

Downing Street, 13th February, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Ambalal Bhailalbhai Patel, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council of the Colony of Kenya.

Downing Street, 19th February, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of the Venerable Archdeacon Leonard James Beecher to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council of the Colony of Kenya.

Downing Street, 24th February, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to approve the appointment of Harold George Christie, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Executive Council of the Bahama Islands for a further period.

Downing Street, 13th March, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Henry Vaughan, Esq., M.C., Attorney-General, to be of His Majesty's Counsel for the Colony of Fiji.

Downing Street, 13th March, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Charles Demoree Newbold, Esq., Solicitor-General, to be of His Majesty's Counsel for Jamaica.

*Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1.
18th March, 1947.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O. 1947, price 1d. except where indicated:—
No. 409. The Miscellaneous Haberdashery (Maximum Prices) Order, 1947, dated March 8, 1947 (price 3d.).
No. 416. The Consumer Rationing (Rubber Boots) Licence, 1947, dated March 10, 1947.
No. 417. The Rubber Gloves (No. 3) Order, 1947, dated March 10, 1947.
No. 422. The Utility Apparel (Maximum Prices and Charges) (No. 2) Order, 1947, dated March 10, 1947.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast.

SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS).

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that in pursuance of Article 1 of the Electricity (Reduction of Consumption) Order, 1947, a General Permit has been made entitled General Permit (Reduction of Electricity Consumption) No. 2.

This General Permit has been published as S.R. & O. No. 475 and copies may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

The Ministry of Fuel and Power,
7, Millbank, London, S.W.1.
19th March, 1947.

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

Brevet Colonel Harold Bantock Sankey, C.B.E., M.C., T.D., of Whiston Hall, Albrighton, Wolverhampton.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Ernest Gibbons, O.B.E., T.D., of The Beam House, Tettenhall.

Lieutenant-Commander Edward Thomas Walhouse, Baron Hatherton, of Hatherton Hall, Cannock.
Brevet Major George William Richard Hearn, of White Lodge, Milford.

To be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated the 1st day of March, 1947.
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Lieutenancy of the County of Monmouth.

The undermentioned, resign their Commissions as Deputy Lieutenants, having ceased to reside in the County:—

Colonel Cecil Avery Baker, M.C., O.B.E.

Major Claude Gilbert Martyn.

Brigadier-General Charles Samuel Owen, C.M.G., D.S.O.

Dated 17th March, 1947.

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India Office, 21st March, 1947.

The KING has been pleased to approve the following appointments:—

Col. H. H. Maharaja Jam Shri Sir DIGVIJAYSINHJI RANJITSINHJI JADEJA MAHARAJA JAM SAHEB OF NAWANAGER, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., as Honorary Colonel of the Rajputana Rifles, 14th Feb. 1947.

Maj.-Gen. H. H. Nawab Al-Haj Sir SADIQ MUHAMMAD KHAN, Abbasi Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., Nawab of Bahawalpur, as Honorary Colonel of the Central India Horse (King George V's Own Horse), 21st Feb. 1947.

Maj.-Gen. H. H. Sir RAMA VARMA KULASEKHARA KIRILAPATI MANNEY SULTAN, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., Maharaja of Travancore, as Honorary Colonel of the 16th Light Cavalry, 3rd Mar. 1947.

Col. H. H. Raja Sir HAR INDAR SINGH BAHADUR, K.C.S.I., Raja of Faridkot, as Honorary Colonel of the Sikh Light Infantry, 3rd Mar. 1947.

The KING has approved the following promotions, retirements, etc.:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Maj. (Ty. Lt.-Col.) C. E. THOMPSON, O.B.E. (813 IA), to be Lt.-Col., 24th Dec. 1946.

The undermentioned officers retire:—

Col. A. A. E. FILOSE (IA 375), 3rd Aug. 1946. (Substituted for the notfn. in the Gazette dated 2nd Aug. 1946.)

Lt.-Col. A. J. REEVE (IA 624), 1st Dec. 1946.

Lt.-Col. J. J. P. CONOLLY (AI 311), on account of ill-health, 16th Jan. 1947.

Lt.-Col. E. J. FULTON (IA 7), 16th Mar. 1947.

17th Mar. 1947.

Lt.-Col. L. M. BARLOW, O.B.E., M.C. (AI 414).

Capt. (W/S. Maj.) A. C. BIRD (201 IA), on account of ill-health.

Lt.-Col. P. T. BARBER, M.C. (AI 173), 18th Mar. 1947.

Lt.-Col. J. G. I. KEYS (AI 630), 19th Mar. 1947.

20th Mar. 1947.

Lt.-Col. G. A. EDWARDS (672 IA).

Lt.-Col. H. G. P. STUBBS (589 AI).

Lt.-Col. G. G. TEMPLER, O.B.E. (969 IA).

Col. P. G. WESTMACOTT, O.B.E.

The surname of Col. J. H. SYKES is as now described and not as notified in the Gazette dated 28th Feb. 1947.

In the Gazette dated 26th July 1946 regarding the retirement of Lt.-Col. A. H. BAKER (IA 405), for "4th June 1946" read "8th June 1946".

Emergency Commissions.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their comms.:—

Lt. B. N. COOPER (EC 15672), on account of ill-health, 22nd Mar. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

Lt. H. WOOD (EC 11435), on account of ill-health, 3rd Nov. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Lt.

Lt. T. K. GROVES (EC 6576), 18th Mar. 1947, and is granted the hon. rank of Capt.

The undermentioned officers relinquish their comms. on being appointed to S.S. Comms. Brit. Serv.:—

Capt. J. J. JOHNS (EC 8), 1st Nov. 1946.

Lt. L. E. YOUNG (EC 4025), 1st Jan. 1947.

Capt. V. T. W. TROMAN (EC 6476), 1st Feb. 1947.

Lt. F. T. CASSIDY (EC 4794), 1st Mar. 1947.

Capt. D. F. DE JOSSELYN DE JONG (EC 12562), 3rd Mar. 1947.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

The undermentioned officers retire:—

W/S. Capt. (D.C.) F. MADDOCKS (OS-234), 10th June 1945, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj. (The notfn. in the Gazette dated 22nd June 1945 in so far as it relates to this officer is cancelled.)

Lt. (E.M.A.E.) A. R. STANLEY (OW/73), 1st Nov. 1946, and is granted the hon. rank of Maj.