

Treasury Chambers, Great George Street,
London, S.W.1.

3rd April, 1947.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that They have made an Order under Sections 1 and 3 of the Debts Clearing Offices and Import Restrictions Act, 1934, entitled "The Clearing Office (Spain) Amendment Order, 1947."

The Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders No. 590 and copies may be purchased (Price 1d. net) direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Foreign Office, 11th April, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing by the undermentioned persons of the decorations respectively indicated, conferred upon them by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Belgium in recognition of services during the war.

Order of Leopold II.

Grand Officer.

Sir Walter Ernest Hargreaves, K.B.E.

Chevalier.

Nanita, Mrs. Robertson.
Doctor Elmer T. Pheils.

Order of the Crown.

Commander.

Miss Harriet Cohen, C.B.E.

Officer.

Sir Philip d'Ambrumenil.

Foreign Office, 11th April, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing by the undermentioned persons of the decorations respectively indicated, conferred upon them by His Majesty The King of Denmark in recognition of services during the war.

Order of the Dannebrog.

Commander (Class II).

Hon. Andrew Alexander Morton Weir.

Knight.

Charles James Higginson, Esquire, C.B.E.

Whitehall, March 13, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to award the King's Police and Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to Lieutenant James Robert Rose, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Burma Armed Police.

Whitehall, March 13, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to award the King's Police and Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to the undermentioned Officers of Police:—

Duncan George MacPherson, Lance-Sergeant (now Sub-Inspector), Hong Kong Police.
David Loie (deceased), Assistant Superintendent, Chinese Company, Police Reserve, Hong Kong.
Wilson Ibekwe, Sergeant, Nigerian Police.

Whitehall, April 11, 1947.

The KING has been pleased by Warrant bearing date the 2nd instant, to appoint the Reverend Edward Edwardes, B.A., lately Chaplain to the Forces, to the Living of Howden Panns in the County of Northumberland and Diocese of Newcastle, vacant by the cession of the Reverend David Urwin Rutherford.

Whitehall, April 11, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to approve the presentation of the Reverend Raymond Sefton Hornby to the Rectory of the Parish of Saint Clement in the Island of Jersey, vacant by the death of the Reverend Thomas Henry Labey, M.A.

PETROLEUM (PRODUCTION) ACT, 1934.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice of determination by the Licensee of a prospecting licence granted under the Petroleum (Production) Act, 1934, and the Petroleum (Production) Regulations, 1935, to the Anglo-American Oil Company Limited of 36, Queen Anne's Gate, London, S.W.1. The area covered about 186 square miles in the Counties of Chester, Denbigh, and Flint. A description of the boundaries of the area appeared in the London Gazette dated 12th February, 1946.

A map showing the boundaries of the area may be inspected on application to the Ministry of Fuel and Power, Petroleum Division, 7, Millbank, London, S.W.1.

9th April, 1947.

Lieutenancy of the County of Nottingham.

The undermentioned resign their Commissions as Deputy Lieutenants for the County of Nottingham:—

Major George Herbert Peake.
Herbert Bowles, C.B.E.

Dated 1st April, 1947.

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Air Ministry, 11th April, 1947.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the following personnel who have been Mentioned in Despatches:—

Flight Lieutenant.

A. D. DOUGLAS (190252), R.A.F.V.R.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

Flying Officer.

R. R. N. FORREST (Aus.421587), deceased.

India Office, 11th April, 1947.

The KING has approved the following promotions, retirements, etc.:—

INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned officers retire:—

Maj. W. a'C. BEADON (AI 752), 22nd June 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Col. E. V. R. BELLERS, 1st Mar. 1947. (Substituted for the notifi. in the Gazette dated 28th Feb. 1947.)

Lt.-Col. F. H. WILLASEY-WILSEY, M.C. (275 IA), 23rd Mar. 1947.

Lt.-Col. T. H. WAUMSLEY, M.C. (307 IA), 6th Apl. 1947.

7th Apr. 1947.

Lt.-Col. A. F. G. FORBES, M.C. (IA 340).

Col. A. H. MACKIE, C.I.E.

Lt.-Col. P. A. MEADE, O.B.E., M.C. (AI 366).

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their comms.:—

Lt. G. R. ST. LEGER (EC 15640), 1st Feb. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Lt. J. W. SIMPSON (EC 764), 28th Mar. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Maj. E. D. LAKIN, M.B.E. (EC 1618), 6th Apl. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.-Col.

Capt. J. N. A. HOBBS (EC 204), 13th Aug. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

28th Aug. 1946.

Lt. N. H. HOLLINGBERY (EC 5288), and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. A. MCKENZIE (EC 3060), and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Capt. T. H. LARDER (EC 5725), 2nd Sept. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Capt. C. J. GUIGNARD (EC 1661), 5th Sept. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.

Lt. J. M. HOLLAND (EC 5241), 16th Oct. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Cpts. (D.C.) to be Maj. (C).

Ty. Col. G. MURPHY, M.B.E. (OS-44), 28th Nov. 1946.

J. H. ELDRIDGE (OS-49), 30th Nov. 1946.

Ty. Lt.-Col. J. E. FINN (OS-50), 22nd Dec. 1946.