

Foreign Office,
February 15, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Bernard Joseph Gilliat-Smith, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the States of Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee and that part of Florida to the west of the Apalachicola River, to reside at New Orleans.

Foreign Office,
February 25, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Sir Hughe Montgomery Knatchbull-Hugessen, K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Turkish Republic.

Foreign Office,
March 3, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Monsieur A. Moulart, as Consul-General of Belgium at Pretoria, for Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate, Swaziland, Nyasaland, St. Helena and Ascension, Mauritius and Seychelles;

Sir Thomas Dunlop, Bart., as Consul of Hayti at Glasgow;

Mr. Abbas Rafaat, as Consul of Iran at Quetta; Mr. G. A. L. Larsen, as Consul of the Netherlands at Bridgetown, for the island of Barbados;

Mr. Cyril James Fox, as Consul of Poland at St. John's, for Newfoundland;

Mr. Christian T. Steger, as Consul of the United States of America at Jerusalem, with consular jurisdiction also in Transjordan;

Mr. W. Leonard Parker, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Rangoon; and Señor Don Carlos Heyden Altuna, as Vice-Consul of the United States of Venezuela in London.

Duchy of Lancaster Office,
Lancaster Place,
Strand, W.C.2.
9th March, 1939.

The KING has been this day pleased to appoint Colonel Alan Cecil Tod, O.B.E., T.D., of Maryton Grange, Allerton, Liverpool, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

Downing Street,
2nd March, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of

Harold Francis Cartmel-Robinson, Esq., O.B.E. (Provincial Commissioner),

Claude John Lewin, Esq., M.C. (Director of Agriculture),

Lieutenant - Colonel William Alfred Dimoline, M.C. (Officer Commanding the Northern Rhodesia Regiment), and William Cooper Fitz-Henry, Esq., A.M.I.C.E. (Acting Chief Engineer), to be Nominated Members of the Legislative Council of Northern Rhodesia.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918,
AND HOLIDAYS WITH PAY ACT, 1938.

MADE-UP TEXTILES TRADE BOARD
(GREAT BRITAIN).

The Made-up Textiles Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose (a) to issue a direction to provide for holidays with pay and (b) to vary overtime rates.

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

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within two months after 14th March, 1939. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and sent to the Secretary, Made-up Textiles Trade Board, Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

R. J. Humphreys,
Secretary.

13th March, 1939.

Amendments of Scheme approved on
9th March, 1939.

COAL MINES ACT, 1930.

THE CUMBERLAND DISTRICT (COAL MINES)
SCHEME, 1930.

Whereas by subsection (5) of Section 1 of the Coal Mines Act, 1930, it is provided that any Scheme may be amended with the approval of the Board of Trade in manner provided by the Scheme;

And whereas in pursuance of powers conferred upon them by subsection (4) of Section 3 of the said Act, the Board of Trade have made the Cumberland District (Coal Mines) Scheme (Amendment) Order, 1939, which provides that the Cumberland District (Coal Mines) Scheme, 1930, may be amended so as to provide for the matters specified in the Schedule to the said Order in addition to the matters mentioned in subsections (2) and (3) of the said Section 3;

And whereas it is provided by Clause 18 of the said Scheme (*inter alia*) that any alteration in the provisions of the Scheme shall be operative from such date as may be prescribed by the Board of Trade;

And whereas in pursuance of the said Clause 18 the amendments of the said Scheme set out in the Schedule hereto have been submitted to the Board of Trade by the Executive