that such persons have been placed on the Statutory List, provided such contracts have been made prior to such persons being placed on the Statutory List.

To all whom it may concern—

I, Laming Worthington Evans, M.P., Controller of the Foreign Trade Department of the Foreign Office, in pursuance of the authority given me in this behalf by His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, hereby, on behalf of His Majesty, give and grant unto every person or body of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, resident, carrying on business or being in the United Kingdom, who has made, or shall hereafter make, any contract of Marine Insurance, (or of insurance against fire, or any other risk, of goods or merchandize during transit from shipper's or manufacturer's warehouse until deposited in warehouse on the termination of the transit, where any part of the transit is by sea), with any person or body of persons in the United States of America whose name now is, or shall hereafter be, placed upon the Statutory List of persons with whom trading is forbidden by any Proclamation issued under the Trading with the Enemy (Extension of Powers) Act, 1915, prior to the date on which the name of such person or body of persons in the United States of America was, or shall be, placed on the Statutory List, full licence and authority to have commercial intercourse and to transact all necessary business, with regard to such contract and to all matters arising thereout with, and to receive and pay all sums of money payable under such contract from or to, the person or body of persons with whom such contract has been, or shall be, made, and generally to do all things necessary for carrying into effect such contract in as full and ample a manner as if the name of the person or body of persons with whom such contract has been, or shall be, made had not been placed on the Statutory List.

L. Worthington Evans,

14th August, 1916.

Foreign Office, 18th August, 1916.

LIBERIA.

Foreign Office. (Foreign Trade Dept.) 16th August, 1916.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to Liberia may be consigned :—

Arnett, S. H. Bull, F. J. Dennis, J. S. Dossen, S. J. Feighery, T. J. Johnson, G. M. Massaquoi, A. M. Massaquoi, R. E. T. (Mrs.). McCritty, J. B. Nelson, D. C. Nelson, D. C. Nelson, D. C. Richards, J. G. Roberts, S. S.

Whitehall, August 17, 1916.

The KING has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of the Second Schedule to the No. 29711. C Military Service Act, 1916 (5 & 6 Geo. V., cap. 104), to make the following appointments : ---

- MEMBER OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, INCLUDING THE CITY OF BATH.
- Ernest Wallace Rooke, of Stratton House, Park Lane, Bath.
- MEMBER OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE Counties of Cambridge and the Isle of Ely.
- Charles Benison, of 27, St. Philip's Road, Cambridge.
- MEMBERS OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND, INCLUDING THE COUNTY BOROUGHS OF NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE AND TYNEMOUTH.
- John William Thwaites, J.P., of East View, Wingrove Avenue, Newcastle-upon -Tyne.
- John Duguid Walker, J.P., of Dunira, Osborne Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Downing Street, 16th August, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Thomas Howard Chapman, Esq. (Director of Public Works), to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 8018 of the London Gazette of August 15th, 1916, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court at Victoria, British Columbia, in respect of the following vessel. Appearance should be entered by all persons claiming an interest in either ship or cargo as soon as possible.

Prize Court.	Name of Ship.
Exchequer Court of Canada, Victoria, British Columbia.	Oregon.

Colonial Office,

17th August, 1916.

TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1909.

SUGAR CONFECTIONERY AND FOOD PRESERVING TRADE (GREAT BRITAIN).

Minimum rates of wages (as varied) for female workers in the Sugar Confectionery and Food Preserving Trade in Great Britain, to come into force on 14th August, 1916.

VARIATION OF MINIMUM RATES.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the above Act, by the Board of Trade, and dated the 27th April, 1910, the Trade Board established under the above Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for certain branches of the