

on the late Commander (acting Captain) Francis Newton Allen Cromie, D.S.O., R.N., in recognition of his distinguished services in the Allied Cause in Russia, and of the devotion to duty which he displayed in remaining at his post as British Naval Attaché in Russia when the British Embassy was withdrawn. This devotion to duty cost him his life.

Foreign Office,

September 13, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:

Mr. Shigetsuna Furuya as Consul-General of Japan at Ottawa;

Señor Don Raúl Brin as Consul-General of Panama at Kingston, Jamaica;

Monsieur François André Gustave Abel Danjou as Consul of France at Singapore for the Straits Settlements, the Federated Malay States, Johore, Kedah, Perlis, Kelantan, Trengganu, Brunei, Sarawak and North Borneo;

Mr. Samuel C. Reat as Consul of the United States of America at Calgary, Alberta;

Senhor Carlos de Carvalho e Souza as Consul of Brazil at Manchester;

Senhor Mario Augusto de Azevedo as Consul of Brazil at Montreal for the Dominion of Canada;

Senhor Guilherme Fernandes da Silva as Consul of Brazil at Sydney for the Commonwealth of Australia;

Senhor Paulo Demoro as Consul of Brazil at Cape Town for the Cape Province;

Senhor José Miguel Alves as Consul of Brazil at Hong Kong;

Senhor Mario Savard de Saint-Brisson Marques as Consul of Brazil at Calcutta;

Señor Don Emilio G. Rodríguez y Jimenez as Consul of Cuba at St. John, New Brunswick;

Señor Don Bienvenido Martínez y Montalván as Consul of Cuba at Calcutta;

Mr. Reginald Smith as Consul of Belgium at Valetta for Malta; and

Mr. William A. Jenkins as Vice-Consul of Siam at Swansea.

Factory Department, Home Office,

September 21, 1918.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. A. W. Musson, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Clitheroe, in the County of Lancs., is vacant.

Downing Street,

21st September, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Joseph Horsford Kemp, Esq., C.B.E. (Attorney-General), to be of His Majesty's Counsel for the Colony of Hong Kong.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM.

THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES (FUEL AND LIGHTING) (SCOTLAND) ORDER, 1918, MADE BY THE SECRETARY FOR SCOTLAND ON THE 18TH SEPTEMBER, 1918, UNDER REGULATIONS 2J AND 2JJ OF THE DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by Regulation 2j as read with Regulation 2j of the Defence of the Realm Regulations and by arrangement with the Board of Trade, I hereby order as follows:—

(1) In this Order the expression "Local Authority" shall mean the Council of a County or Burgh or any District Committee to which a County Council shall delegate its powers under the Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918.

(2) I hereby confer and impose upon the Local Authority and upon such of their officers as they may designate or appoint for the purpose the powers and duties necessary to provide for the due discharge within their district, in conformity with the Defence of the Realm Regulations, of the functions assigned to Local Authorities by the Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918.

(3) (a) Any expenses incurred by a Local Authority in the execution of this Order shall be defrayed out of the public health general assessment, provided that such expenses shall not be reckoned in any calculation as to the statutory limit of that assessment.

(b) Where any Local Authorities have combined for any of the purposes of this Order, any expenses incurred by these Local Authorities under this Order shall be defrayed in such proportions as may be agreed upon or in default of agreement as may be determined by me.

(4) A District Committee, Parish Council, School Board or other local body may make available without charge, or on such terms as may be agreed, to a Local Authority or to any Committee appointed by the Authority, any of their premises and the services of any of their officers for the purposes of the Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918.

(5) The Local Authorities (Retail Coal Prices) (Scotland) Order, 1917, made by the Secretary for Scotland on the 11th September, 1917, is hereby revoked.

(6) This Order may be cited as the Local Authorities (Fuel and Lighting) (Scotland) Order, 1918.

Robert Munro,
His Majesty's Secretary
for Scotland.

(L.S.)

Scottish Office, Whitehall,
18th September, 1918.

Board of Trade,
7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W. 1,
24th September, 1918.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 1, subsection 7, of the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act, 1918, and No. 11 of the Statutory Rules and Orders No. 265 of 1918 (Non-ferrous Metal Industry), that Licences under the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act have been granted by the Board of Trade to the undermentioned companies, firms or individuals:—

Anchor Cable Co., Ltd., The, Leigh, Lancashire.