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FRIDAY, 25 APRIL, 1913.

*Crown Office,
April 24, 1913.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Borough of Shrewsbury.

George Butler Lloyd, Esq., in the place of Sir
Clement Lloyd Hill, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.,
deceased.

*Crown Office,
April 25, 1913.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters
Patent, under the Great Seal, dated the 25th
April, 1913, to appoint—

Cecil James Barrington Hurst, of the
Middle Temple, London, Esquire, C.B.,
to be of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the
law.

*Foreign Office,
April 1, 1913.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to
appoint—

Sir Henry Crofton Lowther, K.C.M.G., to be
His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and

Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the
King of Denmark.

*Foreign Office,
April 19, 1913.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to
appoint—

The Right Honourable Sir Cecil Arthur
Spring-Rice, G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., to be
His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary
and Plenipotentiary to the United States of
America.

*Foreign Office,
April 24, 1913.*

It is hereby notified that His Majesty's
Principal Secretary of State for Foreign
Affairs has received a telegraphic despatch
from Vice-Admiral Burney, commanding His
Majesty's Naval forces in Montenegrin waters,
addressed to the Lords Commissioners of the
Admiralty, and dated April 23rd, stating that
the blockade announced in the London Gazette
of April 11th has been extended to Durazzo by
the officers in command of the British, Austro-
Hungarian, French, German and Italian
Naval forces. The blockade was put in force
from 6 a.m. on April 23rd.