minister of Labour has appointed Mr. E. C. P. Lascelles, O.B.E., Barrister-at-Law, to hold an informal enquiry into the scheme entitled the Building Industry Supplementary Unemployment Insurance Scheme which has been submitted under Section 72 (2) (c) of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1935, by the National Joint Council for the Building Industry in England and Wales.