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TUESDAY, 22 JANUARY, 1952

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

22nd January, 1952.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the advice of His Majesty's Australian Ministers, to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of distinguished service in Malaya:—

To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:—

Warrant Officer Thomas Wilson HEWITT (A.31165), Royal Australian Air Force.

Clarence House, St. James's.

THE PRINCESS ELIZABETH DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH AND THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH have been pleased to appoint Wing Commander Michael George Cowan, D.S.O., Royal Australian Air Force, to be Extra Equerry to Their Royal Highnesses during the Royal Tour in Australia, 1952.

January, 1952.

Clarence House, St. James's.

THE PRINCESS ELIZABETH DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH AND THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH have been pleased to appoint Wing Commander Douglas Fitzclarence St. George, D.F.C., Royal New Zealand Air Force, to be Extra Equerry to Their Royal Highnesses during the Royal Tour in New Zealand, 1952.

January, 1952.

Treasury Chambers, 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 the following articles from Key Industry Duty for a period ending with the 19th February, 1952.

Parts of vacuum tubes, whether such parts are finished or not, the following:—

Beryllium metal windows for X-ray tubes.

Synthetic organic chemicals, analytical reagents, other fine chemicals and chemicals manufactured by fermentation processes, the following:—

Aluminium chloride (anhydrous).

mono Chlorobenzene.

2-Ethylbutan-1-ol (a hexyl alcohol).

mono Nitroethane.

Tetrachloroethylene.

The Order which comes into operation on the 25th January, 1952, is entitled the Safeguarding of Industries (Exemption) (No. 1) Order, 1952, and is published as Statutory Instruments, 1952, No. 87.

Copies of the Order may be obtained (price 2d. net) direct from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses: York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 429 Oxford Street, London, W.1 (P.O. Box 569, London, S.E.1); 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 39 King Street, Manchester, 2; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 2 Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or from any Bookseller.

Foreign Office, 21st January, 1952.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint (with effect from the dates respectively indicated):—

Sir Charles Brinsley Pemberton Peake, K.C.M.G., M.C., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Athens (22nd October, 1951);

Norman Mayers, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Quito (22nd October, 1951);

Charles Norman Stirling, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Santiago (13th November, 1951);

Sir Harold Anthony Caccia, K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Vienna (28th November, 1951);

Roger Bentham Stevens, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Stockholm (1st December, 1951);

Sir Alexander Knox Helm, K.C.M.G., C.B.E., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Angora (6th December, 1951); and

Sir Francis Edward Evans, K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Tel Aviv (28th November, 1951).

Foreign Office, 21st January, 1952.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint (with effect from the dates respectively indicated):—

Donal Cameron, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for French West Africa and the Territory of Togoland under French Mandate, with residence at Dakar (16th March, 1951);

Eric Eyre Crowe, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Länder of Hessen and Rheinland-Pfalz, to reside at Frankfurt (12th September, 1951);

Andrew Graham Gilchrist, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Länder of Baden, Württemberg and Württemberg-Baden, to reside at Stuttgart (15th September, 1951);

William Mitchell Carse, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the States of Sao Paulo, Paraná, Santa Catarina, Matto Grosso, Goyaz and that part of Minas Geraes west of the line following the 47th meridian W. from the point at which it intersects