As Associate Dame of Grace. Helena Constance, Miss Frank.

As Commanders.

- Major-General John Taylor Fotheringham, C.M.G., M.D.
- Edwin Ralphs.
- Hugh Hedley Vicars Miller. Colonel Sir Edward Newbury Thornton, K.B.E., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.
- Major Edward Keith-Roach, O.B.E.
- Colonel Charles Pye Oliver, C.B., C.M.G., M.D., T.D., K.H.P. James McFarlane Lapsley.
- Alpheus Fuller Williams.
- Richard Wilson Bartlett.
- Captain George Sitwell Campbell Swinton.

As Officers.

- Wilfred Vincent Miller Koch, M.D.
- William Herbert Cawthra.
- William George Black, C.B.E., LL.D Sir Edward Clitherow Brooksbank, Bt.
- The Lord Wavertree.
- John Cecil D'Arcy Dalton.
- Harold Branson Butler, M.B.E., F.R.C.S.
- Charles James Tunks, M.B.E
- Daniel Hall.
- Carlton Tom Hurry Riches.
- Lemuel Jones.
- Melvill Allan Jamieson.
- Sir John Atkins, K.C.M.G., M.B., F.R.C.S.
- Olof Frederick Gollcher.
- James Carter Ogilvie, M.D. Sir Godfrey John Vignoles Thomas, Bt., K.C.V.O., C.S.I.
- Major-General Henry Dudley Ossulston Ward,
- C.B., C.M.G. General Sir John Stuart McKenzie Shea, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., D.S.O.
- Alice Maude, Mrs. Cawthra.
- The Marchioness of Salisbury.
- The Hon. Mrs. Violet Frances Skeffington Smyth.
- Christina Elizabeth, Mrs. Feeney.
- Elisa, Mrs. Gollcher.

As Associate Officer.

Joseph Grossman.

By virtue of an Act passed in the 24th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled, "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the 10th and 15th years of the Reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes The Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out Writs for the Election of Members to serve in Parliament in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" And of an Act passed in the 26th year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled, "An Act to further limit and define the time for pro-ceeding to Election during the Recess." ceeding to Election during the Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Major Sir Granville Charles Hastings Wheler, Baronet, C.B.E., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the County of Kent, Faversham Division, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a New Writ for the Electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said County at the end of six days after the insertion of this Notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this second day of January, 1928.

J. H. Whitley, Speaker.

Whitehall, January 2, 1928.

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 31st ultimo, to appoint Percy Tindal-Robertson, Esq., to be a member of the Royal Commission on Awards to Inventors, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sir Charles Edward Ellis, G.B.E., K.C.B.

Whitehall, December 81, 1927.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned gentlemen His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear Decorations which have been conferred upon them by His Majesty the Emperor of Japan in recognition of valuable services rendered by them :-

> ORDER OF THE RISING SUN. Insignia of the Second Class. John Rae, Esq.

> Insignia of the Third Class. Ewen Allan Cameron, Esq.

ORDER OF THE SACRED TREASURE. Insignia of the Second Class.

Sir Charles Stewart Addis, K.C.M.G. Sir Newton John Stabb, O.B.E.

Whitehall, January 2, 1928.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, tc nominate William Reginald Halliday, Esq., B.A., B.Litt., Professor of Ancient History in the University of Liverpool, to be Principal of King's College, London.

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 Cold Rolls and Assorting Room Departments at the works of Messrs. The Grovesend Steel and Tinplate Company Limited, Morriston, Swansea, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that a woman or young person shall not be allowed to lift, carry or move anything