

from time to time, if you shall judge it expedient so to do.

And Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any three or more of you, your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the twenty-fourth day of *October*, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in the twelfth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

Edward Shortt.

NOTICE.

COLONIAL STOCK ACT, 1900 (63 AND 64 VIC., c. 62).

Addition to List of Stocks under Section 2.

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Colonial Stock Act, 1900, the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the provisions of the Act have been complied with in respect of the undermentioned Stock registered or inscribed in the United Kingdom:—

New Zealand 6 per cent. Consolidated Stock 1936/1951.

The restrictions mentioned in Section 2, Sub-section (2), of the Trustee Act, 1893, apply to the above Stock (see Colonial Stock Act, 1900, Section 2).

NOTICE.

REGULATION OF FOREIGN EXCHANGES.

LOAN OF SECURITIES TO THE TREASURY (SCHEME B).

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY PERPETUAL 4 PER CENT. CONSOLIDATED DEBENTURE STOCK.

In view of the amount of work involved in connection with the return of this Stock to depositors, the Treasury Register will close at 3 p.m. on the 14th November (instead of on the 1st December, as announced in the London Gazette of 30th September), which will coincide with the date fixed by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for its own shutting.

T. L. Heath,

Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office,
25th October, 1921.

Whitehall, 21st October, 1921.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased to award the Edward Medal to Jacobus Lowies van Heerden and a native of Bulawayo named Mwene in the following circumstances:—

On the 28th November, 1920, a white man named Goode and two natives descended to the

lowest level of the Lonely Mine, Bulawayo, too quickly after the conclusion of some shotfiring operations, and were overcome by carbon monoxide gas. Mr. Van Heerden, who was at the next level, heard groans, and, descending, found the two natives dead and Goode unconscious. After three attempts, during each of which he was partially overcome, Mr. Van Heerden managed to effect Goode's rescue, himself collapsing immediately afterwards.

In his last attempt he was assisted by two natives, one of whom (named Zamane) was affected by the gas and failed to return from the danger zone. The native Mwene thereupon, on his own initiative, though well aware of the effect of the gas on those who had previously entered the level, descended single-handed to the rescue of Zamane, whom he discovered in a state of collapse and carried up a ladder to a place of safety. He then returned and endeavoured to recover the bodies of the other natives, but, failing to do this unaided, he went for assistance, once again returned, and, with the help of others, brought the bodies of the dead natives out.

Both Mr. Van Heerden and the native Mwene knowingly risked their lives to rescue others.

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 turning, fitting and drilling textile machinery at the works of Messrs. Brooks & Doxey (1920), Ltd., Union Iron Works, West Gorton, Manchester, on two day-shifts, subject to the conditions that no worker shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable messroom and washing accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall,
24th October, 1921.

Factory Department, Home Office,
October 19, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. M. Dwyer to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Tattenhall district of the county of Chester.

Factory Department, Home Office,
October 19, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. S. J. Brooks, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Eyam, in the county of Derby, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office,
October 20, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. G. Allan to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Catrine district of the county of Ayr.