

Foreign Office, 30th July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:—
 Doctor Georg Vogel, as Consul-General of Germany at Salisbury, for the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland;

Monsieur Edmond Raffoul, as Consul-General of the Lebanese Republic at Nicosia, for the island of Cyprus;

Senhor Pedro Fernando Machado Polzin, as Consul of Brazil at Port of Spain, for Trinidad, Tobago, Bahamas, Jamaica, the Leeward Islands, the Windward Islands, British Honduras, Barbados (excluding Bridgetown) and British Guiana (excluding Georgetown);

Mr. Ejthar Etlok Ginger-Mortensen, as Consul of Denmark at Singapore, for that Colony and the Federation of Malaya;

Señor Don Jorge Taberna Latasa, as Consul of Spain for Basutoland, Bechuanaland, Swaziland, the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, Tanganyika and the Island of Mauritius, with residence at Cape Town; and

Mr. Temple Wanamaker, as Consul of the United States of America at Nassau, Bahamas.

Foreign Office, 20th August, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. George Flama Sherman, as Consul-General of Liberia in London;

Doctor Edgar Reichel, as Consul of Germany at Lagos, for Nigeria and the territory of the Cameroons under United Kingdom Trusteeship; and

Mr. Stanley Alfred Claydon, as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Harwich, for the County of Suffolk with the exception of Lowestoft, and for that part of the County of Essex north of an imaginary line drawn from Maldon to Saffron Walden, excluding those two towns.

Foreign Office, 30th August, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:—
 Mr. Knowlton V. Hicks, as Consul-General of the United States of America at Barbados;

Monsieur Georges Bonnant, as Consul of Switzerland at Hong Kong, for that Colony;

Mr. Thomas J. Dunnigan, as Consul of the United States of America at Hong Kong;

Mr. William H. J. McIntyre, as Consul of the United States of America at Kingston, Jamaica;

Mr. Tom A. Noonan, as Consul of the United States of America at Kingston, Jamaica;

Mr. William Mackenzie, as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Inverness, for the Counties of Caithness, Ross and Cromarty (with the exception of the Isle of Lewis), Sutherland and Inverness (with the exception of the Hebrides);

Miss Gertrude M. Meyers, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America in London;

Mr. David B. Ortman, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Birmingham;

Mr. James M. E. O'Grady, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Valletta, Malta; and

Mr. William F. Ryan, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Southampton.

Whitehall, September 14, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve the presentation of the Reverend John Ambrose Harding, M.A., to the Rectory of the Parish of Sainte Philippe de Torteval, in the Island of Guernsey, vacant by the death of the Reverend Edmondson Nelson Greenhow, M.A.

Whitehall, September 14, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 12th instant, to nominate the Reverend Stanley Woodley Betts, M.A., Vicar of Holy Trinity, Cambridge, to be Bishop Suffragan of Maidstone in the Diocese of Canterbury.

Whitehall, September 14, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned gentlemen Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear Decorations conferred upon them by His Majesty the King of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:—

*ORDER OF AL ISTIQLAL.**Third Class.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Lionel Ainsworth Thorpe.

Major James Doran Lunt.

Colonel William Donald Tart.

Major Richard Shaun Richmond. M.C.

*ORDER OF AL NAHDA.**Third Class.*

Major Robert Joseph Vernon Young.

Colonial Office,

The Church House,

Great Smith Street, London, S.W.1.

11th September, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give instructions for the appointment of Maxwell Freeman Leycester Haymes, Esq., and Philip Lee Tau Sang, Esq., O.B.E., as Nominated Members of the Executive Council of the Colony of North Borneo for a period of one year and three years respectively, and for the re-appointment of James Mitchell, Esq., C.B.E., as a Nominated Member of the Executive Council of the Colony for a period of three years.

The Church House,

Westminster, S.W.1.

14th September, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Pelly Murphy, Esq. (Attorney-General, Zanzibar), to be a Puisne Judge of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Kenya.

The Church House,

Westminster, S.W.1.

14th September, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Thomas Taylor Russell, Esq. (formerly Puisne Judge, Federation of Malaya), to be Judge of the High Court, Somaliland Protectorate.

Scottish Home Department,

St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1.

10th September, 1956.

The Secretary of State for Scotland in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Hydro-Electric Development (Scotland) Act, 1943, as amended by the Electricity Act, 1947, and the Electricity Re-organisation (Scotland) Act, 1954, has appointed H. Wilkinson, Esq., to be a part-time member of the South of Scotland Electricity Board for the period from 15th September, 1956, to 31st December, 1958.

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

Commander Alfred Martin Williams, D.S.C., R.N., of Werrington Park, Launceston.

Major Edgar Hare, M.C., of Castle Hill House, Bodmin.

To be Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Cornwall.—Dated 1st September, 1956.

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Brigadier Reginald Stuart Abbott, C.I.E., M.C., resigns his Appointment as a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Leicester, having ceased permanently to reside in the County.

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