

Strand, London, W.C.2, has been convicted of an offence against the Dangerous Drugs Acts, 1920 to 1932:

And whereas the said Graham Campbell MacDiarmid cannot, in my opinion, properly be allowed to be in possession of or to supply any drug or preparation to which the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, or any drug to which the Raw Opium etc. Regulations, 1937, apply:

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by Regulation 7 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, and by Regulation 5 of the Raw Opium etc. Regulations, 1937, I hereby withdraw from the said Graham Campbell MacDiarmid, the authorities conferred by the said Regulations upon him to be in possession of and to supply the drugs or preparations to which the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, and the drugs to which the Raw Opium etc. Regulations, 1937, apply:

And I hereby direct that it shall not be lawful for the said Graham Campbell MacDiarmid to give prescriptions for the purposes of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937:

John Anderson,

One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.

26th April, 1940.

Downing Street,
9th April, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Mehmet Halid Bey (District Judge) to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Cyprus.

Downing Street,
24th April, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Eric Sydney Spooner, Esq., who has served for more than three years as a Member of the Executive Council of the State of New South Wales.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 2383 of the "London Gazette" of April 23rd, 1940, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Courts named below in respect of goods ex the following vessels.

Appearances to the Writs in these actions should be entered within thirty days from the

date mentioned in the third column of the Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

<i>Prize Court.</i>	<i>Name of Ship.</i>	<i>Date of Writ.</i>
Supreme Court of Gibraltar.	Adda	April 19th, 1940.
Supreme Court of Hong Kong.	Bhutan	April 9th, 1940.
Supreme Court of Hong Kong.	Agamemnon	April 20th, 1940.
Supreme Court of Hong Kong.	Pyrrhus	April 20th, 1940.
Supreme Court of Hong Kong.	Sarpedon	April 20th, 1940.
Supreme Court of Judicature of Jamaica.	Mexico	April 17th, 1940.
Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.	Talisse	April 9th, 1940.
Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.	Volpi	April 17th, 1940.

Colonial Office,
25th April, 1940.

Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W.1,
24th April, 1940.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made an Order entitled Piece Goods and Made-up Goods (Cotton, Rayon and Linen) (No. 2) Order, 1940. This Order is being published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1940, No. 601, and copies can be purchased (price 1d. net) directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W.1,
24th April, 1940.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made an Order entitled Registration of Industrial Diamonds Order, 1940. This Order is being published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1940, No. 595, and copies can be purchased (price 1d. net) directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.