

Harold Myers, Esquire (20th June, 1947).
 Alexander Mathieson Smith, Esquire (20th June, 1947).
 Ernest Frank Wise, Esquire (20th June, 1947).
 William Bernard George Chisholm, Esquire (1st July, 1947).
 Harry Armitage Cooper, Esquire, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 Sidney Herbert Gellatly, Esquire, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 Miss Elizabeth Warnock Guthrig, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 George Edward Hance, Esquire, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 William Frederick Redmond, Esquire, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 Miss Ina Amelia Strong, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 Wilfred Lewis Thomas, Esquire, M.B.E. (1st July, 1947).
 Enoch Williams, Esquire (1st July, 1947).

Foreign Office, 11th April, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. Vernon B. Zirkle, as Consul of the United States of America at Glasgow; and
 Señor Don Fernando Fernández, as Consul of Panama at Kingston, Jamaica.

Foreign Office, 1st May, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Monsieur Felix Jansen, as Consul-General of Belgium for the British possessions in the Pacific to the west of 180° longitude (with the exception of the Fiji Islands) and the condominium of the New Hebrides, with residence at Canberra;
 Monsieur John Van Rickstal, as Consul-General of Belgium for the islands of St. Helena and Mauritius, with residence at Pretoria;
 Mr. Karl Gustav Lommer, as Consul of Denmark at Singapore;
 Mr. Christen Theodor Rosenvinge, as Consul of Iceland at Newcastle-on-Tyne;
 Signor Carlo Enrico Giglioli, as Consul of Italy for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland, with residence at Johannesburg; and
 Mr. D. T. Jones, as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Newport, for the counties of Monmouth and Hereford.

Foreign Office, 8th May, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. Wylie Keith Evans, as Consul of Hayti at Kingston, Jamaica.

Foreign Office, 15th May, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. D. J. Warren, as Consul of Belgium at Suva, for the Island of Tonga, the Fiji Islands, the British Solomon Islands, the Gilbert and Ellice Islands, the condominium of the New Hebrides, and the other islands under the jurisdiction of the High Commissioner for the Western Pacific;
 Mr. James W. Gould, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Hong Kong; and
 Mr. Philip Barber, as Vice-Consul of Paraguay at Liverpool.

Foreign Office, 30th May, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Señor Don Adolfo A. Bollini, as Consul-General of the Argentine Republic in London, for the counties of Kent, Surrey, Essex, Hertford, Suffolk, Cambridge, Norfolk, Huntingdon, Northampton, Bedford, Buckingham, Middlesex, Berks and Oxford; and for the United Kingdom Overseas Territories not already within the district of an Argentine Consular Officer; and with general jurisdiction in the remainder of Great Britain, Northern Ireland and the Channel Islands;
 Mr. H. Gordon Minnigerode, as Consul of the United States of America at Dar-es-Salaam;
 Mr. Randolph Roberts, as Consul of the United States of America at Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia;

Mr. Harry L. Smith, as Consul of the United States of America at Hong Kong; and
 Mr. William Beckett Dunlop, as Consul of Belgium at Glasgow, for the counties of Argyll, Ayr, Bute, Dumbarton, Dumfries, Kirkcudbright, Lanark, Renfrew, Stirling and Wigtown.

Foreign Office, 12th June, 1950.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. Richard A. Poole, as Consul of the United States of America at Kuala Lumpur; and
 Senhora Margarida Guedes Nogueira, as Consul of Brazil at Southampton, for the counties of Berks, Cornwall, Devon, Dorset, Hants, Somerset, Wilts, and the Isle of Wight, the Channel Islands and the British possessions in the Mediterranean.

Whitehall, June 23, 1950.

The KING was pleased on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at Buckingham Palace to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Mr. Justice (Charles Arthur) Collingwood.

Whitehall, June 23, 1950.

His Royal Highness The Duke of Gloucester, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., acting on behalf of His Majesty by authority of Letters Patent under the Great Seal dated 17th March, 1950, conferred the honour of Knighthood upon Charles Edward Mortimer, Esq., C.B.E., Member for Health and Local Government on the Executive Council of the Colony and Protectorate of Kenya, on the 30th March last.

Whitehall, June 23, 1950.

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 and Abbey Church of Saint Alban to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Philip Henry Loyd, M.A., late Bishop thereof; and His Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Right Reverend Edward Michael Gresford Jones, M.A., Bishop Suffragan of Willesden and Rector of Saint Botolph, Bishopsgate in the City of London, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Saint Albans.

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS ACT, 1933.

ST. CHARLES' SCHOOL, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 9th May, 1950 the Managers of the St. Charles' School, Brentwood, Essex, in accordance with the provisions of Section 79 (3) of the Children and Young Persons Act, 1933, notified their intention to surrender the Certificate of Approval in respect of the School.

Home Office,
 Whitehall.

19th June, 1950.

THE GRAND PRIORY IN THE BRITISH REALM OF THE VENERABLE ORDER OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF JERUSALEM.

Chancery of the Order,
 St. John's Gate,
 Clerkenwell, London, E.C.1.

23rd June, 1950.

The KING has been graciously pleased to sanction the following Promotions in, and Appointments to, the Venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem:—

As Knights.

The Viscount Leverhulme.
 Major Percy George Darvil-Smith, C.B.E.
 Bernard Edwin Brown.
 Captain Joseph MacLeod Carey, O.B.E.
 Captain Geoffrey Cartland Hugh Crawshaw.
 Francis Llewellyn Jacob.