James William Murison, Esquire, LL.B.,

Judge of the Court for Zanzibar.

Boshan Wei Yuk, Esquire, C.M.G., formerly Legislative Member of $_{
m the}$ Unofficial Council of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Mr. Justice Ernest Edward Fletcher, a Puisne Judge of the High Court at Calcutta; Chimanlal Harilal Setalvad, Esq., Vice-Chancellor, Bombay University; Joseph Henry Stone, Esq., C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Madras; William Arthur Beardsell, Esq., Sheriff of Madras; Praphulla Chandra Ray, Esq., C.I.E., D.Sc., late Provincial Educational Service, Bengal; Robert Herriot Henderson, Esq., C.I.E., Assam; and George Cochrane Godfrey, Esq., Coal Controller in India, will be dubbed by the Viceroy of India on behalf of His Majesty.

The undermentioned Gentlemen were dubbed by His Majesty at Buckingham Palace on the 20th and 18th March respectively:-Mr. Justice (Frederick Arthur) Greer. Pattrick Quinn, Esq., M.V.O.

Whitehall, April 4, 1919.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under the Royal Sign Manual, to appoint John Pius Boland, Esq., M.A., Barrister-at-Law, to be a Commissioner under the Development and Road Improvement Funds Acts, in the room of Michael Andrew Ennis, Esq., resigned.

Whitehall, April 4, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned officials of the Egyptian Ministry of Public Works His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Order of the Nile of the Classes indicated against their respective names, which Decorations have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Sultan of Egypt in recognition of valuable services rendered by them :-

First Class.

Sir Murdoch MacDonald, K.C.M.G., C.B., Adviser and Under Secretary of State for Public Works in Egypt.

Second Class.

Arthur Marshall Adamson, Inspector-General of Irrigation, Lower Egypt.

$Third\ Class.$

John O'Sullivan, Inspector, Irrigation Department, Egyptian Ministry of Public Works. Arthur Burton Buckley, Inspector, Projects Department.

Frank Pears Watson, Inspector, State Buildings Department.

Fourth Class.

FitzRoy Hyde Darke, Director of Works, State Buildings Department.

Harold Edwin Hurst, Inspector, Physical Ser-

Alexander Mann Alcock, Director of Works, Cairo City Service.

Frederick Bernard Jacomb, Director of Works, Irrigation Department.

Percy Harry East, Director of Works, Sudan Irrigation Service.

Campbell Cowan Edgar, Chief Inspector, Antiquities Department.

Fifth Class.

Peter Robertson, Chief of Office, Sudan Irrigation Service.

William Hennings, Foreman Mechanic, Irrigation Department.

James Johnstone, Foreman Mechanic, Irrigation Department.

Washington Pirrie Hughes, Mechanic, Irrigation Department.

Daniel Luker, Mechanic, Sudan Irrigation Service.

Downing Street,

29th March, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of James Stanley Rae, Esq. (District Commissioner, British Honduras), to be Attorney-General of the Island of Saint Vincent.

Downing Street,

1st April, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of Louis John Bertram Esq., C.M.G. (Auditor-General), to be a Member of the Privy Council of the Island of Jamaica.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 and 1918.

In accordance with the Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October, 1918, the Trade Board established under that Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for certain branches of the Machine-made Lace and Net Finishing Trade, as defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade and . dated 16th March, 1914, hereby give notice, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they propose to vary the General Minimum Time Rate of Wages at present fixed and set out in the Schedule of their Notice dated 14th February, 1919, from $4\frac{1}{2}d$. to $5\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour, with corresponding variations for learners.

The Trade Board give similar notice that they propose to vary by an addition of 20 per cent. the General Minimum Piece Rates of Wages at present fixed and set out in the Schedule of their Notice dated 14th February, 1919: Provided that this notice does not cancel or affect the proposal to vary, cancel and fix issued by the Trade Board on 23rd January, 1919.

The Trade Board propose that such variation as may be made as the result of the above proposals should be operative from the date when it becomes effective until 1st January, 1920.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to their proposals to vary which may be lodged with them within two months from 1st April, 1919. Such objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary