The KING has been graciously pleased to give unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decoration bestowed by the Queen of the Netherlands in recognition of service to the Royal Netherlands Navy:

Officer in the Order of Orange-Nassau (with Swords).

emporary Acting Lieutenant-Commander (Sp.) George Lewis Causton Elliston, R.N.V.R. Temporary

The KING has been graciously pleased to give unrestricted permission for the wearing of the following decoration bestowed by the President of the United States of America in recognition of distinguished service to the Allied Cause during the war:-

Medal of Freedom with Bronze Palm.

Temporary Captain (Acting Temporary Major) Arthur William Sclater, Royal Marines.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BARNSLEY.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Health in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by section 1 of the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, has made an Order entitled the Barnsley (Extension of Time) Order, 1947, for further extending until the 26th March 1950 the periods limited by the Barnsley (Extension of Time) Order, 1944, for the compulsory purchase in pursuance of ance of-

(I) The Barnsley (No. 8) Housing Confirmation

Order 1938.
(2) The Barnsley (No. 13) Housing Confirmation Order 1939.
(3) The Barnsley (No. 14) Housing Confirmation

Order 1939.

(4) The Barnsley (No. 15) Housing Confirmation

(5) The Barnsley (No. 16) Housing Confirmation Order 1939.

of certain lands described in the said Orders.
Copies of the Order may be obtained from the
Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.1.
Dated this 22nd day of July, 1947.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.I.

Under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, the Minister of Transport has made an Order extending for a period of three years the time limited by section 35 of the Crewe Corporation Act, 1938, for the execution of the street works authorised

by Part III of the said Act of 1938.

Copies of the Order may be obtained from the Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, Ministry of London, W.1.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

Under the above Act the Minister of Transport has made the London-Holyhead Trunk Road, (Salop) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 4) 1938, (Extension of Time) Order, 1947, extending for a further period of three years the time within which the powers of compulsory purchase conferred by the London-Holyhead Trunk Road, (Salop) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 4) 1938, as extended by the London-Holyhead Trunk Road, (Salop) Compulsory Purchase Order (No. 4) 1938, (Extension of Time) Orders, 1942 and 1945, may be exercised. and 1945, may be exercised.

Copies of the Order may be obtained from the Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1.

MERSEY CONSERVANCY ACT.

Mersey Conservancy,
Ministry of Transport,
Berkeley Square House,
Berkeley Square, W.1.

I hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th Section of the Act 5 & 6 Victoria, cap. 170, intituled "An Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that I have received a Notice from The County Borough of Birkenhead given pursuant to the

provisions of the above mentioned Act, of their intention to construct a Jetty north of Eastham Ferry in connection with the new Birkenhead Power Station in accordance with plans and sections deposited at this Office, a copy of which Notice is subjoined.

Vice-Admiral,

Acting Conservator of the Mersey.

To Vice-Admiral Sir John Edgell, K.B.E., C.B., F.R.S., Acting Conservator of the Mersey.

In pursuance of an Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey (5 and 6 Vic. cap.

We, The County Borough of Birkenhead hereby We, The County Borough of Birkenhead hereby give you notice that we propose to construct at the site of Birkenhead Power Station near Bromborough, Cheshire, on the west bank of the River Mersey in accordance with Plans and Section deposited at the Ministry of Transport—

(i) A reinforced concrete jetty for the purpose of mooring self-propelled sea-going ash and silt barges, each of about 700 tons capacity. The jetty will be in accordance with Consultants' Plan No. 22.4/160.3.

The construction of this jetty will involve the construction of a temporary rock-fill embankment around the side of the ash jetty, constructed of clean rock rubble with an impervious clay core.

(ii) A total of three tunnels, one inlet, one outlet and one standby, required for leading circulating water to and from the Power Station as shown on the Consultants' Plan No. 22.4/160.3.

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(iii) A river wall on the river side of the circulating water seal pit. This wall will be approximately in line with the foreshore as shown on the Consultants' Plan No. 22.4/160.3.

Dated this 11th day of July, 1947.

E. W. Tame, Town Clerk.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1937.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Order:

Order No. 6870.

(Dated 14th July, 1947.)

Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Special Order No. 66 of 1947.

Subject.

Declares an area comprising the districts situate within approximately 15 miles of Warndon, Worcester, to be an Infected Area for the purpose of preventing the spreading of foot-and-mouth disease, to which area the provisions of the Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) Order of 1938 are applied. The area subject to restrictions lies in the countries of Gloucester, Hereford, Warwick and Worcester.

Copies of the above mentioned Order may obtained from the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Animal Health Division, 99, Gresham Street (First Floor), London, E.C.2.

INCOME TAX.

Whereas it has become necessary to renew the List of Persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the Division of Newnham, in the County of Gloucester, as Commissioners for the General Purposes of the Acts of Parliament relating to Income Tax: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a Meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners having jurisdiction with regard to Land Tax within vene a Meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners having jurisdiction with regard to Land Tax within the Division aforesaid being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at The Police Station, Newnham, on Thursday, the 14th day of August, 1947, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the General Purpose of the aforesaid Acts for the Division of Newnham aforesaid.

W. G. E. Burnett. E. W. Verity.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, London. 17th July, 1947.