

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,
28th November 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire for exceptional devotion in the performance of military duties. To be dated 28th November 1919 :—

To be a Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—

Herbert, Col. (T./Brig.-Gen.) Edward Sidney, C.M.G.

To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—

Black, Capt. (T./Maj.) John, 1/1st War. Yeo.
Ring, Maj. James Sinclair Henry, 46th Punjabis, Ind. Army.

Rutherford, T./Capt. Zerube Baillis, R.A.V.C.
Mohammed Bey Wifki, El Kaimakam (Lt.-Col.), 16th Bn., Egypt Army.

Mohamed Effendi Shahin, Bimbashi, D.S.O., Egypt A. Cav.

To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—

Barry, Lt. Jack Leslie, 1st Bn., King George's Own Ghurkhas Rifles, Ind. Army.

Davies, Lt. John Trevor, 19th Lancers, attd. 46th Punjabis, Ind. Army.

Ellis, Lt. Frederick Rowland, Dur. L.I., attd. M.G. Corps.

*Foreign Office,
15th September 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :—

The Rt. Hon. Sir Esme William Howard, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Spain ;

Sir Horace George Montagu Rumbold, Bart., K.C.M.G., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Poland ;

Sir Ronald William Graham, K.C.M.G., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands ;

The Honourable Theo William Odo Villiers Russell, C.V.O., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Swiss Confederation ;

Colville Adrian de Rune Barclay, Esq., C.B.E., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Sweden ;

The Honourable William Augustus Forbes Erskine, M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Cuba ; and

Sir George Russell Clerk, K.C.M.G., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Czecho-Slovak Republic.

*Foreign Office,
21st October 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :—

The Rt. Hon. Sir George William Buchanan, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Italy.

*Foreign Office,
28th October 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :—

Sir Charles Alban Young, K.C.M.G., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of the Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes.

*Foreign Office,
1st November 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint :—

Richard Maximilian, Baron Acton, K.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Finland.

*Buckingham Palace,
25th November 1919.*

This day had audience of the KING :—

His Excellency Señor Doctor Don Juan Antonio Buero, Minister Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs of the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay, to present his Letters of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary on a Special Mission from that Republic to His Majesty.

Whitehall, November 26, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the death of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Edward Lee Hicks, late Bishop thereof ; and His Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Very Reverend William Shuckburgh Swayne, D.D., Dean of Manchester, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Lincoln.

Whitehall, November 26, 1919.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 26th instant, to appoint William, Baron Sterndale, to be Chairman of the Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts.