Bryan Evers Sharwood-Smith, Esq., E.D., Colonial Administrative Service, Senior Colonial Administrative Service, S Resident, Northern Provinces, Nigeria

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To be Honorary Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order:-

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CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE.

8th June, 1950.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give directions for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:-

To be a Member of the First Class, or Knight Grand Cross, of the said Most Distinguished Order :-

K.C.B., K.C.M.G., William STRANG, M.B.E., Permanent Under-Secretary of State, Foreign Office.

To be Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Distinguished Order:-

Charles Harold Bateman, Esq., C.M.G., M.C., His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary Plenipotentiary (designate) to the Republic of Poland.

John Cecil Sterndale BENNETT, Esq., C.M.G., M.C., Deputy Commissioner-General for His Majesty's Government in the United King-

dom in South-East Asia.

John Victor Thomas Woolrych Tait PEROWNE, Esq., C.M.G., His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Holy See.

To be Members of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished

Roger Allen, Esq., Head of the African Department of the Foreign Office.

George Lisle CLUTTON, Esq., Counsellor at the United Kingdom Liaison Mission in Japan.

Reginald Davies, Esq., Assistant Director-General, British Council.

Harry Maurice Eyres, Esq., Minister at His Majesty's Embassy at Ankara.

Brigadier Geoffrey Massey GAMBLE, O.B.E.; A.D.C., until recently Chief British Administrator, Somalia.

Ronald Johnstone Hillard, Esq., General Manager, Sudan Railways.

Commander Clive LOEHNIS, R.N. (Retired), employed in a Department of the Foreign Office.

Douglas MacKillop, Esq., His Majesty's Consul-General at Frankfort.

George Humphrey Middleton, Esq., Head of the Personnel Department of the Foreign Office.

Norman Stanley Roberts, Esq., O.B.E., Counsellor (Commercial) at His Majesty's Embassy at Stockholm.

Robert Heatlie Scott, Esq., C.B.E., Head of the South-East Asia Department of the Foreign Office.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

8th June, 1950.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to make the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Royal Victorian Order:-

To be a Knight Grand Cross:— Sir Oliver Charles Harvey, G.C.M.G., C.B.

To be Knights Commanders:—

Brigadier-General George Camborne Beauclerk PAYNTER, C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O. Colonel Henry Abel Smith, D.S.O.

To be Commanders:—

Philip CONNARD, Esq., R.A. Ronald Martin Howe, Esq., M.C. John Douglas McLaggan, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S. Basil Edward Nicolls, Esq., C.B.E. Eric Humphrey Savill, Esq., C.B.E., M.V.O., Sir John Mitchell Harvey Wilson, Bt.

To be Members of the Fourth Class:— Commander (S) Richard Colville, D.S.C., Royal Navy. Miss Alice Mary Horsey. Thomas Leslie WHITE, Esq.

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St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

8th June, 1950.

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the Celebration of His Majesty's Birthday, to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:

To be Ordinary Knights Commanders of the Military Division of the said most Excellent

Vice-Admiral Arthur Robin Moore Bridge, C.B., C.B.E.

Vice-Admiral Clarence Edward Surgeon Greeson, C.B., M.D., Ch.B., K.H.P.

To be Ordinary Commanders of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order:

Rear-Admiral (E) James Breaks, M.I.Mech.E. Miss Olga Heather Franklin, M.B.E., R.R.C., H.N.S., Matron-in-Chief, Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service.

Captain Renfrew Gotto, D.S.O., Royal Navy. Captain (S) Royston Henry Johnson, O.B.E.,

A.D.C., Royal Navy.