#### Whitehall, July 4, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Major Frederick Carkeet Bryant, C.M.G., Royal Artillery, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of Officer of the Legion of Honour, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by the President of the French Republic in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

## Whitehall, July 4, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Walter James Franklin Williamson, Esq., Financial Adviser to the Siamese Government, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the First Class of the Order of the White Elephant, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Siam in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

# WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that he has appointed Mr. W. W. Cook, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of Springfield, West Hartlepool, to be a Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 2, and to be attached more particularly to the West Hartlepool County Court, during the absence of Dr. A. E. Blackburn on military service.

Dr. Strover, who was appointed temporarily in August, 1915, to act during the absence of Dr. Blackburn, has resigned his appointment on taking up military duties.

Whitehall, 28th June, 1916.

#### Whitehall, July 3, 1916.

The KING has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of the Second Schedule to the Military Service Act, 1916 (5 & 6 Geo. V, cap. 104), to appoint the Right Honourable Laurence Hardy, M.P., of Sandling Park, Hythe, to be a member of the Appeal Tribunal for the County of Kent, including the County Borough of Canterbury.

#### Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Stewart, an appointment as certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Dufftown, in the county of Banff, is vacant.

## Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr.

F. G. Tooker, an appointment as certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Longton, in the county of Lancs, is vacant.

#### Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. A. Stamford, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Tibshelf, in the county of Derby, is vacant.

#### Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. G. Valentine, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Girvan, in the county of Ayr, is vacant.

#### Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. S. H. Pitcairn, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Rothwell, in the county of Northampton, is vacant.

## Factory Department, Home Office, June 27, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. A. Gardiner, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, is vacant.

## Factory Department, Home Office, June 29, 1916.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Thomas, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, is vacant.

## Downing Street, 20th June, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of—

John George Fraser, Esq., C.M.G. Charles Stewart Vaughan, Esq. Robert Bailey Hellings, Esq. George James Rutherford, Esq. Frederick Bowes, Esq., C.M.G., and Walter Culpepper Stanser Ingles, Esq.,

to be Official Members of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.