The QUEEN has been pleased, by Warrants under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 1st instant, to re-appoint the following to be Members of the National Assistance Board until the 31st December 1961:

Sir Geoffrey Clegg Hutchinson, M.C., T.D., Q.C. (Chairman);

Harry Pigott, Esq., M.B., Ch.B.

The Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 5th instant, to appoint the following Members of the Local Government Commission for Wales, under the Local Government Act, 1958:

Guildhaume Myrddin-Evans, K.C.M.G., C.B. (Chairman), Sir David Emrys Evans (Deputy Chairman), William Jones, Esq., O.B.E., Professor Charles Edward Gittins,

Mrs. Janet Morgan.

The QUBEN has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the Realm empowering the Provost and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Southwark to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Bertram Fitzgerald Simpson, M.C., D.D., late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Provost and Chapter the Reverend Arthur Mervyn Stockwood M A Vicer the Reverend Arthur Mervyn Stockwood, M.A., Vicar of St. Mary the Great, Cambridge, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Southwark.

The Queen has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 6th instant, to appoint the Reverend Henry Chadwick, D.D., Fellow of Queen's College, Cambridge, to the Office and Place of Regius Professor of Divinity in the University of Oxford, together with the place and Dignity of a Canon of the Cathedral Church of Christ in the said University thereunto annexed, void by the resignation of the Reverend Canon Leonard Hodgson, D.D.

> Whitehall, London S.W.1. January 1959.

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS ACT, 1933

The Elms Training School. Leicester Road, Market Harborough, Leicestershire.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 30th December 1958, the managers of The Elms Training School, Leicester Road, Market Harborough, Leicestershire, 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 on 30th June 1959.

COLONIAL OFFICE

The Church House, Great Smith Street, London S.W.1. 6th January 1959.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Chief Henzekiah Oladipo Davies to be of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Federation of Nigeria.

COMMONWEALTH RELATIONS OFFICE

Downing Street, London S.W.1. 31st December 1958.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Maurice Emanuel Cantor, Esquire, formerly a Member of the Industrial Commission of the State of New South Wales.

ADMIRALTY

2nd January 1959.

R.N.

Cdrs. retire on dates stated:

J. B. BURFIELD, M.V.O., D.S.C. and Bar. 3rd

J. D. BURFIELD, M.V.O., D.S.C. and Bar. Jan. 1959.
J. R. H. BULL, M.B.E., D.S.C. and Bar. Dec. 1958.

Surgn. Cdrs. retire on dates stated:
C. Ommanney-Davis, L.R.C.P. & S. 14th Oct.
1958.

A. J. BURDEN, M.B., Ch.B. 3rd Dec. 1958.

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Lt.-Cdrs. retire on dates stated:
R. A. Wood, M.B.E. 29th Dec. 1958.
G. A. Hamilton, D.S.C. 23rd Dec. 1958.
D. W. H. Gardner. 17th Nov. 1958.
D. G. Brown. 20th Nov. 1958.
R. L. W. Nash. 28th Dec. 1958.
A. L. Brittain, S. C. Trethowan, R. C. E. Watkin. 29th Dec. 1958.
J. Hogg, T. B. P. Hubbard. 30th Dec. 1958.
A. L. Brown. 31st Dec. 1958.
G. Pitt. 5th Jan. 1959.
D. Smith. 6th Jan. 1959.
A. G. Mitchell. 10th Jan. 1959.
E. H. Ives. 12th Jan. 1959.
B. C. Hutchinson. 13th Jan. 1959.
I. B. Hartnell. 6th May 1959.

I. B. HARTNELL. 6th May 1959.

Lt.-Cdrs. (S.D.) retire on dates stated: T. R. Brooks, M.B.E. 29th Dec. 1958. R. CAMPBELL. 10th Jan. 1959.

Lt.-Cdr. R. A. Morris, retires. Shipt.

1959.

Lts. to be Lt.-Cdrs. with seny. as stated:
F. A. H. ASHMEAD, J. B. HERVEY, R. G. PRICE,
D. G. MATHER, V. A. SMITH. 1st Nov. 1958.
L. G. LOCKE. 16th Nov. 1958.

Actg. Lts. to be Lts. with seny. as stated: G. H. BRIDGER. 1st Nov. 1957. W. F. FISHER. 16th Nov. 1957. A. BANHAM. 1st May 1958. N. J. ROWE. 1st Oct. 1958.

Lts. (S.D.) retire on dates stated:
J. SMITH, J. F. WRIGHT. 29th Dec. 1958.
T. B. BROWNLEE, M.B.E. 2nd Jan. 1959.

E. A. Mosedale. 3rd Jan. 1959. P. C. R. Calway. 5th Jan. 1959.

G. O. O. Dampier. 6th Jan. 1959.

Lt. (S.L.) T. P. BOURKE, retires. 5th Jan. 1959. Lt. (S.L.) G. B. WARNER, Commission terminated. 9th Jan. 1959. Elect. Lt. E. THOMAS, retires. 11th Dec. 1958.

Instr. Lts. (†) placed on Emergy. List on dates

F. R. ALLEN, B.Sc., Ph.D., C. D. FIELD, B.Sc., J. G. GULLIVER, M.Sc., M. J. B. MARCOTTY, B.Sc., A. S. MATTHEWS, B.Sc., F. MORGAN, B.Sc., Ph.D. 3rd Jan. 1959.

D. R. NOARS, B.Sc. 5th Jan. 1959.

Granted Short Service Commission in rank of Actg. Instr. Lt. (†) with seny. as stated:
D. F. Bradford, B.Sc. (Eng.). 5th Dec. 1958.
D. A. HAWKSWELL, B.Sc. 2nd Jan. 1959.

Surgn. Lts. placed on Emergy. List on dates stated:

P. L. Jones, M.B., Ch.B. 29th Dec. 1958. D. J. Cripps, M.B., B.S., D. H. Marjot, M.B., B.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. 30th Dec. 1958.

Granted Short Service Commission in rank of

Surgn. Lt. with seny. as stated:
I. M. Macintyre, M.B., Ch.B. 4th Dec. 1958.

Actg. Surgn. Lts. to be Surgn. Lts. with seny. as stated:

C. Brough, M.B., Ch.B., K. P. S. Lumley, B.M., B.Ch., P. E. H. Wilson, M.B., B.S. 14th Nov. 1958.

Sub Lts. to be Lts. with seny. as stated:
C. R. H. Broadway, N. T. Hannan, J. Hedley,
G. A. Hogg, T. Leland, R. S. Scotford. 1st
Nov. 1958.

Actg. Sub Lts. to be Sub Lts. with seny. as stated:
M. J. M. Brophy, R. W. H. Browne, J. A.
Davis, M. J. Drewell, R. J. Emerson, P. M.
Harris, D. A. Inman, J. G. Kersey, P. W.
Lindley, P. J. McGregor, O. R. H. Maitland,
J. M. R. Phipps, P. A. T. Randall, J. de H.
Saumarez, J. L. Scott, T. J. Sims-Williams,