

Downing Street, April 4, 1895.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Leicester Paul Beaufort, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Labuan and its Dependencies.

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THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Risely Griffith, Esq., C.M.G. (Administrator of the Seychelles Islands), to be Administrator of the Presidency of Saint Christopher and Nevis.

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THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of John Bell-Smyth, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

(H. 3170.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, April 5, 1895.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of the following Telegram, dated 4th April, 1895, from Her Majesty's Representative at Cyprus:—

"Ten days' quarantine on arrivals from Gulf Aden and Red Sea to Toor exclusive."

Admiralty, 1st April, 1895.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain Hobart Charles Fraser to be Major, vice McCheane, retired. Dated 21st March, 1895.
Lieutenant Robert Douglas Beith to be Captain, vice Fraser, promoted. Dated 21st March, 1895.

Treasury Chambers, April 3, 1895.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Clement Higgins to be Steward and Bailiff of the Chiltern Hundreds.

Crown Office, April 4, 1895.

DAYS and Places appointed for holding the Intermediate Spring Assizes, 1895.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Hawkins.

Mr. Justice Kennedy.

Monday, April 15, at Manchester (Civil).

Monday, April 22, at Liverpool (Civil).

Monday, April 29, at Manchester (Civil and Criminal).

Monday, May 6, at Liverpool (Civil and Criminal).

NORTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Lawrance.

Monday, May 6, at Leeds (Criminal).

WHEREAS by section 2 of the "Wild Birds Protection Act, 1894," power was given to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State upon application by the County Council of any administrative County by Order to prohibit the taking or destroying of Wild Birds' eggs in any year or years in any place or places within that County.

And whereas the County Council of the East Riding of Yorkshire have applied to me requesting that an Order may be made to prohibit the taking or destroying of Wild Birds' eggs on the promontory of Spurn, including Kilnsea Warren south of the line taken by the road leading from the village of Kilnsea towards the site of the old village of Kilnsea, for a period of five years from the 31st of March, 1895.

Now therefore, I, the Right Honourable Herbert Henry Asquith, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in pursuance of the said Act, and on such application as aforesaid, hereby order as follows:—

That the taking or destroying of Wild Birds' eggs on the promontory of Spurn, including Kilnsea Warren south of the line taken by the road leading from the village of Kilnsea towards the site of the old village of Kilnsea, shall be prohibited for a period of five years from the 31st March, 1895.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 1st day of April, 1895.

H. H. Asquith.

TELEGRAMS TO EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA.

THE rates for Telegrams to certain places in East and South Africa have been reduced, and Telegrams can now be forwarded at the following charges:—

British South African Company's For each word.
Territory:— s. d.

Eastern Co.	} 5 5
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

Cape Colony:—

Cape Town—

Eastern Co.	} 5 0
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

All other Places—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

East Coast of Africa:—

British East Africa—

Mombasa—

Eastern Co.	} 5 0
Viâ France	

Other Places—

Eastern Co.	} 5 5
Viâ France	

German East Africa—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Viâ France	

Zanzibar—

Eastern Co.	} 5 0
Viâ France	

Natal:—

Durban—

Eastern Co.	} 5 0
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

Other Places—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

Orange Free State:—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

Transvaal:—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	

Zululand:—

Etchowe—

Eastern Co.	} 5 2
Direct Spanish Co.	
Viâ France	