

Foreign Office,
October, 19, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Harold Ernest Slaymaker, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of Texas and New Mexico, to reside at Houston.

Foreign Office,
October 22, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Donald St. Clair Gainer, Esquire, C.M.G., O.B.E., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of Venezuela.

Foreign Office,
October 23, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Captain Charles Vincent Woodforde-Booth, M.C., to be His Majesty's Consul at Punta Arenas.

Foreign Office,
November 9, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Charles Edward Shuter Dodd, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republics of Panama and Costa Rica.

Foreign Office,
November 15, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Nigel Bruce Ronald, Esquire, C.M.G., C.V.O., to be an Acting Counsellor of Embassy in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office,
November 20, 1939.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Sir Geoffrey George Knox, K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Republic of the United States of Brazil.

Foreign Office,
January 1, 1940.

The following notification is in substitution for that which appeared in the London Gazette of the 7th November, 1939.

Foreign Office,
January 4, 1940.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Second Secretaries in His Majesty's Diplomatic

Service, with effect in each case from the date indicated:—

Nicolas John Alexander Cheetham, Esquire (October 11, 1939).

William Denis Allen, Esquire (October 12, 1939).

John Chaplin, Esquire (October 12, 1939).

Bernard Alexander Brocas Burrows, Esquire (October 15, 1939).

Anthony Edward Lambert, Esquire (October 15, 1939).

Ivor Thomas Montague Pink, Esquire (October 15, 1939).

Isham Peter Garran, Esquire (October 19, 1939).

Henry Arthur Frederick Hohler, Esquire (October 19, 1939).

Whitehall, January 16, 1940.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 12th instant, to present the Reverend William James Gray, Vicar of St. Nicholas, Rochester, Rural Dean of Rochester and Honorary Canon of Rochester Cathedral, to the Archdeaconry of Tonbridge, void by the resignation of the Venerable Leonard Savill, M.A.

FACTORIES ACT, 1937.

In pursuance of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to make Regulations under Section 129 (2) of the Factories Act, 1937, revoking the Order dated 4th February, 1902, made under Section 7 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, which prescribes a standard of ventilation for certain humid textile factories other than cotton cloth factories.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Regulations may be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller. Whitehall.

12th January, 1940.

FACTORIES ACT, 1937.

In pursuance of Section 122 of the Factories Act, 1937, the Right Honourable Sir John Anderson, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Walter MacPherson Samson to be one of His Majesty's Inspectors of Factories. Whitehall.

12th January, 1940.

RESERVOIRS (SAFETY PROVISIONS) ACT, 1930.

PANELS OF QUALIFIED CIVIL ENGINEERS.

The Secretary of State, acting in conjunction with the Minister of Health and the Department of Health for Scotland, and after consultation