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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, October 30, 1900.*

**O**RDERS for the Court's going into Mourning from this day for His late Highness The Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig-Holstein, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., eldest Son of Their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, Princess Helena of Great Britain and Ireland, and Grandson of Her Majesty The Queen, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, white Gloves, black or white Shoes, Feathers, and Fans, Pearls, Diamonds, or plain gold or silver Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to wear black Court Dress, with black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Tuesday, the 13th November next, viz. :—

The Ladies to wear black Dresses, with coloured Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Tuesday, the 27th November next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, October 30, 1900.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed after to-day until further orders.

*St. James's Palace, October 30, 1900.*

**T**HE Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace, and the German Chapel adjoining, will be reopened for Divine Service on Sunday next, November 4.

EDGAR SHEPPARD, Sub-Dean.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,  
St. James's Palace, October 19, 1900.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Royal Victorian Order :—

*To be a Commander.*

George William Buchanan, Esq., C.B., recently Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Darmstadt.

*Whitehall, October 27, 1900.*

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, declaring and directing that, from the 1st day of November, 1900 (the date of the election of Borough Councillors), the Metropolitan Borough of Westminster, constituted by Order of Her Majesty in Council of the 15th May last, shall be a City, and shall be called and styled the City of Westminster, and shall have all such rank, liberties, privileges, and immunities as are incident to a City; and that the Borough Council, established by the Order in Council aforesaid, as a body corporate, shall be thenceforth called and styled the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors of the City of Westminster, instead of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Councillors of the Metropolitan Borough of Westminster.

*Crown Office, October 27, 1900.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to appoint the Honourable Sir James Stirling, one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to be a Lord Justice of Appeal.

*Board of Education, Whitehall,  
October 26, 1900.*

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,  
1870-1899.**

THE Board of Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish :—

Fobbing ... .. Essex

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Lower Michaelstone ... .. Glamorgan

(F. & H. 14,450.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, October 29, 1900.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at