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TUESDAY, I FEBRUARY, 1944

Whitehall, February 1, 1944.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 28th ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the 28th ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the United Kingdom upon Sir Thomas Royden, Baronet, C.H., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of BARON ROYDEN, of Frankby in the County Palatine of Chester.

Whitehall, February 1, 1944.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 29th ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the United Kingdom upon William Westwood, Esq., O.B.E., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of BARON WESTWOOD, of Gosforth in the County of Northum-berland berland.

Whitehall, February 1, 1944.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, baring date the 31st ultimo, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the United Kingdom upon Charles George Ammon, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of BARON AMMON, of Camberwell in the County of Surrey.

Whitehall, February 1, 1944.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the Ist instant, to confer the dignity of a Barony of the United Kingdom upon Sir Courtauld Greenwood Courtauld-Thomson, K.B.E., C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of BARON COURTAULD-THOMSON, of Dorneywood in the County of Buckingham.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. A. R. Sharrod he is considering the appoint-ment of a Medical Referee under the above Act, for the County Court Districts of Bromyard, Kidderminster, Stourbridge, Tenbury, and Wor-cester. (Circuit No. 22).

Applications for appointment should be addressed to the Under-Secretary of State, Home Office, Corn-wall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.I, and should reach him not later than 23rd February, 1944.

Whitehall,

1st February, 1944.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925. WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACI, 1925. The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Robert Wilkinson Greatorex, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., of Heath Mount, Halifax, Yorks, to be a Medical Referee under the above Act for the County Court Districts of Bradford, Keighley, Otley, Skipton, Dewsbury, Wakefield, Halifax and Huddersfield (Circuit No. 12), and Harrogate, Ripon, Tadcaster, York and Leeds (Circuit No. 14) with a view to his dealing with ophthalmic cases arising in those districts. in those districts.

Whitehall.

31st January, 1944.

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service, St. James's Square, London, S.W.I.

28th January, 1944.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. J. G. Warren an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Dartmouth, in the County of Devon, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 15th February, 1944.

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service,

St. James's Square, London, S.W.1. 28th January, 1944.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has made the following appointments under the Factories Act, the 1937

Dr. J. Macdonald to be Examining Surgeon or the Norwich District of the County of for Norfolk.

Dr. S. Salisbury to be Examining Surgeon for the Llandudno District of the County of of Caernarvon.

Downing Street, 18th January 1944. The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel James Austen Woodgate (Executive Engineer), to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Falkland Islands.

TRADING WITH THE ENEMY ACT, 1939, and DEFENCE (TRADING WITH THE ENEMY) REGULATIONS, 1940, and in the Matter of A.C.I.L. Limited.

A.C.I.D. Limited. An Order has been made by the Board of Trade releasing John Barwick Thompson of Bankruptcy Buildings, Carey Street, London, W.C.2, as Con-troller under the Order made on 30th December, 1942, for the winding up of the business of A.C.I.L. Limited carried on at 5, Carlisle Street, London, W.I.

21st January, 1944.