of Great Britain, and the Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, by virtue and in exercise of all the powers enabling His Majesty in that behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts, 1890 and 1913, or otherwise in His Majesty vested, and being authorised thereto by His Majesty's said Commission, are pleased by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, on His Majesty's behalf, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

- (1) The Colonial Probates Act, 1892, shall from the date of this Order apply to Palestine, as though that country were a British Possession:
- (2) Nothing in this Order shall affect the sealing in the Irish Free State of any Probate or Letters of Administration in pursuance of the said Act.

M. P. A. HANKEY.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 24th May 1929.

The KING has directed that the appointment of Edward Albert Rix to be a Member of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, dated the 5th June 1926, shall be cancelled and annulled, and his name erased from the Register, in consequence of his having been convicted by the Civil Power.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 31st May 1929, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £45,000,000.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 3rd June 1929, to Saturday, the 8th June, 1929, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.
- 3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.
- 5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.
- 6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than

the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 2 o'clock' (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

- 7. In virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (4) of the War Loan Act, 1919, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.
- 8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England...
- 9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 24th May, 1929.

Factory Department, Home Office, May 14, 1929.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Harrison an appointment as certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Lesmahagow, in the County of Lanark, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, May 16, 1929.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Cameron an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Muirkirk, in the County of Ayr, is vacant.

Downing Street, 23rd May 1929.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Victor Lawrence Bryant, Esq., and the Reverend Robert Cleghorn to be Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of British Honduras for a further period.

Admiralty, 16th May 1929. R.N.R.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following officer:—

Lieut.-Comdr. J. W. Paine.