CHANCERY OF THE ORDER OF SAINT MICHAEL AND SAINT GEORGE,

DOWNING STREET, March 17, 1905.

THE King has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:—

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

The Right Honourable the Earl of Selborne, P.C., on appointment to be High Commissioner for South Africa, and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies.

#### BUCKINGHAM PALACE, March 16, 1905.

This day had Audience of the King—
Senhor Don Joaquim Aurelio Nabuco de Araujo
to present his Letters of Recall, and Senhor
Don Francisco Regis de Oliveira to present
his Credentials as Envoy Extraordinary and
Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States
of Brazil.

#### DOWNING STREET, March 15, 1905.

The King has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of William Sloane Robertson, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

## DOWNING STREET, March 16, 1905.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of John Anderson, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

#### WHITEHALL, March 15, 1905.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto the under-mentioned Officers and Gentlemen His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear decorations (as stated against their respective names), which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorised by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered to His Highness:—

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, Grand Officer.

Alfred Berry Brewster, Esq., Private Secretary to His Highness the Khedive of Egypt.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, First Class.

Alfred Mitchell Innes, Esq., Egyptian Under Secretary of State for Finance. Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, Second Class.

George Samuel Abercrombie Harvey (Pacha), Inspector in the Egyptian Ministry of the Interior.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, First Class.

Vincent Henry Edwin Corbett, Esq., Financial Adviser to His Highness the Khedive of Egypt.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, Second Class.

Ambrose Anthony Ralli, E.q., Vice-President of the Alexandria Municipality.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, Third Class.

Brevet Colonel George Frederick Gorringe, C.M.G., D.S.O., Royal Engineers.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidich, Third Class.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain George Whitefield Anderson, Seaforth Highlanders;

Captain Robert Vesey Savile, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment; and

Captain Alan Colquboun Grant, Highland Light Infantry.

## WHITEHALL, March 15, 1905.

The King has been pleased to give and grant unto George Fitzmaurice Montgomery, Esq., Commissioner of Chinese Maritime Customs, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the First Class of the Third Division of the Imperial Chinese Order of the Double Dragon, conferred upon him by His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of China, in recognition of valuable services rendered to His Imperial Majesty.

# TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Thursday the 23rd instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vict. cap. 2, and 52 Vict. cap. 6, to the amount of £2,220,000. in part replacement of Bills falling due on the 28th instant.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 28th March 1905, and will be payable at six mouths after date, viz., on the 28th September 1905.
- 3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.
- 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.