No. 552.—His Excellency the Governor has approved the following relinquishment of commission in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from 9th July, 1938:—

Lieutenant John Campion Dunbar.

22nd July, 1938.

No. 553.—The Right Honourable the Secretary of State for the Colonies has been pleased to approve the appointment of Major James Lugard Willcocks. D.S.O., M.C., to be the Commissioner of Prisons, Hong Kong, with effect from the 17th June, 1938, inclusive.

Major J. L. Willcocks arrived in the Colony on 20th July, 1938.

21st July, 1938.

No. 554.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under the provisions of Statute 4 of the Second Schedule of the University Ordinance, 1911, Ordinance No. 10 of 1911, to nominate Mr. Thomas Ernest Pearce as a member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong for a further period of three years, with effect from 12th June, 1938.

22nd July, 1938.

No. 555.—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, under section 3 (3) of the Vaccination Ordinance, 1923, Ordinance No. 12 of 1923, to cancel the appointment of Mr. E. Nuttall to act as a Public Vaccinator, which was published in Government Notification No. 438 of the 3rd June, 1938, with effect from 14th July, 1938.

22nd July, 1938.

NOTICES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.

No. 556.—It is hereby notified for general information that Mr. Addison Elwood Southard, Consul-General for the United States of America, has assumed the temporary representation of the interests of the Republic of Panama in the Colony.

N. L. SMITH, Colonial Secretary.

22nd July, 1938.