order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at half-KENMARE, past one o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain.

[The following Order is published in substitution for that which appeared in the London Gazette on the 19th February, 1886.]

T the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of February, 1886.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

ER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Lord Chancellor, the Lord President of the Council, the First Lord of the Admiralty, the Secretaries of State for the Home and War Departments, the Right Honourable Sir Lyon Playfair (Vice-President), the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the President of the Local Government Board, and the Right Honourable Anthony John Mundella, to be a Committee of Council on Education.

Windsor Castle, February 20, 1886.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :-Senor Don Marcial Martinez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Chile, to deliver his Letter of Recall.

To which audience he was introduced by the Earl of Rosebery, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

At the Court at Windsor, February 22, 1886.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased by Letters Patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the Statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installation, and to grant unto the Most Noble Algernon George, Duke of Northumberland, the Most Honourable William, Marquess of Abergavenny, and the Most Noble Henry, Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal and Hereditary Marshal of England, Kuights of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise, respectively, all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the said Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if they had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

War Office, February 18, 1886.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Vice-Admiral His Royal Highness Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., to be an Ordinary Member of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Master of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimlico, February 17, 1886. HER Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Harbord, Baron Suffield, K.C.B., to be Master of Her Majesty's Buckhounds, in the room of the Right Honourable John Henry Delapoer, Marquis of Waterford, K.P., resigned.

Whitehall, February 22, 1886.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the office and place of Advocate-General or Judge-Martial of Her Majesty's Forces to-John William Mellor, Esq., Q.C.

Whitehall, February 22, 1886.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Hugh Culling Eardley Childers, being one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, an Ecclesiastical Commissioner for England.

(H. 1243.)
Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 23, 1886.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, reporting that all vessels arriving from or having touched at Rio, are liable to four days' quarantine at Monte Video. Arrivals from places between Rio and Monte Video are howeveronly subjected to two days' quarantine.

(H. 1322.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, February 23, 1886.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government :-

Maritime Health Notice, No. 302.

In view of official information received, and the opinion of the Consultative Board of Public-Health having been taken, it is hereby declared that arrivals from the French ports on the Atlantic, which were classed as "suspected" by Maritime Health Notice, No. 297, will (now) be subject in the ports of Portugal to a quarantine of observation of twenty-four hours.

Secretary of State's Office for the Home

Department, February 15, 1886.

(Signed) ARTHUR FEVEREIRO, Director-General.

(H. 1327.) Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London. February 23, 1886.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, viz.:—" Ten days' quarantine on arrivals from Venice leaving on and after 16th instant, to be performed at Vallona, Tripoli, in Africa, Beyrout, and Clazomene.

Admiralty, 19th February, 1886.

The Reverend Alwyne Compton Howard Rice, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 12th February, 1886.

Admiralty, 20th February, 1886.

THE following qualified Candidates for the Naval Medical Service have been appointed to be-Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 18th February, 1886 :—
Frederick Walter Stericker, M.B.

John Frederick Bate. William Wenmoth Pryn. Graham Egerton Kennedy. Jerome Barry, M.D. Alfred John Pickthorn.