D.S.O., Major Kenneth Elliston Poyser, Legal Service, Chief Justice, Federated Malay States.

Major Hubert Craddock Stevenson, C.M.G., O.B.E., Colonial Administrative Service, Chief Commissioner, Ashanti, Gold Coast.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 12th June, 1941.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to appoint The Right Honourable Sir Archibald Henry Macdonald Sinclair, Bt., C.M.G., M.P., Secretary of State for Air, to be a Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1. 12th June, 1941.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotion in and oppointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be Additional Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order:-

Sir George Henry Gater, C.M.G., D.S.O., Secretary, Ministry of Home Security.

Henry Vaughan Markham, Esq., M.C., Per-

manent Secretary, Admiralty. Sir (Evelyn) John Maude, K.B.E., C.B., Secretary, Ministry of Health.

To be Additional Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:

Herbert Brittain, Esq., Pr Secretary, H.M. Treasury. Esq., Principal Assistant

James Temple Cotton, Esq., O.B.E., Director of Contracts, Ministry of Aircraft Produc-

Edward Ellis, Esq., Parliamentary Alan Counsel.

Henry Stanley Gregory, Esq., Director of Establishments, Ministry of Supply.

Lancelot Vernon Meadowcroft, Esq., Director of Contracts, Air Ministry.

John Falkiner Morton, Desmond C.M.G., M.C., Personal Assistant to the Prime Minister.

ric Arthur Seal, Esq., lately Prince Private Secretary to the Prime Minister. Principal

Charles Allison Taylor, Esq., M.C., Regional Telecommunications Director, London Region, General Post Office.

John Mackay Thomson, Esq., Secretary, Scottish Education Department.

Orlando Cyprian Williams, Esq., M.C., Principal Clerk in the Committee and Private Bill Office, House of Commons.

To be an Additional Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:—

Frederick Arthur Whitaker, Esq., M.Eng., M.Inst.C.E., Civil Engineer in Chief, Admiralty.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 12th June, 1941.

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To be an Additional Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable

Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Francis Henry Douglas Charlton Whitmore, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., T.D., President, Territorial Army and Air Force Association of the County of Essex.

To be Additional Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order:-

Lieutenant - Colonel Clervaux Alexander Chaytor, D.S.O., D.L., Chairman, Territorial Army and Air Force Association of the North Riding of the County of York.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Robert Sloan Leslie, T.D., D.L., Chairman, Territorial Army and Air Force Association of the City of Glasgow.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Thomas William Pearson, D.S.O., T.D., D.L., Chair-man, Territorial Army Association of the County of Monmouth.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.I. 12th June, 1941.

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 Exalted Order of the Star of India: -

To be Additional Knights Commanders of the said Most Exalted Order:-

His Highness Maharaja Vikramsinha Puar, Maharaja of Dewas, Senior Branch, Central India.

Sir Andrew Gourlay Clow, C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Governor-General's Executive Council.

Sir Abraham Jeremy Raisman, C.S.I., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Member of the Governor-General's Executive Council.

To be Additional Companions of the said Most Exalted Order:-

Muhammad Saleh Akbar Hydari, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Representative of the Government of India on the Eastern Group Supply Council and lately Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Labour.

Lieutenant-Colonel John de la Hay Gordon, C.I.E., O.B.E., M.C., Indian Political Service, Resident in Mysore.

Henry Foley Knight, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Adviser to the Governor of Bombay.