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TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1883.

OSBORNE, July 30, 1883.

HIS day had audience of Her Majesty:--Monsieur William Henri Waddington, Ambassador from the French Republic, to present his Credentials; and

Colonel Curtis P. Jaukea, Special Envoy from His Majesty the King of Hawaii, to present his

Credentials;

To which audience they were respectively introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

DOWNING STREET, August 1, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Edward Maxwell, Esq., Commissioner of Land Titles in the Straits Settlements, to be a Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils of those Settlements.

DOWNING STREET, August 2, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Blyth, Esq., Secretary and Commissioner for Native Affairs in the Colony of Fiji, to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of that Colony.

DOWNING STREET, August 3, 1883.

Alexander Campbell Lowe, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Bahama Islands.

WHITEHALL, August 1, 1883.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Godfrey Carey, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Pro-cureur in the Royal Court of the Island of Guernsey, in the room of John de Havilland Utermarck, Esq., appointed Bailiff of the said Island.

To all the Local Authorities in Scotland within whose District there is a Port or Harbour, in terms of 'The Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1867.

Whereas by the Act 30 and 31 Vict. c. 101, ' Part III., for the Prevention and Mitigation of ' Diseases, under Order in Council,' and by the 31st section of the said Act, it is enacted, that 'Whenbe threatened with or is affected by any formidable 'epidemic, endemic, or contagious disease, the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, or any three or more of them '(the Lord President of the Council, or one of Her 'Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, being ' one), may, by Order or Orders by them from time 'to time made, direct that the Provisions for the 'prevention of diseases contained in Part III. 'hereof be put in force in Scotland, or in such parts The Queen has been pleased to appoint thereof, or in such places therein, as in such Order