

### APPOINTMENTS, &c.

**No. 254.**—It is hereby notified that His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to The Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George :—

Sir FRANCIS HENRY MAY to be a Knight Grand Cross.

REGINALD EDWARD STUBBS, Esq., to be a Knight Commander.

*5th June, 1919.*

**No. 255.**—It is hereby notified that His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division) :—

*Commanders :—*

Mrs. STUBBS.

Hon. Mr. ARTHUR GEORGE MURCHISON FLETCHER.

*Members :—*

Mrs. ETHEL STABB.

Mrs. ALICE HICKLING.

ROBERT SUTHERLAND, Esq.

GEORGE MACDONALD YOUNG, Esq.

JAMES ARTHUR EDWARD BULLOCK, Esq.

*6th June, 1919.*

**No. 256.**—His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Commander CHARLES WILLIAM MALBEYSE BECKWITH, R.N., to act as Superintendent of the Imports and Exports Department with effect from the 1st June, 1919, and until further notice.

*6th June, 1919.*

### NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

**No. 257.**—It is hereby notified that the Imperial Government are prepared, in cases of proved hardship, to grant free passages to this country for the widows and orphans of reservists who were re-called from abroad on mobilisation, and who have died while serving during the War.

A free passage will be granted only if the wife had emigrated within three years of her husband's death, though the Treasury would be prepared to allow, exceptionally, free passages in the case of tropical Colonies in cases of emigration over three years before the husband's death. Free passages for children will be granted only in cases where their mother is returning to England, or where they are orphans.

Applications should be made in writing to the Colonial Secretary.

A. G. M. FLETCHER,  
*Colonial Secretary.*

*6th June, 1919.*