approve of the Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned:-

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For Gallantry.

Abdus Samad Abdul Wahid Golandaz, Landlord, Property-owner and Sand Contractor, Bombay. Mr. Golandaz owns a fleet of boats and trained boatmen which he places at the disposal of the authorities whenever Surat, Rander or the surrounding districts are threatened by floods, and on frequent occasions he has risked his own life in leading his men to works of rescue. He has shown conspicuous personal bravery on several occasions. In particular on the 16th of September 1933, when the Tapti River had swollen to such proportions that one of the sluices in the city wall had been damaged and water was pouring in through it, threatening to flood the city, he volunteered to dive into the flooded river and ascertain the nature and extent of the damage. He accomplished this brave feat successfully and blocked the sluice with sandbags at considerable risk to his own life. In 1930 he had also performed an act of conspicuous bravery in rescuing the boys of the Government High School and the family of the Excise Inspector, whose bungalows had been cut off by the floods.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 4th Jame 1934.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's Birthday, to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned:

For Meritorious Service.

William Bunn, Office Keeper, Stormont Buildings, Ministry of Finance, Northern Ireland. Frederick Charles Cartwright, Head Assistant in the Investigation Branch of the Post

Frederick George Clark, Head Office Keeper, India Office.

Charles Croft, Foreman at the School of Artillery.

George Patrick William Keay, Head Messenger to the Postmaster General.

Hector James M'Lennan, Sergeant, Royal Corps of Signals. Instructor, Wireless Group Burma Military Police.

Constables. Alfred Robert Henry Miller Metropolitan Wilfrid Ivor Randolph Wilkins (Police.

For courage and determination in arresting armed criminals.

Reginald Cyril Victor Mott Constables. John Murray Palestine Cyril Albert David Savory Police.

For services during the disturbances in October and November 1933.

Thomas Opie, Head Gardener and Caretaker, Imperial War Graves Commission, France.

John Montagu Pocock, Assistant Commander, Metropolitan Special Constabulary.

Suleiman Gereis, Senior Instructor of Manual

Training, Gordon College, Sudan. Abu Bakr Hassan, Assistant Locomotive Inspector, Sudan Railways.

Bida Sule, Master, Grade I., Nigerian Marine.

Whitehall, June 4, 1934.

IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments:-

To be Companions of the Imperial Service Order:-

HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

Murdoch Beaton, Esq., General Inspector, Department of Health for Scotland.

Alfred Graham Bell, Esq., Senior Examiner, Patent Office.

John Lockton Bryan, Esq., M.B.E., Senior Staff Officer, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

David Alfred Chart, Esq., Litt.D., Principal, Ministry of Finance, and Deputy Keeper, Public Record Office, Northern Ireland.

Hugh Annan Corbet, Esq., Deputy Master of the Branch of the Royal Mint at Perth, Western Australia.

Frank Coucher, Esq., Chief Accountant, Supreme Court Pay Office.

Aubrey Culley, Esq., Assistant Principal Clerk, Office of the Controller of Stamps, Board of Inland Revenue.

Alphonso William James Davies, Esq., M.B.E., Clerk in Charge, Hospital Department, Admiralty Greenwich

Alfred Featherstonhaugh, Esq., First Class Officer, Ministry of Labour,

Alec Robert Gibbs, Esq., M.Inst.C.E., A.M.I.Mech.E., Superintending Civil En-

gineer, Air Ministry William Gladstone Gilbert, Esq., Deputy andComptroller Accountant General Post Office.

Frederick Mayes, Esq., Senior Staff Officer, Ministry of Health. parles Scott Nic

Nicoll, Esq., Charles Assistant, Librarian's Department, Foreign Office.

Esq., Alfred Leonard Screech, O.B.E., Director of Accounts, H.M. Stationery Office.

James William Simmons, Esq., Inspector, First Class, Board of Customs and Excise.

Ernest Graham Williams, Esq., M.B.E., Senior Staff Officer, Mines Department.

DOMINIONS.

Lewis Findlay East, Esq., Secretary, Marine Branch, Department of Commerce, Commonwealth of Australia.

John Henry Osborn Eaton, Esq., Engineer-in-Chief, State of South Australia.

Charles Herbert Palmer Robinson, Esq., lately Principal Parliamentary Reporter, Commonwealth of Australia.

Ward George Wohlmann, Esq., Commissioner of Police, Dominion of New Zealand.