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*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, August 17, 1898.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

The Honourable Henry Binns, Prime Minister and Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Natal, in recognition of services rendered in connection with the establishment of a Customs Union between Natal, the Cape of Good Hope, and the Orange Free State.

Downing Street, August 17, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Thomas Hutton Mills, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Colony.

India Office, August 18, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Mr. Arundel Tagg Arundel, of the Civil Service of India in the Madras Presidency, to be a Member of the Council of the Governor of Fort St. George, in succession to Mr. James Grose, C.I.E., deceased.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Colonel Thomas Waring, late a Member serving

in this present Parliament for the Northern Division of the County of Down, hath been certified to me, in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Northern Division of the said County of Down, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this eighteenth day of August, 1898.

ARTHUR O'CONNOR.

(S. 9044.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, August 16, 1898.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a notice respecting quarantine issued by Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan, viz.:—

NOTIFICATION.

THE undersigned Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan hereby makes known to British subjects resident in or resorting to Japan that owing to the prevalence of the plague in Formosa the Japanese Government deem it necessary that medical inspection in accordance with the Imperial Ordinance, No. 56 of May, 1894, be enforced from this day at the Port of Yokohama, Kanagawa Prefecture, against all vessels arriving direct from Formosa or which have come from that Island via Ports, and they have therefore issued a Notification to the effect that—

Vessels liable to medical inspection proceeding to the Port of Yokohama shall stop at Nagahama, Kanagawa Prefecture, and there undergo the examination of the quarantine officers.

British subjects are hereby required to conform to the above Regulations.

ERNEST SATOW.

British Legation, Tokyo, June 18, 1898.

(S. 9045.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, August 16, 1898.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of a Circular issued by the Governor of German East Africa, viz.:—

(Translation.)

Circular Instruction to all Government Autho-