

sentation, one month before such Representation is so considered :

And whereas the Secretary for Scotland has, under the provisions of the Burial Grounds (Scotland) Act, 1855, made a Representation stating that he has received a copy of an Interlocutor by the Sheriff-Substitute at Paisley, finding that the Old and the New Burying Grounds at Lochwinnoch are dangerous to health and contrary to decency :

And whereas in the said Representation it is recommended that burials be discontinued in the said Old Burying Ground, and from and after the 1st day of January 1895 in the said New Burying Ground, except in the vault belonging to the family of Mr. M'Dowall, of Garthland, in the Old Burying Ground, and in the vault belonging to the family of the late Mr. Fyfe Jamieson in the New Burying Ground :

And whereas notice of the said Representation and of the time when it pleased Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of the Privy Council has been duly published in the Edinburgh Gazette, and has been fixed as required by the said Act :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order as follows, viz. :—

That burials be forthwith discontinued in the said Old Burying Ground, and from and after the 1st day of January 1895 in the said New Burying Ground, except in the vault belonging to the family of Mr. M'Dowall, of Garthland, in the Old Burying Ground, and except in the vault belonging to the family of the late Mr. Fyfe Jamieson in the New Burying Ground.

C. L. PEEL.

At the Court at Windsor, the 27th day of  
June 1894.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Earl Spencer.  
Lord Chamberlain.  
Lord Kensington.

Whereas by the first section of 'The Colonial Probates Act, 1892,' it is enacted as follows :—

'Her Majesty the Queen may, on being satisfied that the Legislature of any British Possession has made adequate provision for the recognition in that Possession of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom, direct by Order in Council that this Act shall, subject to any exceptions and modifications specified in the Order, apply to that Possession, and thereupon, while the Order is in force, this Act shall apply accordingly.'

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Legislature of the British Possession hereinafter mentioned has made adequate provision for the recognition in that Possession of probates and letters of administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act

in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

'The Colonial Probates Act, 1892,' shall apply to the British Possession hereunder mentioned :—

The Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

And the Most Honourable the Marquess of Ripon, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. PEEL.

WAR OFFICE, July 3, 1894.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the under-mentioned Officers of the Volunteer Force, who have been duly recommended for the same under the terms of the Royal Warrant, dated 25th July 1892 :—

SCOTTISH DISTRICT.

ARTILLERY.

1st Haddington.

Captain and Honorary Major John James Kelly.

RIFLE.

*The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).*

Captain and Honorary Major William Imrie Richardson.

Quartermaster Arthur Muir Bruce.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).*

Captain James Mackie.

*3rd (Dundee Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).*

Honorary Colonel Sir James Thomas Stewart Richardson, Bart.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, The Highland Light Infantry.*

Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel William Boyd Anderson, retired.

*5th (Deeside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders.*

Captain and Honorary Major James Collie.

*1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders).*

Lieutenant John Crighton.

*1st Dumbartonshire.*

Captain and Honorary Major Robert Pollock.

DOWNING STREET, July 2, 1894.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of August Huttenbach, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.