

*Whitehall, January 17, 1903.*

The KING has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Edward Moore, D.D., Principal of St. Edmund Hall, Oxford, the place and dignity of a Canon of the Cathedral and Metropolitan Church of Canterbury, void by the death of the Reverend George Rawlinson, M.A.

*Whitehall, January 17, 1903.*

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Wilfrid Stokes, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, for services in connection with the opening of the Assouan Dam.

*Whitehall, January 17, 1903.*

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto William Henry Stone, Esq., Foreign Secretary in the Department of Communications of Japan, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Cross of Commander of the Royal Danish Order of the Dannebrog conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Denmark in recognition of valuable services rendered by him on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness Prince Valdemar of Denmark to Japan.

*Whitehall, January 19, 1903.*

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned Gentlemen His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear decorations (as stated against their respective names), which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey:—

*Osmanieh, First Class.*

Sir William Edmund Garstin, G.C.M.G., Under Secretary of State of the Egyptian Public Works Department.

*Osmanieh, Second Class.*

Arthur Lewis Webb, Esq., C.M.G., Director-General of Reservoirs.

*Medjidieh, Second Class.*

John Kynaston Edward Verschoyle, Esq., C.M.G., Inspector-General of Irrigation, Upper Egypt.  
Charles Ramsden May, Esq., Resident Engineer, Assouan Reservoir.

*Medjidieh, Third Class.*

Murdoch Macdonald, Esq., Assistant Engineer, Assouan Reservoir.  
Edward Hood, Esq., formerly Assistant Engineer on the Assiut Barrage.

*Medjidieh, Fourth Class.*

William Lowe Brown, Esq., Director of the Assiut Barrage.

*Medjidieh, Fifth Class.*

William Thomas Roberts, Esq., Chief Inspector of Masoury, Assouan Reservoir.

*Foreign Office,  
December 15, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Sydney Philip Perigal Waterlow, Esq., to be a Third Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Foreign Office,  
December 17, 1902.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Heron Charles Goodhart, Esq., to be a Third Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

*Foreign Office,  
January 12, 1903.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of—  
Mr. Ludwig Ratazzi as Consul of Germany at Fremantle for the State of West Australia;  
Mr. Albert Koop as Consul of Germany at Bassein for the town and port of Bassein, including Diamond Island;  
Doctor José Custodio Alves de Lima as Consul of Brazil at Montreal for the Dominion of Canada;  
Mr. William Gollcher as Consul of Sweden and Norway at Valetta for the Colony of Malta;  
Mr. F. Penn as Vice-Consul of Belgium at Durban for Natal and the Province of Zululand; and  
Mr. Edmund D. Pearse as Vice-Consul of Liberia at Plymouth.

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 17, 1903.*  
H. 1269.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 15, from His Majesty's Representative at Lisbon:—  
"Alexandria declared infected with cholera from December 25. Guayaquil with yellow fever from November 1, and Mazatlan, Mexico, with plague from January 1."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 17, 1903.*  
H. 1270.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 16, from His Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg:—  
"Minab and Jask in Persia declared dangerous from cholera. Tokio from plague."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 19, 1903.*  
H. 1330.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 17, from His Majesty's Representative at Buenos Aires:—  
"48 hours' quarantine imposed on arrivals from Rio de Janeiro."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 19, 1903.*  
H. 1342.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 16, from the High Commissioner for Cyprus:—  
"Quarantine on arrivals from Egypt reduced to forty-eight hours."

*Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour  
Department), London, January 20, 1903.*  
H. 1426.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated January 19, from His Majesty's Representative at Madrid:—  
"Mazatlan, Mexico, foul. Plague."