Peter Harold Laurence, Esquire, M.C., to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Czechoslovak Republic, to reside at Prague (12th September, 1957);

William John Parkyns, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Santos (18th September, 1957);

Trevor Thomas Gatty, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Leopoldville (10th May, 1957); and Frederick Raymond Jeffers, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Luanda (19th September, to be Her 1957).

Foreign Office, 19th September, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:-

Monsieur Richard Huybrecht, as Consul-General of Belgium for Gambia and Sierra Leone, with residence at Dakar;

Señorita Maria Perdomo Vidal, as Consul-General of the Dominican Republic in London;

Señor Don Francisco Palomo, as Consul-General of Guatemala at Liverpool;

Monsieur N. Brat, as Consul-General of the Netherlands in London, for England, Wales, Northern Ireland, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands;

Mr. Chr. N. van de Rijdt, as Consul-General of the Netherlands at Edinburgh, for Scotland;

Frau Susanne Simonis, as Consul of Germany at Glasgow, for Scotland;

Mr. Clarence Thomas, as Consul of Norway at Swansea, for that town and the county of Carmarthen;

Mr. John w. Birmingham; John W. Arthur, as Consul of Peru at

Mr. James F. Moriarty, as Consul of the United States of America at Nairobi;

Mr. Edward P. Noziglia, as Consul of the United States of America in Barbados

Herr Gerhard Fischer, as Vice-Consul of Germany at Hong Kong;

Mr. Arthur Herbent, as Vice-Consul of Liberia at

Liverpool; Señor Don Eulalio Carrera, as Vice-Consul of

Panama at Hong Kong;

Mr. Marcel van Essen, as Vice-Consul of the United
States of America for the Colony and Protectorate

of Gambia, with residence at Dakar;

Mr. Francis Terry McNamara, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia; and

Mr. Thurston Thomas Thurber, Junior, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Belize, British Honduras.

Foreign Office, 23rd October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:-Monsieur Etienne Harford, as Consul-General of Belgium at Salisbury, for the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland;

Senor Don Alberto Araujo Merlano, as Consul-General of Colombia at Liverpool; Monsieur Edouard Bruegger, as Consul-General of Switzerland for Gambia, Nigeria, Sierra Leone and the territory of the Cameroons under United Kingdom Trusteeship;

Monsieur Philippe Simon, as Consul of France at Malta, for Malta and Cyprus; Mr. John Collins, as Consul of Germany at

Aberdeen.

Mr. Thomas J. Hunt, as Consul of the United States of America in London;

Mr. James F. Grady, as Consul of the United States of America at Southampton;

Mr. Knox Lamb, as Consul of the United States of America at Barbados;

Mr. Arthur R. Dornheim, as Consul of the United States of America at Hong Kong;

Mr. Talcott W. Seelye, as Consul of the United States of America at Kuwait;

Mr. Theo C. Adams, as Consul of the United States of America at Lagos, Nigeria;

Mr. J. Foster Collins, as Consul of the United States of America at Singapore;

Señor Don Arnaldo Augusto de Oliveira Sales, as

Vice-Consul of Spain at Hong Kong; and Mrs. Elizabeth B. Johnsen, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America in London.

Foreign Office, 30th October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned Consular Officers of the United States of America in the capacities respectively indicated:

Arthur R. Ringwalt, as Consul-General at

Kingston, Jamaica;
Mr. William R. Crawford, Junior, as Consul at Aden;

Mr. Peter Hooper, Junior, as Consul at Kampala, Uganda; r. Wilfred V. Duke, as Consul at Kingston,

Mr. Taylor G. Belcher and Mr. Samuel R. Sanders,

Junior, as Consuls at Nicosia;
Mr. George T. Churchill, as Consul at Singapore;
Mr. J. William Henry, as Vice-Consul at Liverpool;
Mr. Michael E. Sterner, as Vice-Consul at Aden;
Mr. Arthur L. Price, as Vice-Consul at Hamilton,
Bermuda; and

Mrs. Sara L. Andren, as Vice-Consul at Kingston, Jamaica.

Foreign Office, 1st November, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:-Senhor Oswaldo Tavares, as Consul-General of Brazil at Hong Kong; for that Colony.

Mr. Yoshimitsu Ando, as Consul-General of Japan at Hong Kong;

Senhor Manoel Maria Fernandes Alcazar, as Consul of Brazil at Hong Kong;

Señor Don José H. H. Xavier, as Consul of the Dominican Republic at Hong Kong;

Mr. Fouad Khoury, as Consul of the Lebanon at Lagos; and

Lagos; and Señor Don Flavio Ruben Peralta, as Consul of Paraguay at Liverpool.

Foreign Office, 14th November, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned Consular Officers of the United States of America in the capacities respectively indicated:-

F. Peterson, as Consul-General at Averv Singapore

Mr. George H. Steuart, Junior, as Consul in London; Mr. Clarence J. McIntosh, as Consul at Hong Kong; Mr. Donald L. Woolf, as Consul at Singapore; Mr. Eugene A. T. Luebker, as Vice-Consul at

Belfast Richard W. Kautsky as Vice-Consul Mr. Glasgow

Mr. John W. Kizler, as Vice-Consul at Liverpool; Mr. William A. Brown, Mr. Theodore T. Franzen, Mr. Mark J. Garrison, and Mr. Loren E. Lawrence, as Vice-Consuls at Hong Kong; and Mr. John S. Connolly, as Vice-Consul at Singapore.

Buckingham Palace, 28th November, 1957. This day had Audience of The QUEEN:-

His Excellency Monsieur Petre Balaceanu, to present the Letters of Recall of his predecessor Monsieur Nicolae Corcinschi, and his own Letters of Credence as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Roumanian People's Republic Republic.

Foreign Office, S.W.1.

November 28, 1957.

It is hereby notified that the Consular Convention between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Federal Republic of Germany signed in Bonn on the 30th July, 1956 (Cmnd. 5) will enter into force on the 28th December, 1957.

Whitehall, 3rd December, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give and grant unto John Gavin Morton Paulden, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Chevalier (First Class) of the Order of Vasa, which has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Sweden, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of honorary Consul of Sweden at Acera, Ghana.