

Esq., M.A., Regius Professor of Greek, Trinity College, Dublin, to be Regius Professor of Modern History in the University of Cambridge, in the room of John Emerich Edward, Baron Acton, deceased.

Whitehall, December 15, 1902.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to grant the dignity of a Knight of the said United Kingdom unto James Percy Fitzpatrick, Esq., of Johannesburg, in the Colony of the Transvaal; and George Farrar, Esq., D.S.O., also of the Transvaal.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 15, 1902.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. A. E. Odling, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Alford, in the county of Lincoln, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 15, 1902.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. T. Fraser, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Berwick, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 15, 1902.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the removal of Dr. D. B. O'Flynn, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Glanmire, in the county of Cork, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 15, 1902.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the removal of Dr. R. E. Owen, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Beaumaris, in the county of Anglesey, is vacant.

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, December 13, 1902.
H. 17395.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated December 12, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—
"Maritime Sanitary Order of yesterday No. 24 revokes No. 20 of 29th August regarding arrivals from Odessa."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour
Department), London, December 13, 1902.
H. 17396.*

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of the following Quarantine Notice issued by the Governor of Malta:—

Government Notice. No. 280.

His Excellency the Governor, having heard the opinion of the Council of Health, has been pleased to repeal Government Notice No. 270 of the 26th November, 1902, and to direct that the

following regulations be observed as regards vessels and passengers, viz.:—

Infected Places.

1. The following countries are, for purposes of quarantine, to be treated as infected:—

- (a.) Arabia (excepting Perim and Aden);
- (b.) China;
- (c.) Egypt (excepting Port Said and Suez);
- (d.) India;
- (e.) Odessa.

2. And the following ports:—

- (a.) Ports in the Persian Gulf;
- (b.) Syria between Sur and Port Said (exclusive of the latter port).

Infected Vessels.

3. Infected vessels are vessels which have, or have had, on board, during the voyage or the preceding 20 days, cases of cholera, yellow fever, plague, or any disease with symptoms which, in the opinion of the Chief Government Medical Officer, resemble the symptoms of the said diseases.

Vessels which are not allowed to enter the Harbour, but are allowed to communicate with Quarantine Establishments.

4. Infected vessels.

5. Vessels with pilgrims from the East, when not carrying a recognized Medical Officer.

6. Vessels from infected places, when not carrying a recognized Medical Officer.

Vessels allowed to load in Quarantine.

7. Vessels arriving at Malta without a clean bill of health.

8. Infected vessels when carrying a recognized Medical Officer and not having on board an actual case of the diseases mentioned in paragraph 3 on board.

9. Vessels from infected places not having on board an actual case of the diseases mentioned in paragraph 3, when arriving within 10 days from departure.

10. Vessels with pilgrims from the East when carrying a recognized Medical Officer.

Vessels from Infected Places admitted to pratique.

11. Vessels without a clean bill of health, or from infected places, will be admitted to pratique after 10 days from date of departure.

Medical Inspection.

12. All vessels and passengers on arrival are subject to medical inspection.

Passengers.

13. Passengers, before landing, must declare on oath before a Marine Police Officer that they have not been in, or have not communicated with, an infected place within the last 10 days. Otherwise they shall remain in quarantine to complete 10 days from departure.

14. Passengers arriving on vessels without a clean bill of health shall complete 10 days' quarantine from departure.

15. Passengers arriving from infected places, after 10 days from date of departure are allowed to land in free pratique after strict medical inspection and thorough disinfection of their persons, effects, and luggage, if the inspecting Medical Officer is satisfied that they are in good health.

16. Passengers not otherwise provided for are subjected to the restrictions applicable to the vessels on which they arrive.

17. When 20 days have elapsed from the last case of plague, cholera, or other disease against which restrictions have been in force with regard to a country or place declared to be an infected place, a notice will be issued by the Collector of Customs to the effect that the place or port is no longer to be dealt with as infected.