Depôt, immediately threw water upon the flaming case, opened the doors of the storehouse and dragged the case into the open. This he did single-handed, but as a result of his example, other employees came to his assistance, and the fire was eventually extinguished by the use of fire buckets and a portable pump.

The storehouse was full of fireworks and flares of every description, and there was a large store of detonators immediately adjoining; several hundred men and women were at work in the immediate vicinity, and had it not been for the promptitude and determination shown by Brown, there is no doubt that a very serious explosion would have occurred. Brown was fully aware of the fact that the store was full of explosives, and of the danger which he was running, and by his courageous act he certainly saved many lives.

## Whitehall, March 2, 1921.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 25th ultimo, to appoint Harold Spencer Morris, Esq., M.B.E., K.C., to be Recorder of the Borough of Folkestone.

## Whitehall, March 3, 1921.

The KING has been pleased to present the Reverend Frederick Arthur Betts, Chaplain of Saint John the Baptist, Kirk German, Isle of Man, to the Vicarage of Saint Paul, Foxdale, Isle of Man, void on the resignation of the Reverend Frederick Arthur Rawcliffe, the last Incumbent.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made Orders in respect of the undermentioned firms authorising the employment of certain workers on two day-shifts, subject to the conditions that no worker shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Firm and Workers concerned.

Thomas de la Rue & Co., Ltd., 110, Bunhill Row, London, E.C. 1.—Women of 18 years of age and over engaged in the Playing Card Cutting Department.

The Hull Forge Iron and Steel Co., Ltd., East Riding Ironworks, Hull.—Women of 18 years of age and over engaged in piling scrap for charging ball furnaces.

Siemens Bros. & Co., Ltd., Woolwich.— Women and male young persons over 16 years of age engaged in the lead cable and sheathing departments on the manufacture of electric wires and cables.

Whitehall, 2nd March, 1921.

The Home Secretary gives notice that, in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment of male young persons of 16 years

of age and over in the Forge Department at the works of The Cravens Railway Carriage and Waggon Co., Ltd., Darnall, Sheffield, on two day-shifts, subject to the conditions that no young person shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall, 2nd March, 1921.

The Home Secretary gives notice that, in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment of women of 18 years of age and over engaged in taking-in to and emptying lehrs at the works of Messrs. Forster's Glass Co., Ltd., Pocket Nook and Atlas Glass Works, St. Helens, on two day-shifts, subject to the conditions that no woman or young person shall be employed in the afternoon shift for more than two consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall, 2nd March, 1921.

## WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed George Henry Edington, Esq., M.D., of 20, Woodside Place, Glasgow, and Henry Rutherford, Esq., M.B., C.M., of 12, Newton Place, Glasgow, to be Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for the Sheriffdom of Langer

Whitehall, 3rd March, 1921.

> Downing Street, 28th February, 1921.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of Ofori Atta, Omanhene of Akim Abuakwa, to be an unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Colony.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy,

Admiralty, S.W. 1, 4th March, 1921.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the award for the salvage of s.s. "Iddo" by H.M. Tug "Sprite" and R.F.A. "Steady," between the 17th and 23rd December, 1917, will commence on Saturday, the 5th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed to the Accountant-General of the Navy (Prize Branch), Cornwall House,