Foreign Office,
April 30, 1931.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:-Herr Josiah Beiers, as Consul of Germany at Brisbane for Queensland.

Mr. Maurice C. Pierce, as Consul of the United States of America at St. John, New

Mr. Laurence W. Taylor, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Vancouver. Mr. Terry S. Hinkle, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Foreign Office,

May 1, 1931.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:-

Eric Cunliffe Buxton, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of Arkansas, Kansas, Kentucky, Missouri, Oklahoma, and the City of East St. Louis, to reside at St. Louis; and

Merrick Arnold Bardsley Denton-Thompson, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Madrid, Toledo, Ciudad Real, Albacete, Guadalajara, Soria, Segovia, Avila, Cuenca, and Valladolid, to reside at Madrid.

Foreign Office,

May 22, 1931.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:-Mirza Hossein Khan Keystovan, as Consul of Persia at Karachi.

Foreign Office,
May 27, 1931. The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:-

The Right Honourable Sir Francis Oswald Lindley, G.C.M.G., C.B., C.B.E., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of Japan.

Foreign Office, June 1, 1931.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:

Cuthbert Ernest Gedge, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Department of Finistère, to reside at Brest; and

Richard Bertram Boyd Tollington, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Rotterdam, under the superintendence of His Majesty's Consul-General there.

Foreign Office,

June 16, 1931.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:-Senhor Ayres de Maya Monteiro, as Consul-General of Brazil in London; Monsieur Hans Markus, as Consul-General of Estonia in London;

Mr. Lucein Memminger, as Consul-General of the United States of America at Belfast; Abul Rascol Khan, as Consul-General of

Afghanistan in India;

Mr. William George Rogers Dunstan; as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Manchester;

Monsieur Ernst Vinzenz Cogliatti, as Consul of Switzerland at Colombo for Ceylon; and Mr. Subhi Kanaan, as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Larnaca.

Foreign Office,

June 19, 1931.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:-

Francis D'Arcy Godolphin Osborne, Esquire, C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Washington.

Whitehall, June 29, 1931.

The KING was pleased, on Friday, the 26th instant, at Buckingham Palace, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the undermentioned gentlemen:

Mr. Justice (Howard Owen Compton) Beasley, O.B.E., Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Madras.

(His Majesty's approval of this Knighthood was signified on the 3rd June, 1930.)

Thomas Dugald Edelston, Esq., lately Senior Partner of Messrs. Begg, Dunlop and Company Ltd., Calcutta.

(His Majesty's approval of this Knighthood was signified on the 1st January, 1931.)

James Black Baillie, Esq., O.B.E., M.A., LL.D.

Alfred Baker, Esq.

Ferguson Bell, Esq., M.Inst.C.E., John M.I.Mech.E.

Montague Burton, Esq.

Archibald Henry Campbell, Esq. James Lewis Caw, Esq., F.S.A.(S.).

William Davy, Esq.

Henry Wade Deacon, Esq., C.B.E.

Robert John Sherwood Dodd, Esq., C.S.I., Indian Police Service.

Frank Walter Goldstone, Esq.

Harry Hague, Esq.

Pendrill Charles Varrier-Jones, Esq., M.A., M.R.C.S., M.R.C.P.

Thomas Kelly, Esq. Horace Lamb, Esq., M.A., LL.D., D.Sc., F.R.S.

Charles McNess, Esq., of the City of Perth, Western Australia.

Charles Reed Peers, Esq., C.B.E., M.A., F.B.A., F.R.I.B.A., President of the Royal Society of Antiquaries.

Roy Lister Robinson, Esq., O.B.E.
William Robinson, Esq., C.B.E., Secretary.
Financial Department, India Office.

George Richard Francis Shee, Esq.

His Honour Judge Thomas Mordaunt Snagge.