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FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1908.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE, March 30, 1908.

A^T a Meeting of the Privy Council, held this day in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable the Lord Chancellor was sworn a Lord Justice for the Government of Ireland during the absence of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 28, 1908.

The King has been graciously pleased to appoint-

Edward James Hope Vere, Esq., to be a Third Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

DOWNING STREET, March 31, 1908.

The King has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of the Reverend Alexander Hetherwick, D.D., Allan Ferguson Kidney, Esq., and Claude Metcalfe, Esq., to be Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council of the Nyasaland Protectorate.

INDIA OFFICE, March 26, 1908.

The King has been pleased to approve the appointment of Mr. Joseph John Heaton, I.C.S., to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, in the place of Mr. Herbert Batty, who has retired.

The Right Honourable Herbert John Gladstone, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has appointed John Robinson Felton, Esq., to be a Temporary Assistant Inspector of Mines, under the Coal Mines Regulation Acts, 1887 to 1905, and has directed him to act also as an Inspector for the purposes of the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872 and 1875, and of the Quarries Act, 1894; and has further appointed him to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops for the purposes of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901.

Whitehall, 26th March 1908.