

*Foreign Office,*  
June 23, 1927.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Herr Heinrich Krawinkel, as German Consul at Adelaide, for South Australia.

*Foreign Office,*  
August 31, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

William Sidney Hamilton Bernard, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul for the Cape Verd Islands, to reside at St. Vincent (with effect as from October 26, 1926).

### THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

#### STURBRIDGE FAIR.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that a representation has been duly made to him by the Cambridge Town Council to the effect that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the Fair held annually at Sturbridge, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, which by Letters Patent dated the 15th August, 1589, is to commence on the Feast of St. Bartholomew (i.e. the 24th August) and last continuously until the 14th day next after the Feast to the Exaltation of the Holy Cross (i.e. the 14th September), should in future be restricted to the three days on which such Fair is now held, viz.: the 25th, 26th and 27th days of September in each year.

On the 18th day of November, 1927, the Secretary of State will take such representation into consideration, and any person who may desire to object to the alteration of the dates for the holding of the said Fair, should intimate his objections to the Secretary of State before that day.

Home Office,  
Whitehall.  
14th October, 1927.

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 on two day-shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in the Pneumatic Tyre, Beading and Tube Departments at the works of the British Goodrich Rubber Company Limited, Leyland, Lancashire, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable protective clothing, cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall,  
13th October, 1927.

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 on two day-shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in the manufacture of Hosiery at the works of Messrs. Henry Carrier & Sons Ltd., Bath Street, Ilkeston, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall,  
13th October, 1927.

Whitehall, October 4, 1927.

### IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDAL.

His Majesty The KING has been pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to the following officers:—

#### HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

- Allen, Albert Henry, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
- Austin, Henry Alfred, Engine Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
- Ball, Francis James, Craftsman, Grade II, Royal Mint.
- Ballantine, James, Postman, Armagh.
- Bastable, Edward, Chief Officer, Class I, H.M. Prison, Wandsworth.
- Batt, Edward John, Smith, H.M. Dockyard, Sheerness.
- Beaney, Frank, Postman, Teddington Branch Office, Richmond and Twickenham.
- Bell, Thomas, Postman, Wickenby Sub-Office, Lincoln.
- Bell, William Henry, Sorter, London Postal Service.
- Blenkinsop, John, Postman, Barnard Castle Sub-Office, Darlington.
- Brisley, John, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.
- Brooks, William Henry, Iron Caulker, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
- Brown, James Giles, Postman, London Postal Service.
- Brown, Walter, Postman, London Postal Service.
- Buchan, William Henry Russell, Ship Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
- Callard, William Edmund, Rigger, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
- Carter, Ernest Theodore John, Examiner of Drawings and Tracings, Control Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.
- Chisham, Harry, Boilermaker, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.
- Christie, Robert Stewart, Skilled Workman, Class II, Engineering Department, Post Office.
- Clyde, Solomon Alfred, Pharmacist, H.M. Prison, Manchester.
- Collings, William, Henry, Shipwright, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.