their way along under the protecting timber to Gleaves' feet when they had to withdraw on account of the imminence of another fall. This further fall was heavier than the previous two, and completely buried Gleaves, breaking all the protecting timber except that originally erected by Burton. No further falls occurred, and after between four and five hours' work the imprisoned man was extricated.

Burton, in waiting to erect a protection for his trapped comrade, undoubtedly saved Gleaves' life and gravely imperilled his own.

# Whitehall, June 8, 1928. EDWARD MEDAL.

In the notice dated the 26th April 1928, which appears in Gazette No. 14,442 of the 11th May, notifying the award of the Edward Medal to Mr. James Marron and Mr. James M'Mullin, for "Mr. James M'Mullin" read "Mr. James Mullen."

#### WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed William Arnold Sinclair, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., of Willowburn Road, Kirkwall, to be one of the Medical Referees under the above Act for the Orkney District (Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland).

Whitehall, 12th June 1928.

#### Downing Street, 11th June 1928.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Gabriel Laffitte, Esq., M.B.E., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Island of St. Lucia.

### Downing Street, 11th June 1928.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Thomas George Westall, Esq., to be a Nominated Member of the Legislative Council of St. Lucia.

(The notification of the 25th May 1928, regarding the appointment of William Victor Degazon, Esq., to be a Nominated Member of the Legislative Council of St. Lucia is hereby cancelled.)

Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.1, 12th June 1928.

# MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

With reference to the Notice which was published in the London, Edinburgh, and Belfast Gazettes of the 2nd September 1927, regarding of Trade and the Civil Service Commissioners,

a reference made by the Board of Trade to the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act 1926, in respect of imported briar pipes, stained or unstained, and briar bowls, stained or unstained, the Board of Trade hereby give notice, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2, Sub-section 7, that a Report has been made by the Committee in respect of the aforesaid class and description of goods.

The Report has been published and may be obtained directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15 Donegall Square West, Belfast, or through any bookseller

## Civil Service Commission, June 12, 1928.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF OFFICIAL RECEIVERS AND ASSISTANT OFFICIAL RECEIVERS IN THE BANKRUPTCY (HIGH COURT) AND COMPANIES (WINDING-UP) DEPARTMENTS AND IN SALARIED PROVINCIAL BANKRUPTCY OFFICES OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

These Regulations are liable to alteration from time to time.

- 1. When the Board of Trade think it desirable that persons not on the permanent staff of the Board should be admitted to compete together with permanent officers of the Department for appointment to the above posts, they will take such steps as they think most appropriate by public advertisement in the Press or otherwise to make known the existence of the vacancies, and the Civil Service Commissioners will satisfy themselves that the steps taken have been such as to secure all desirable publicity. The advertisement will fix the last day on which applications can be received, and the date by which the age-limits will be reckoned. The Board of Trade will send a notice of the vacancies to the authorities of other Departments having professional legal or accounting staff.
- 2. Application will be addressed to the Board of Trade on the appropriate form. After the last day for application has been reached the Board will scrutinise all the applications received and recommend to the Commissioners such candidates as appear to them best qualified for the duties. They will at the same time forward to the Civil Service Commissioners the application forms of the candidates recommended, together with the application forms of any candidates not recommended who are employed in a Government Department; and the list of candidates to be interviewed by the Selection Board will then be settled by agreement between the Board of Trade and the Civil Service Commissioners.