

Committee of the Lords of the Council, the same will be taken into consideration by their Lordships on the sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Privy Council Office, February 2, 1895.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty by the Council of the Borough of Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, praying, under the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," for the division of the borough into Wards; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the sixth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Privy Council Office, February 5, 1895.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to Her Majesty in Council, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, the draft of an Order in Council approving certain Bye-laws made by the Trinity House in Kingston-upon-Hull with respect to the Goole Pilots Superannuation Fund.

And notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, copies of the proposed draft Order in Council can be obtained by any public body, within forty days of the date of this notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

St. James's Palace, February 1, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain the Honourable Charles Harbord, Scots Guards, to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel Lord Edward William Pelham-Clinton, resigned.

St. James's Palace, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Granville George, Earl Granville, to be one of the Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Robert, Lord Monkswell, resigned.

Foreign Office, January 24, 1895.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Alan Johnstone to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen.

Foreign Office, January 24, 1895.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Holland, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Ichang; and Lionel Charles Hopkins, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Vice-Consuls at Shanghai.

Foreign Office, January 31, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Celso Nares as Consul-General of Ecuador at London; and of Don Carlos Aguirre y Aparicio as Consul of Ecuador at Liverpool.

Foreign Office, February 2, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. J. Johnstone Keswick as Consul-General of Hawaii at Hong Kong; of Mr. Victor Dumoulin as Consul of Turkey at Hull; of Mr. Daigoro Goh as Consul of Japan at Bombay; and of Mr. F. C. Fabricius as Consul of Denmark at Rangoon.

Downing Street, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of George William Neville, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Lagos.

Whitehall, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant the Archdeaconry of the Isle of Man to the Reverend Hugh Stowell Gill, M.A., the same being void by the resignation of the Venerable Joshua Hughes-Games, D.C.L.

Whitehall, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Scott Burdon-Sanderson, Esq., M.D., D.C.L., D.Sc., LL.D., Waynflete Professor of Physiology in the University of Oxford, the office and place of Professor of Physic in the said University, in the room of Sir Henry Wentworth Acland, Bart., K.C.B., resigned.

Whitehall, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Knight of the said United Kingdom unto the Honourable John McIntyre, Member of the Executive Council and Legislative Assembly of the Colony of Victoria and lately President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey in that Colony.

Whitehall, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Daniel Robert O'Sullivan, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Grade of the Second Class of the Brilliant Star of Zanzibar, which His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar has been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed by His Highness beyond Her Majesty's Dominions.

Whitehall, February 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto William George Lay, Esq., Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Division of the Third Class of the Order of the Double Dragon, which His Majesty the Emperor of China has been pleased to confer upon him in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed by His Imperial Majesty beyond Her Majesty's Dominions.

Education Department, Whitehall,

January 31, 1895.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the compulsory formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish:—

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