The KING has also been graciously pleased to approve of the following promotion in the Army:—

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Captain William Ince Webb-Bowen, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), employed with the King's African Rifles, to be Major, in recognition of his services in conducting the operations against the Eiyerri and Gimorreh Tribes in the Northern Province of Uganda, July to November, 1911. Dated 4th September, 1912.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Tuesday, the 10th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £3,000,000 in replacement of Bills falling due on the 16th instant.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 16th September, 1912, and will be payable at six months after date, viz.:—on the 16th March, 1913.
- 3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London banker.
- 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Wednesday, the 11th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Monday, the 16th September, 1912.
- 6. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 3rd September, 1912.

> Foreign Office, July 20, 1912..

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

- 'Arthur Morison Chalmers, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for Corea, to reside at Seoul;
- Arthur Hyde Lay, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Territory of Hawaii, to reside at Honolulu;
- Ralph George Elliott Forster, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Consular District of Nagasaki, comprising the Prefectures of Saga, Nagasaki, Kumamoto, Miyasaki,

Kagoshima, and Okinawa (Loochoo Islands), to reside at Nagasaki;

John Twizell Wawn, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Chemulpo;

Alfred Richard Firth, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Kobé; and

William Massy Royds, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Manila.

Foreign Office, August 31, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to approve of-

Mr. John William Constantine Kittleson as Consul of Norway at Johannesburg for the Transvaal and Orange Free State Provinces of the Union of South Africa;

Cavaliere Stefano Carrara as Consul of Italy at Malta, with jurisdiction in the Maltese Group;

Herr Richard Kuenzer as German Consul at Zanzibar for the Islands of Zanzibar and Pemba;

Herr Adolf von Hedemann as German Consul at Mombasa for the Uganda and East Africa Protectorates;

Mr. John B. Groom as German Vice-Consul at Harwich for the Eastern and North-Eastern Divisions of Essex, with Colchester, and for Suffolk, with the exception of the Northern Division;

Mr. J. B. Hale as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Birmingham for the county of Warwick; and

Mr. Elias J. Kahla as Vice-Consul of the Dominican Republic at Manchester.

Whitehall, 14th August, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to grant unto Joseph Weston Swinnerton, of Over Whitacre House, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, eldest son of William Weston Swinnerton, of Stivichall Grange, in the said county of Warwick, Gentleman, His Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Edward Weston, of Over Whitacre House aforesaid, deceased, take and henceforth bear and use the surname of Weston in addition to and after that of Swinnerton, and that he and they may bear the Arms of Weston; the said Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms and recorded in Our College of Arms, otherwise this Our licence and permission to be void and of none effect.

And to command that this Our Concession and Declaration be recorded in His Majesty's said College of Arms.

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