

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby given notice that They have made an Order under Section 9 of the Finance Act, 1932, and Section 1 of the Import Duties (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1939, viz.:—

The Import Duties (Drawback) (No. 6) Order, 1953, which reduces from 10s. 6d. to 8s. 6d. a cwt. the rate of drawback of Customs duty allowable in respect of certain imported stoned cherries used in the manufacture of drained glacé or crystallised cherries which are exported or shipped as stores. The Order comes into operation on the 8th May, 1953, and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1953, No. 757.

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Whitehall, May 5, 1953.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint Edward Kenelm, Baron Digby, D.S.O., M.C., T.D., to be Her Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Dorset and the Town of Poole and County of the same.

Whitehall, May 5, 1953.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint the Reverend Alfred Henry Trory to the Living of St. Simon, South Shields, in the County and Diocese of Durham, vacant by the cession of the Reverend George Thomas Batey, B.A.

Whitehall, May 5, 1953.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 30th ultimo, to appoint the Reverend Leslie Howe to the Living of St. Aidan, Annfield Plain, in the County and Diocese of Durham, vacant by the cession of the Reverend Hubert Edgar George, B.A.

Downing Street, 26th March, 1953.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by the undermentioned lady and gentlemen, who have served for more than three years as Members of the Executive Council of the State of Western Australia:—

Duncan Ross McLarty, Esq., K.B.E.,
Arthur Frederick Watts, Esq., C.M.G.,
David Brand, Esq.,
Lindsay Thorn, Esq.,
Arthur Valentine Rutherford Abbott, Esq.,
Victor Doney, Esq., and
Dame Annie Florence Gillies Cardell-Oliver,
D.B.E.

The Board of Trade have appointed Mr. Walter Arthur Bishop to be Assistant Official Receiver for the Bankruptcy Districts of the County Courts of Ipswich, Bury St. Edmunds and Colchester; the County Courts of Cambridge, Peterborough and King's Lynn; and the County Courts of Northampton, Bedford and Luton.

This appointment takes effect from 1st May, 1953.

Board of Trade,
Horse Guards Avenue,
London, S.W.1.

1st May, 1953.

The Board of Trade have appointed Mr. Christopher Albert Taylor to be Official Receiver for the Bankruptcy District of the County Courts of Ipswich, Bury St. Edmunds and Colchester, with effect from 1st May, 1953, vice Mr. Kenneth Ernest Fisk, retired.

This Minute of Appointment is additional to the one dated 15th May, 1952.

Board of Trade,
Horse Guards Avenue,
London, S.W.1.
1st May, 1953.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,
Factory Department,
8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.*

10th April, 1953.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. L. Stewart to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Inch District of the county of Aberdeen.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,
Factory Department,
8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.*

11th April, 1953.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. E. F. Riley to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Epperstone District of the county of Nottingham.

WAGES COUNCILS ACTS, 1945 TO 1948.

RETAIL BESPOKE TAILORING WAGES COUNCIL (ENGLAND AND WALES).

The Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Council (England and Wales) hereby gives notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals for (1) the fixing of statutory minimum remuneration in substitution for the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by the Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation Order, 1950 (Order R.B. (36)), as amended by the Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Council (England and Wales) Wages Regulation (Amendment) Order, 1953 (Order R.B. (40)), and (2) the revocation of Order R.B. (36) and Order R.B. (40).

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Wages Council at the address given below.

The Wages Council will consider any written representation with respect to the above-mentioned proposals which may be sent to it within 14 days from the 5th May, 1953. Any such representation should be signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and sent to the Secretary, The Retail Bespoke Tailoring Wages Council (England and Wales), Ebury Bridge House, Ebury Bridge Road, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

F. D. Grover, Secretary.

4th May, 1953.

Admiralty, 23rd April, 1953.

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Admiral Sir Herbert A. PACKER, K.C.B., C.B.E., retires. 18th Mar. 1953.

Vice Admiral (Ret'd) P. W. B. BROOKING, C.B., D.S.O. & Bar, to be Admiral (Ret'd). 18th Mar. 1953.

Vice Admiral Sir Maurice J. MANSENGH, K.C.B., C.B.E., to be Admiral with seny. 18th Mar. 1953.

Rear Admiral I. M. R. CAMPBELL, C.B., D.S.O. & Bar, to be Vice Admiral with seny. 18th Mar. 1953.

Rear Admiral J. T. S. HALL, C.I.E., J.N. (Ret'd) placed on Emergency List in rank of Rear Admiral. 30th Mar. 1953.

Capt. E. G. MCGREGOR, D.S.O., retires. 11th Mar. 1953.

Capt. (E) F. A. LISTER, retires. 21st Apr. 1953.

Cdrs. retire on dates stated:—

J. G. GOULD, O.B.E. 16th Mar. 1953.

H. C. RANALD, O.B.E. 27th Mar. 1953.

J. B. WILSON. 13th May 1953.

W. S. HANDCOCK. 15th May 1953.

Cdrs. (E) retire on dates stated:—

J. I. T. GREEN, O.B.E. 20th Mar. 1953.

J. H. ROUGHTON. 27th Mar. 1953.

J. H. JENKINS. 2nd Apr. 1953.