

The Reverend Cyril James Brown, O.B.E., M.A., General Superintendent of the Missions to Seamen, in the room of the Reverend Canon Ellis Foster Edge-Partington, M.C., M.A., resigned.

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

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

6th November, 1956.

The QUEEN has directed that the appointment of Frank William White (305183) late Major, Royal Army Medical Corps, to be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, dated 6th January, 1944, shall be cancelled and annulled and his name erased from the Register in consequence of his having been cashiered and imprisoned by sentence of a General Court Martial.

Whitehall, November 6, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give and grant unto Fred Huntly Woodcock, Esq., M.B.E., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the decoration of Chevalier of the Order of the Falcon, which has been conferred upon him by the President of the Republic of Iceland, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of Fisheries Attaché to the Icelandic Legation.

Whitehall, November 6, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give and grant unto Frederic Letheren, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Chevalier of the Order of Civil Merit, which decoration has been conferred upon him by the Chief of the Spanish State, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of an employee of the Spanish Embassy in London.

Whitehall, November 6, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give and grant unto Miss Maria de los Dolores Hodges, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Dame of the Order of Civil Merit, which decoration has been conferred upon her by the Chief of the Spanish State, in recognition of valuable services rendered by her in the capacity of Social Secretary at the Spanish Embassy in London.

Whitehall, November 6, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to award The Queen's Police Medal for Gallantry to the late Police Constable Hussain Nihat Vassif of the Cyprus Police Force.

DANGEROUS DRUGS REGULATIONS, 1953.

SUSPENSION OF WITHDRAWAL OF AUTHORITIES.

(Thomas Campbell.)

Whereas the authorities conferred by the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953, on Thomas Campbell, M.B., Ch.B., by virtue of his being a duly qualified medical practitioner to be in possession of and to supply the drugs and preparations to which those Regulations apply were, the said Thomas Campbell having been convicted of offences against the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1951, withdrawn in pursuance of the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by Regulation 29 of the aforesaid Regulations by Notices published in the London Gazette and the Edinburgh Gazette on the 29th day of October, 1954, the registered address of the said Thomas Campbell being then 27, Camperdown Avenue, Chester-le-Street, Co. Durham:

And whereas at the same time the Secretary of State directed that it should not be lawful for the said Thomas Campbell to give prescriptions for the purposes of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953:

And whereas by virtue of Regulation 29 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953, the Secretary of State is empowered at any time to restore such an authority as aforesaid which has been withdrawn under the said Regulation, or to suspend such a withdrawal:

And whereas I am satisfied that it is expedient to suspend the aforesaid withdrawal of authorities from the said Thomas Campbell:

Now, therefore, I hereby suspend, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by Regulation 29 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1953, the aforesaid withdrawal of authorities from the said Thomas Campbell, and I further suspend the operation of the said direction regarding prescriptions given in respect of the said Thomas Campbell

G. Lloyd-George,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State

Home Office,
Whitehall.

29th October, 1956.

Ministry of Labour and National Service,
Factory Department,

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

12th October, 1956.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. R. W. Burbury to be Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948 for the Teignmouth District of the County of Devon.

Ministry of Labour and National Service,
Factory Department,

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

29th October, 1956.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. B. Barton an appointment as Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948 for the District of Silloth in the County of Cumberland is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 24th November, 1956.

Civil Service Commission, 6th November, 1956.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, viz.:—

RECRUITMENT TO THE SPECIAL DEPARTMENTAL CLASSES OF THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE:—

(A) H.M. Inspectors of Taxes in the Inland Revenue Department.

(B) The Cadet Grade in the Ministry of Labour and National Service.

(C) Probationary Assistant Postal Controllers in the Post Office.

(D) Joint Intelligence Bureau Officers, Grade III, Ministry of Defence.

1. There will be two methods of entry: Method I and Method II. Regulation 2 relates to Method I, and Regulations 3 and 4 to Method II; the remaining Regulations relate to both methods. No candidate may compete more than twice, but if he competes under both Method I and Method II in the same year this will be treated as a single attempt.

METHOD I.

2. Examination.

(i) The examination consists of the following:—

(A) A written examination in

(a) three compulsory subjects, namely Essay, English, and Present Day, to each of which a maximum of 100 marks is allotted;

(b) a selection from the optional subjects set out in the Appendix. Subject to the provisions in the Appendix, candidates may take optional subjects up to a total of 500 marks (the marks awarded on these optional subjects will be adjusted to a maximum of 700 marks, making 1,000 marks in all for the written examination).

(B) An interview before the Final Interview Board, which will award a mark out of a maximum of 300 for the candidate's record, intelligence, and personal qualities.

(ii) The final order of merit will be determined by the total marks gained in the whole examination. In the event of a tie between two or more candidates the Commissioners will decide which to declare successful.