Foreign Office, October 1, 1911.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint-

Captain William Marshall Fordham, to be Military Attaché to His Majesty's Legation at Tehran.

Foreign Office,

October 10, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Thomas P. Moffat as Consul-General of the United States of America at Singapore;

Ohannés Effendi as Consul-General of Turkey at Johannesburg;

Señor Don Luis Enrique Bonilla as Consul of Colombia at Liverpool;

Señor Doctor Don José Azurdia as Consul of Guatemala at Liverpool and Manchester;

Señor Don Lino Duarte Col as Consul of Venezuela at Southampton;

Mr. Edward Francis Betson as Consul of Norway at Dublin, for the counties of Armagh, Carlow, Cavan, Dublin, Fermanagh, Galway, Kerry, Kildare, Kilkenny, King's County, Leitrim, Longford, Louth, Mayo, Meath, Monaghan, Queen's County, Roscommon, Sligo, Tipperary, Tyrone, Waterford, Westmeath, Wexford and Wicklow;

Mr. William C. Magelssen as Consul of the United States of America at Melbourne;

Mr. Charles K. Moser as Consul of the United States of America at Colombo;

Mr. Hans Becker as Consul of Brazil at Singapore for the Straits Settlements;

Signor Renato Piacentini as Consul of Italy at Aden;

Mr. Charles M. Freeman as Consul of the United States of America at Sydney, Nova

Mr. Allen Gard as Consul of the United States of America at Charlottetown, Prince Edward

Mr. Edwin W. Trimmer as Consul of the United States of America at Niagara Falls, Ontario ;

Mr. S. R. Groom as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Harwich for the county of Suffolk, with the exception of Lowestoft, and for that portion of the county of Essex to the north of a line from Maldon to Saffron Walden, but not including those two places; and

Mr. C. F. A. van der Sluys as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Guernsey for the Bailiwick of Guernsey, comprising the Islands of Alderney, Guernsey, Herm, Jethou, and Sark.

> Foreign Office, October 17, 1911.

His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from His Majesty's Ambassador at Rome and Con- grant unto Harry Davies Campbell Jones,

stantinople communications to the following effect:

Besides the lights permanently extinguished at Brindisi, Taranto and Augusta, which are under military régime, facultative powers have been given to local authorities in case of necessity to put out lights. Amongst these authorities is the Governor of Massowah. It is not known at the Italian Foreign Office whether that official has availed himself of the faculty. No Italian lights except the three above specified had been extinguished on October 11th.

All Ottoman lighthouses from Cape Nagara Dardanelles, as well as those of Adriatic and Red Sea, have been extinguished by the lighthouse administration under an order of the

Turkish Government.

Whitehall, October 19, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned officers His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear Decorations (as stated against their respective names) which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valu-able services rendered by them:—

Third Class, Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh.

Captain Harold François Saphir Amery, Royal Highlanders.

Captain Hugh Dermod Evan O'Sullivan, Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Stewart Francis Newcombe, Royal Èngineers.

Fourth Class, Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh.

Captain Geoffrey Wallace Grainger Hughes, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Captain Aleyn Witley Stokes, Royal Engineers. Captain Robert John Collins, Royal Berkshire Regiment.

Lieutenant George Boothby Wauhope, York and Lancaster Regiment.

Whitehall, October 19, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Basil Hall Chamberlain, Esq., Honorary Professor at the Imperial University at Tokio, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of the Sacred Treasure, conferred upon him by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan as a promotion in that Order, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him in the advancement of literature.

Whitehall, October 19, 1911.

The KING has been pleased to give and