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COLONIAL SERVICE.

Lewis, George Ellis Willis, Lighthouse Keeper, Barbados.

Nelson, Bruce, Locomotive Inspector, Federated Malay States Railways.

Young, Eustace Theodore, Steward and Chief Dispenser, Colonial Hospital, Saint Vincent.

Whitehall, December 5, 1939.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint the Reverend Oliver Chase Quick, D.D., Chaplain to His Majesty, Professor of Divinity and Ecclesiastical History in the University of Durham and Canon of Durham Cathedral, to the Office and Place of Regius Professor of Divinity in the University of Oxford, together with the Place and Dignity of a Canon of the Cathedral Church of Christ in the said University thereunto annexed, void by the death of the Reverend Canon Henry Leighton Goudge, D.D.

Whitehall, December 5, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the presentation of the Reverend Grotius Alexander James to the Rectory of the Parish of St. Michael in the Vale, in the Island of Guernsey, void by the resignation of the Reverend Frederick William Stamp le Lievre, M.A., the last Incumbent.

Whitehall, December 5, 1939.

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 29th ultimo, to appoint the following Gentlemen as Commissioners under the Forestry Acts, 1919 and 1927:-

Sir Roy Lister Robinson, O.B.E. (Chairman); The Right Honourable Sir George Loyd Courthope, Baronet, M.C., T.D.;

Major Sir Samuel Strang Steel, Baronet, T.D.; Sir John Donald Sutherland, C.B.E.; David Rhys Grenfell, Esq., C.B.E.;

Colonel Leonard Ropner, M.C., T.D.;

Walter Robert Smith, Esq.; and William Ling Taylor, Esq.

Whitehall, December 5, 1939.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint Anthony Edward Lowther, Esq., to be His Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Westmorland, in the room of Stanley Hughes Le Fleming, Esq., deceased.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACTS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 1st December, 1939, he made a Scheme under Sec-tion 47 of the Workmen's Compensation Act,

1925, as extended by the Workmen's Compen-sation (Silicosis and Asbestosis) Act, 1930, varying and extending the Various Industries (Silicosis) Scheme, 1931, as follows:----

The following trade and process shall be included in sub-paragraph (viii) of paragraph 2:-

"Slate Mines:-

any operation underground."

The Scheme will come into force on the 1st January, 1940, and will apply to workmen employed in any such operation at any time on or after the date of the Scheme. Copies of the Scheme, which may be cited

as the Various Industries (Silicosis) (No. 3) Amendment Scheme, 1939, may be obtained directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edin-burgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller?

Whitehall.

4th December, 1939.

Factory Department, Home Office, 4th December, 1939.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. Dominic Ciantar to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Abercrave District of the County of Brecon.

Factory Department, Home Office, 4th December, 1939.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. A. R. Cant to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Coleshill District of the County of Warwick.

Downing Street, 27th November, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Curtois Howard, Esq., Legal Secretary, to be the Chief Justice of the Island of Ceylon.

Downing Street, 29th November, 1939.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Major James Austen Woodgate (Executive Engineer and Officer Commanding the Falkland Islands Defence Force), to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Falkland Islands.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 8035 of the " London Gazette " of 1st December, 1939, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court named below in respect of cargo ex the following vessels.