Foreign Office,

March 14, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:----

Count Charles Henry Bentinck to be a First Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, March 26, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint: ----

William Richard Howson, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the District of Bunder Abbas up to the Khamir Boundary, the Districts of Shamilat and Minab, and the Islands of Hormuz, Larak, Kishm and Henjam, to reside at Bunder Abbas.

Foreign Office, A pril 19, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:----

Clifford Edward Heathcote-Smith, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Salonica.

> Foreign Office, May 14, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint: ---

Alfred Budd, Esq., M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Consul at San Sebastian.

> Foreign Office, May 22, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint: ----

Charles Stewart Smith, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Provinces of Huesca, Zaragoza, Teruel, Barcelona, Tarragona, Lerida, Gerona, Valencia, Alicante and Castellon, to reside at Barcelona; and

Raphael Antonio Fontana, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Balearic Islands, to reside at Palma.

Foreign Office, May 24, 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:----

The Hon. Terence Theobald Bourke to be His Majesty's Consul at Bizerta.

Foreign Office (Foreign Trade Department), 10th July, 1917.

The following additions or corrections to the list published as a supplement to the London Gazette of 18th May, 1917, of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and

Siam may be consigned, are notified by order of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the Proclamation relating to the exportation of articles to China and Siam during the present war, issued on the 24th day of September, 1915:—

CHINA.

The following name is added to the List of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned : — Pharmacie Centrale, Hankow.

The following name is removed from the List of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned :----

Shun Kee & Co., Shanghai.

Whitehall, July 6, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto John Thomas Davies, Esq., C.B., Private Secretary to the Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, 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 9, 1917.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 7th instant, to appoint Ralph Vincent Bankes, Esq., K.C., to be one of the Magistrates of the Police Courts of the Metropolis.

Whitehall, July 9, 1917.

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 make the following appointments:—

- MEMBER OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND, INCLUDING THE COUNTY BOROUGHS OF NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE AND TYNEMOUTH.
- Mr. Henry Armstrong Westmacott, of Benridge Hall, Ponteland, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
- MEMBER OF THE APPEAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE COUNTIES OF SOUTHAMPTON AND THE ISLE OF Wight, including the County Boroughs of Bournemouth, Portsmouth and Southampton.
- Mr. Albert John Thompson, of 8, Thornycrofts Avenue, Woolston, Southampton.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. P. M. Davidson, one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 9, the appointment held by him is vacant. Dr. Davidson was attached more particularly to