

3. Adhesive cloth tape in widths not exceeding three inches and in lengths of not less than fifty yards.

Any representations which interested parties desire to make should be made in writing to the Commissioners of Customs and Excise, City Gate House, Finsbury Square, E.C.2, not later than the 15th November, 1949.

*Treasury Chambers, London, S.W.1.*

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that They have made an Order under section 10 of the Finance Act, 1926, exempting acetyl-acetone from Key Industry Duty for a period ending with the 31st December, 1949.

The Order which comes into operation on the 6th October, 1949, is entitled the Safeguarding of Industries (Exemption) (No. 7) Order, 1949, and is published as Statutory Instruments 1949, No. 1824.

Copies of the Order may be obtained (price 1d. net) direct from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

*Whitehall, October 4, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 1st instant, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the undermentioned gentlemen:—

The Honourable Edwin Arthur Lewis Wijeyewardene, Chief Justice of Ceylon.

Arthur Marcelles De Silva, Esq., C.B.E., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., Member of the Public Service Commission of Ceylon.

(His Majesty's approval of these Knighthoods was signified on 9th June, 1949.)

*Whitehall, October 4, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint Miss Isabel Grace Hood Wilson, M.D., Ch.B., F.R.C.P., D.P.M., to be a Senior Commissioner under the Mental Treatment Act, 1930, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Ruth Darwin, C.B.E.

*Whitehall, October 4, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the Realm empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Peterborough to elect a Bishop of that See the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Claude Martin Blagden, D.D., late Bishop thereof; and His Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend Spencer Stottisbury Gwatkin Leeson, M.A., Rector of Saint Mary, Southampton, Rural Dean of Southampton, and Canon and Wiccamical Prebend of Wyndham in Chichester Cathedral, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Peterborough.

*Whitehall, October 4, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 30th ultimo, to appoint Andrew Naesmith, Esq., C.B.E., to be a Member of the Court of Directors of the Bank of England until the 28th February, 1953, in the room of the late Sir George Chester, C.B.E.

**WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTY OF SOMERSET.**

**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTY OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.**

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that on the 21st September, 1949, he made Orders under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1939, in respect of the above mentioned counties.

Copies of the Orders may be purchased direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following

addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; and 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall.

30th September, 1949.

*Commonwealth Relations Office.*

**NOTICE UNDER S. 2 OF THE RHODESIA RAILWAYS LIMITED (PENSIONS SCHEMES AND CONTRACTS) ACT, 1949.**

Notice is hereby given under Section 2 of the Rhodesia Railways Limited (Pension Schemes and Contracts) Act, 1949, that the 17th day of September, 1949, is the date by which

(a) the Southern Rhodesian Statute;

(b) the Ordinance of the territory of Northern Rhodesia; and

(c) the Proclamation of the High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland

referred to in the said Section 2 have all been enacted or made and that accordingly the said Rhodesia Railways Limited (Pensions Schemes and Contracts) Act, 1949, pursuant to the provisions of Section 2 thereof came into operation on the said date.

Downing Street,

London, S.W.1.

4th October, 1949.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service.*

*Factory Department.*

8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.

24th September, 1949.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. K. Corrigan to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Spennymoor District of the County of Durham.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. R. Jones to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Bala District of the County of Merioneth.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service.*

*Factory Department.*

8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.

27th September, 1949.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. W. John to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Stoke-on-Trent District of the County of Stafford.

*Admiralty, 22nd September, 1949.*

*R.N.*

Cdr. R. St. A. MALLESON, A.F.C., placed on Retd. List. 10th Sept. 1949.

Cdr. (L) F. T. SEARLE placed on Retd. List. 20th Aug. 1949.

Cdrs. (S) placed on Retd. List on dates stated:—

W. J. G. PROPHIT, O.B.E. 30th Aug. 1949.

L. W. PRING. 12th Nov. 1949.

Lt.-Cdr. A. GRAY placed on Retd. List in rank of Cdr. (Retd.). 17th Sept. 1949.

Lt.-Cdrs. placed on Retd. List on dates stated:—

A. J. W. PITT, D.S.O., C. G. de L. BUSH. 8th Sept. 1949.

N. C. EASEY. 16th Sept. 1949.

M. S. L. BURNETT. 22nd Sept. 1949.

Lt.-Cdr. C. C. THORNTON from Extended Service Commission granted permanent commission in Executive Branch of R.N. in rank of Lt.-Cdr. with seny. 29th July 1949.

Lts. to be Lt.-Cdrs. with seny as stated:—

J. F. DUCKWORTH, T. H. TRAYLOR, M.B.E., H. G. VERE, D.S.C., R. L. HALL, A. G. DAVIES, D.S.C., D. R. WILLIAMS, M.B.E., P. L. LANLEY-SMITH, E. R. DICKINSON, R. R. COLLS. 1st Sept. 1949.

Lts. (L) to be (Lt.-Cdrs. (L) with seny as stated:—

P. A. M. HUDSON, D.S.C. 1st Sept. 1949.

G. W. NICHOLLS. 2nd Sept. 1949.

P. A. WATSON. 10th Sept. 1949.