CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE,

DOWNING STREET, June 25, 1909.

The King has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:-

To be Ordinary Members of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

The Right Honourable Sir William Edward Goschen, G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipoten-

tiary at Berlin. The Right Honourable Sir Maurice William Ernest de Bunsen, G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., C.B., His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Madrid.

Te be an Honorary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

Monsieur Louis Renault, Minister Plenipotentiary in the French Diplomatic Service, Professor at the "Faculté de Droit," Paris, Legal Adviser to the French Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Member of the Institute of France, Member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration at the Hague.

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

James Beethom Whitehead, Esq., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister

Plenipotentiary at Belgrade. Sir George William Buchanan, G.C.V.O. C.B., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Hague and Luxemburg.

Ralph Spencer Paget, Esq., C.V.O., C.M.G., His Majesty's Minister Resident at Munich

and Stuttgart.

Major Sir John Lane Harrington, K.C.V.O., C.B., late His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Adis Abeba.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

John Francis Charles, Count de Salis, C.V.O., Councillor in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service. Frederick Samuel Augustus Bourne, Esq., Assistant Judge of His Majesty's Supreme Court for China and Corea.

Walter Ralph Durie Beckett, Esq., His

Majesty's Consul at Bangkok.

Major Charles Hotham Montagu Doughty Wylie, Acting British Vice-Consul at Konieh and Mersina; in recognition of his services during the recent disturbances in Asia Minor.

Edgar Bonham Carter, Esq., Legal Secretary to the Soudan Government.

INDIA OFFICE, June 25, 1909.

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire:-

To be Knights Commanders:

William Stevenson Meyer, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department. Wilhelm Schlich, Esq., C.I.E., Ph.D., late Indian

Forest Department.

To be Companions:

Henry Parsall Burt, Esq., A.M.I.C.E., Manager, North-Western Railway

Godfrey Butler Hunter Fell, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department.

John Newlands, Esq., Officer on Special Duty in connection with the re-organisation of the

Telegraph Department.
Colonel James Henry Elias Beer, V.D., Commandant, Mussoorie Volunteer Rifles.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Parkin, Indian Army, Deputy Inspector-General of Military Police, Burma.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Neil Campbell, M.B., Indian Medical Service, Officiating Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Eastern Bengal and

Montagu Sherard Dawes Butler, Esq., Indian Civil Service, Deputy Commissioner of Lahore, and lately Settlement Officer, Kota, Rajputana. Major Stuart George Knox, lately Political Agent at Koweit.

Captain Cecil Godfrey Rawling, Prince Albert's

Somersetshire Light Infantry

Edgar Thurston, Esq., L.R.C.P., Superintendent, Government Central Museum, and Superintendent of Ethnography, Madras.

Diwan Bahadur Seth Kastur Chand Daga, Rai Bahadur, of Bikaner, Rajputana.

Rai Natthi Mal Bahadur of Khurja in the Bulandshahr District, United Provinces.

Rai Bahadur Buta Singh of Rawalpindi, Punjab. Henry Alexander Kirk, Esq., India Office, late India Telegraph Department, Director-in-Chief Indo-European Telegraph Department.

CHANCERY OF THE ROYAL VICTORIAN ORDER. ST. JAMES' PALACE, June 25, 1909.

The King has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Honorary Commander:

Professor Laurits Regner Tuxen.

To be Knights Commanders:

Major-General The Honourable Sir Frederick William Stopford, K.C.M.G., C.B., General Officer Commanding London District.

Almeric William Fitzroy, Esq., C.V.O., Clerk to the Privy Council.

Major-General Douglas Haig, C.V.O., C.B.,

Director of Staff Duties at Head-Quarters. he Very Reverend James Cameron Lees, C.V.O., D.D., Chaplain in Ordinary to His Majesty in Scotland and Dean of the Order of the Thistle.

Lieutenant-Colonel FitzRoy Augustus Talbot Clayton, Chairman, Royal National Lifeboat Institution.