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*Foreign Office,*  
May 15, 1905.

His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received a Telegram from His Majesty's Minister at Tokio reporting that, by an Imperial Ordinance No. 160 promulgated on May 12th, and published in the Official Gazette of May 13th, it is declared that the whole of Formosa except the Pescadores and the surrounding sea are determined to be a war zone, and that a state of siege exists from the date of promulgation of the Ordinance.

The Governor-General of Formosa or, in his absence, the Officer commanding the troops is appointed Officer commanding the area in question.

*Foreign Office,*  
May 7, 1905.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Sir William Edward Goschen, K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Court of His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Hungary;

The Honourable Alan Johnstone, C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of His Majesty the King of Denmark; and

Sir Brooke Boothby, Bart., to be a Councillor of Embassy in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Downing Street,*  
May 17, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Arthur Henry Marshall, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Puisne Judge, Southern Nigeria.

*Downing Street,*  
May 18, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Jacob William Barth, Esq., M.A. (Crown Advocate, Mombasa), to be a Judge of His Majesty's High Court of East Africa.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall,*  
May 16, 1905.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 16th instant, to appoint Henry Johnston, Esq., K.C., Sheriff of Forfarshire, to be one of the Senators of the College of Justice in Scotland, in the room of the Right Honourable George Young (Lord Young), resigned.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall,*  
May 18, 1905.

The Secretary for Scotland has been pleased to issue an Order, bearing date the 3rd instant, for the transfer from Airdrie to Glasgow of Alastair Oswald Morison Mackenzie, Esq., Advocate, one of the Sheriffs-Substitute of the Sheriffdom of Lanarkshire.

*Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens,*  
London, May 17, 1905.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have revoked the Arbroath Electric Lighting