

[In substitution for the Notice that appeared in the London Gazette of the 25th January, 1901, and in the Supplement of the 24th January, 1901.]

AT the Court at Saint James's, the 24th day of January, 1901.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Honourable Edmund Barton was, by His Majesty's command, appointed a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his name was inserted in the List of Privy Councillors accordingly.

AT the Court at Saint James's, the 30th day of January, 1901.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Most Honourable Lawrence, Marquess of Zetland, K.T.; the Right Honourable Robert Offley Ashburton, Earl of Crewe; the Right Honourable Richard Assheton, Viscount Cross, G.C.B., G.C.S.J.; the Right Honourable John, Lord Avebury; the Right Honourable George Young; the Right Honourable Robert William Hanbury; the Right Honourable Sir William Hood Walrond, Baronet; and the Right Honourable Gerald William Balfour; were, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

Council Office, Whitehall, January 30, 1901.

THIS day, in the presence of the Lord President of the Council, the Right Honourable Aretas Akers-Douglas was sworn First Commissioner of His Majesty's Works and Public Buildings; the Right Honourable Robert William Hanbury, President of the Board of Agriculture; the Right Honourable Walter Hume Long, President of the Local Government Board; and the Right Honourable Gerald William Balfour, President of the Board of Trade.

Whitehall, January 26, 1901.

THE Marriage between Their Highnesses the Prince Aribert and Princess Aribert of Anhalt, née Princess of Schleswig-Holstein, having been dissolved on the 10th of December, 1900, upon the application of both parties, in virtue of the Family Law of the Ducal House of Anhalt of July, 1900, the Princess, with the consent of the Duke Ernst Günther of Schleswig-Holstein as head of her family, has exercised her right to resume her family name, and will in future be called and known as Louise Auguste, Princess of Schleswig-Holstein.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,
St. James's Palace, January 18, 1901.*

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

To be Honorary Knight Grand Cross.
His Excellency Lieutenant-General Gustav von Kessel.

To be Honorary Commanders.
Major Dietrich von Thraa.
Herr Hofrat Gustav Schwerin.

Foreign Office, January 25, 1901.

THE King has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Arthur Henry Hardinge, K.C.M.G., C.B., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Shah of Persia.

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Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, January 30, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of Quarantine Regulations in force in the Somali Protectorate, viz.:—

Somaliland Protectorate.

Queen's Regulations under Article 3^o of "The Somaliland Order in Council, 1899."

No. 4 of 1900.—Plague.

PART I.

ART. 1. In these Regulations:—

The term "ship" includes every vessel or boat, barge, or other native craft.

The term "master" used in relation to a ship includes the officer or person for the time being in charge or command of the ship, and includes a pilot.

The term "Health Officer" includes any duly qualified medical practitioner appointed or employed to act in the execution of these Regulations, under the orders of Her Majesty's Consul-General.

The term "harbour-master" includes any person acting for or on behalf of the harbour-master.

The term "healthy ship" means any ship which, though coming from an infected port, has had no death from or case of plague on board, either before departure, during the voyage, or on arrival.

The term "infected ship" means any ship with a case of plague on board, or on board which there has been a case of plague within twelve days. The term "suspected ship" means any ship on which there has been during the voyage, or during the stay of such ship in the port of departure, a case of plague, but on board which there has been no such case within twelve days: Provided that any ship to which a person has been transhipped from an infected or suspected ship shall, by reason thereof, be deemed to be infected or suspected, as the case may be, the period of twelve days being for this purpose reckoned from the date of the last case of plague on board the ship from which the said person is so transhipped.

The term "sanitary station" means any place or places appointed or prescribed by the Consul-General as a sanitary station or stations for the purposes of these Regulations.

The term "observation" means isolation either on board ship or at a sanitary station.

ART. 2. Where these Regulations provide that a person may be permitted to proceed to his place of destination subject to surveillance, such permission shall be granted upon the following conditions:—

(a.) He must satisfy the Medical Officer of Health as to his name, intended place of destination, and his address at such place.

(b.) He must agree to submit himself, and must submit himself, to medical supervision at that place during the prescribed period.

(c.) The place must in the opinion of the Medical Officer of Health be conveniently situated for the medical supervision.

PART II.—Arrival of Ships.

ART. 3. An infected or a suspected ship, or a ship arriving from an infected port, shall not