Order, cease to be Areas infected with swine-

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Herbert M. Suft.

Foreign Office, October 17, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Dr. Alberto Nin as Consul-General in Great Britain for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

Downing Street, October 15, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Walter Meredith Deane, Esq., M.A., Captain Superintendent of Police of the Colony of Hong Kong, to be a Member of the Executive Council, and Henry George Thomsett, Esq., late R.N., Harbour Master, to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of that Colony.

Downing Street, October 15, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint James Henry McDowell, Esq., and James Cecil Phillippo, Esq., M.D., to be Members of the Privy Council of the Island of Jamaica.

Downing Street, October 15, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint William Sayers Comissiong, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Island of Grenada.

Whitehall, October 18, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint Donald Cameron, of Lochiel, Esq., to be Lieutenant of the Shire of Inverness, in the room of Simon, Lord Lovat, deceased.

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Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, October 18, 1887.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Despatch, dated 7th September last, from Her Majesty's Representative at Quito, respecting quarantine observation in Ecuador :-

In consequence of there having been cases of cholera in ports south of Valparaiso, the Fort of Guayaquil is closed for vessels which have touched at the Chilian ports of Tome and Talcabuano later than the 23rd ultimo.

The Sanitary Board of Guayaquil decreed 40 days' quarantine for vessels which had touched at those ports previous to the 13th ultimo, that passengers from the south must be provided with certified passports to the effect that they did not proceed from infected ports, a similar certificate being required for all Chilian cargo. The Governor of Guayaquil, however, resolved not to put these regulations in force.

Admiralty, 14th October, 1887.

THE undermentioned Assistant - Paymasters have been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet :-

Edward Henry Truscott. Dated 30th September, 1887.

Henry John Ollard. Dated 1st October, 1887.

War Office, Pall Mall, 18th October, 1887.

2nd Life Guards, Lieutenant Houston French to be Captain, vice A. D. Neeld, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1887.

Lieutenant Edward J. M. Lumb, from the 5th Lancers, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. F. Peel, seconded. Dated 19th October, 1887.

1st Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant John Saltren Willett to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. C. B. Lawrence, seconded. Dated 15th June,

6th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Francis S. Garratt to be Captain, vice T. R. F. B. Dated 3rd October, Hallowes, seconded.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Francis H. T. Hawley to be Captain, vice M. G. Johnstone, seconded. Dated 1st October, 1887.

4th Hussars, Captain William P. Wilson-Todd resigns his Commission. Dated 19th October,

7th Hussars, Captain Arthur R. Cole-Hamilton, from the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be Captain, in succession to Major J. L. Hunt, appointed Remount Agent, Bengal. Dated 19th October, 1887.

17th Lancers, Captain Charles Hotham Purvis has been seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 3rd October, 1887.

Remount Establishment, Colonel F. G. Ravenhill, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Inspector-General, with the temporary rank of Major-General, whilst so employed. Dated 1st October, 1887.

To be Assistant-Inspectors. Dated 19th October, 1887 :-

Colonel S. P. Lynes, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, Royal Artillery. Colonel F. M. Drew, from Lieutenant-Colonel,

half-pay.

Colonel Č. F. Morton, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant Colonel and Colonel Grant Blunt, upon completion of five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, to be placed upon half-pay. Dated 21st October, 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Charles Edward Luard, upon completion of five years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, to retire on retired pay and compensation, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 21st October, 1887.

The undermentioned Officers have retired upon Indian pensions, and not as stated in the Gazettes of 1st April, 26th April, 7th June, and 5th July, 1887 :-

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel J. H. Bedford (late Bombay). Dated 8th June, 1887.

Major M. A. Alves (late Bengal). Dated 16th June, 1887.