Foreign Office, July 29, 1899.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Francisco Carpi y Cabrera as Consul of Spain at Newcastle; Don Féodomiro Avendaño y Martinez as Consul of Spain at Cardiff; Mr. G. Vadala as Consul of Belgium at Malta; Mr. Ph. Davey as Consul of Belgium at Freetown (Sierra Leone); Mr. Arnim Haupt as Consul of Den-mark at Hong Kong; Mr. Toshiro Fujita as Consul of Japan for the Eastern Districts of Canada; Mr. Saburo Hisamidzu as Consul of Japan at Townsville (Queensland); and Don Rafael Casares Gil as Vice-Consul of Spain at Montreal.

## Downing Street, August 9, 1899.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of George Victor K/vern, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Colony of Mauritius.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, August 9, 1899.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 2nd instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, granting a Charter of Incorporation to the Grand Antiquity Society of Glasgow.

## Westminster, August 9, 1899.

THIS day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

Appropriation Act, 1899. Bodies Corporate (Joint Tenancy) Act, 1899. University of London Act, 1899. Anchors and Chain Cables Act, 1899. Seats for Shop Assistants Act, 1899. Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1899. Isle of Man (Customs) Act, 1899. Manchester Canonries Act, 1899. Marriages Validity Act, 1899. Metropolitan Police Act, 1899. Electric Lighting (Clauses) Act, 1899. Commons Act, 1899. Improvement of Land Act, 1899. Colonial Loans Act, 1899. Inebriates Act, 1899. Naval Works Act, 1899. Telegraph Act, 1899. Board of Education Act, 1899. Elementary Education (Defective and Epileptic

Children) Act, 1899. Poor Law Act, 1899. Royal Niger Company Act, 1899. Land Tax Commissioners: Names Act, 1899. Patriotic Fund Act, 1899. Reserve Forces Act, 1899.

Military Works Act, 1899. Lincolnshire Coroners Act, 1899. Expiring Laws Continuance Act, 1899. Public Works Loans Act, 1899. Baths and Washhouses Act, 1839. Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act,

Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland) Act, 1899.

Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1899. Small Dwellings Acquisition Act, 18:9. Gas Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act, 1899. Local Government Board's Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 14) Act, 1899.
Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 2) Act,

Tramways Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act, 1899.

Electric Lighting Order Confirmation (No. 20) Act, 1899.

Education Department Provisional Order Confirmation (London) Act, 1899.

Tancred's Charities Scheme Confirmation Act, 1899.

London and North Western Railway (Additional Powers) Act, 1899.

Renfrew Burgh and Harbour Extension Act,

Caledonian Railway (General Powers) Act,

Aberdeen Joint Passenger Station Act, 1899. Leigh-on-Sea Urban District Council Act, 1899.

Moss Side Tramways Act, 1899. Stretford Tramways Act, 1899. Withington Tramways Act, 1899.

Weston, Clevedon, and Portishead Light Railways Act, 1899.

Yeadon and Guiseley Gas Act, 1899. South Staffordshire Tramways Act, 1899.

Darwen Corporation Act, 1899. Warrington Corporation Act, 1899.

Worcestershire County Council (Transfer of the Parish of Yardley) Act, 1899.

Glasgow and South Western Railway Act,

Great Eastern Railway (General Powers) Act,

Great Yarmouth Waterworks Act, 1899. North Eastern Railway Act, 1899. North Staffordshire Railway Act, 1899. Wolverhampton Tramways Act, 1899.

Hastings Harbour Act, 1899. Oystermouth Railway or Tramroad Act, 1899.

Bootle Corporation Act, 1899. Dublin Corporation (Markets) Act, 1899.

London County Council (General Powers) Act, 1899.

London County Council (Money) Act, 1899. Clyde Navigation Act, 1899. Cromer Protection Act, 1899.

Oldham Corporation Act, 1899. Hull Joint Dock Act. 1899 Hull Joint Dock Act, 1899. Fylde Water Board Act, 1899.

Salford Corporation Act, 1899. Wakefield Corporation Act, 1899. Belfast Corporation Act, 1899. City and Brixton Railway Act, 1899.

Gateshead and District Tramways Act, 1899. London Walthamstow and Epping Forest Railway Act, 1899.

West Metropolitan Railway Act, 1899. Bexhill and Rotherfield Railway Act, 1899. Birmingham North Warwickshire and Stratford-upon-Avon Railway Act, 1899.

South Western Railway Act, 1899.

Manchester Corporation Tramways Act, 1899.