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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
January 18, 1902.*

THE King has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Fenwick Bulmer de Sales La Terrière, late 5th Battalion Royal Fusiliers, and late Captain 18th Hussars, to be one of the Exons of the King's Body Guard of the Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of Major Edmund Halbert Elliot, promoted.

Whitehall, January 22, 1902.

THE King has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting to the Reverend Prebendary John Julius Hannah, M.A., the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Chichester, void by the resignation of the Very Reverend Richard William Randall, D.D., late Dean thereof.

Whitehall, January 23, 1902.

MR. SECRETARY RITCHIE, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has appointed Henry Walker, Esq., to be an Assistant Inspector of Mines under the Coal Mines Regulation Acts, 1887 to 1896, and has directed him to act also as an Inspector for the purposes of the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872 and 1875, and of the Quarries Act, 1894, and has further appointed him to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops for the purposes of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901.

(H. 1299.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, January 21, 1902.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated January 11, from His Majesty's Representative at The Hague, enclosing the following translation of a Decree respecting quarantine:—

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Friday, January 3.

The Minister of the Interior, having taken into consideration that by force of the Royal Decree of 12th December, 1901 (Staatsblad No. 267), to replace the Royal Decree of 20th December, 1900 (Staatsblad No. 213), it is prohibited, excepting by permission of the Minister of the Interior, and with due observance of the instructions to be given by him to prevent the spreading of infection:

1. To search for the presence of plague germs in persons and merchandise by making experiments upon animals.
2. To perform the operation of opening the bodies of persons who have died of the plague or are suspected of having had the plague.
3. To convey substances which are plague germs, or are suspected of being plague germs.

Having read the advice of the Inspectors for the Medical State Supervision of 16th May, 1900;

Has approved and sanctioned:

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The examination of persons and merchandise for the presence of plague germs by making experiments upon animals.

Requests for permission for an examination of the kind may be made to the Inspector for the Medical State Supervision, in whose district the examination is to be made.

With them must be given all possible information about the arrangements of the locality where the examination is to be made, and the precautions which will be taken at the examination to prevent the spreading of the plague germs.

Among others must be proved what precautions have been taken by the applicant—

- (a.) To make the locality where the examination will be made inaccessible to persons whose presence is not required at the examination, and to animals which are not used for it.
- (b.) To prevent the escape of animals upon which experiments have been made.
- (c.) To have the animals experimented upon properly killed.