

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Inverness.

Brigadier-General Alexander Duncan Macpherson, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., of Holme House, Inverness,
Major-General Francis James Marshall, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., of Hilton House, Inverness,
To be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated 20th August, 1941.

Air Ministry.
26th August, 1941.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the following awards:—

Distinguished Flying Cross.

Squadron Leader Oswald James Milman BARRON (33217), No. 220 Squadron.
Flight Lieutenant Jack Albert HOLMES (33413), No. 240 Squadron.
Flight Lieutenant Henry Niel George WHEELER (33296).
Acting Flight Lieutenant Richard John VAUGHAN (41499), No. 201 Squadron.
Flying Officer Stanley George BAGGOTT (40975), No. 95 Squadron.

Distinguished Flying Medal.

741565 Flight Sergeant Terence Nightingale STAPLES, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 114 Squadron.
551554 Sergeant Peter David ADAMS (deceased), with effect from 1st Nov. 1940.
625671 Sergeant Jack BALDWIN (deceased) with effect from 27th Aug. 1940.
625697 Sergeant Jack GIBBS (deceased) with effect from 22nd Sept. 1940.
758127 Sergeant George Robert HEPPELL, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, No. 220 Squadron.
581017 Sergeant John Robert Graham LAMB (deceased) with effect from 28th Oct. 1940.
968952 Sergeant George McELROY, No. 114 Squadron.
611204 Sergeant Robert Edward NICHOLSON with effect from 29th Sept. 1940.
741626 Sergeant Ralph Edward WALKER, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve.
517494 Sergeant John Ronald WELLS, No. 201 Squadron.

The above awards are for gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations.

India Office, S.W.I.
9th August, 1941.

The KING has been pleased to appoint the following to be members of the Executive Council of the Governor-General of India:

The Rt. Hon. Sir Akbar Hydari.
Sir Hormusji Peroshaw Mody, K.B.E.
E. Raghavendra Rao, Esq.
Madhao Shrihari Aney, Esq.
Malik Sir Firoz Khan Noon, K.C.I.E.
Sir Sultan Ahmed, in succession to Sir Muhammed Zafrulla Khan and
Nalini Ranjan Sarker, Esq., in succession to Sir Girja Shankar Bajpai, K.B.E., C.I.E., I.C.S.

Office of the High Commissioner for India.

The Secretary of State for India has appointed Mr. Stanley Joseph Lee, Deputy Superintendent in the Mercantile Marine Office, Manchester, Mr. Douglas Holgate Morris, Deputy Superintendent in the Mercantile Marine Office, Birkenhead, and Mr. Stanley William Rupert Stoneman, Departmental Higher Clerical Officer of Customs and Excise and Deputy Superintendent, Portsmouth, to superintend the transfer of lascars or other persons and to grant the certificate required under Section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic. Cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every lascar or other person, in respect of whom such certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the Metropolitan Borough of Saint Pancras have made application to the Minister of Health for the issue of an Order under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, so as:—

(1) To extend by three years the period limited by the following orders, for the compulsory purchase of the lands specified in the schedules thereto:—

(a) The Saint Pancras Borough Council (Hampshire Street No. 1) Order, 1938, as confirmed by the Minister of Health's Saint Pancras (Hampshire Street No. 1) Housing Confirmation Order, 1939, and the

(b) Saint Pancras Borough Council (Hampshire Street No. 2) Order, 1938, as confirmed by the Minister of Health's Saint Pancras (Hampshire Street No. 2) Housing Confirmation Order, 1939;

(2) For the several purposes of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the above-mentioned Orders, or of any other Order in force in the said Borough as may be necessary or desirable:

And whereas it is proposed that an Order should be issued in compliance with the said Application;

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Health will consider any objections or representations made in writing before the eighth day of September, 1941, by any person or body interested in the subject matter of the said Application and the proposed Order. Such objections or representations should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.1, and copies of them should be sent at the same time to the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Euston Road, N.W.1.

F. Slator,
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health,
Whitehall, S.W.1.
25th July, 1941.