

of Winchester, now void by the death of the Honourable and Right Reverend Arthur Temple Lyttelton, Bishop Suffragan of Southampton, late Archdeacon thereof, and in His Majesty's gift for this turn only by virtue of His Majesty's prerogative Royal by reason of the recent vacancy of the See of Winchester.

Foreign Office,

July 10, 1903.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Mr. John Mofatt as Consul of Salvador at Liverpool;
Mr. Alphonse Larreur as Consul of Hayti at Inagua; and
Mr. Luis Garzon Duany as Vice-Consul of Cuba at London.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that on the 14th July, 1903, he made an Order under section 40 (4) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, extending the exceptions in that section which permit young persons to have the meal hours at different times, and to remain during meal times in rooms in which a manufacturing process is being carried on, to male young persons employed in iron and steel foundries in Scotland.

Copies of the Order may be purchased at the Sale Office for Official Publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.

Whitehall, July 14, 1903.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of section 118 of the Factory Act, 1901, the Right Honourable Aretas Akers-Douglas, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. H. Mennell to be an Inspector's Assistant under that Act.

Whitehall, July 15, 1903.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of section 118 of the above Act the Right Honourable Aretas Akers-Douglas, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Herbert Hawke Crosthwaite Thomas, Thomas Andrew Gailey, Michael Edgar White, Charles Eric Pringle, Richard Underdown Shaxby, and Arthur Benjamin Franklin to be Inspectors of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall, July 17, 1903.

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, July 14, 1903.
H. 11177.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated July 11, from His Majesty's Representative at Rio de Janeiro:—"Valparaiso declared to be infected with bubonic plague from June 16."

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, July 14, 1903.
H. 11178.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy

of the following Telegram, dated July 13, from His Majesty's Representative at Callao:—"Decision closing ports on arrivals from Chile annulled. They are now received, but those from infected ports subject to strict quarantine."

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, July 15, 1903.
H. 11265.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated July 15, from His Majesty's Representative at Madrid:—"Egypt foul. Plague."

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, July 15, 1903.
H. 11282.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated July 15, from His Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg:—"Jebele in Lebanon Vilayet declared dangerous from plague."

Admiralty, 15th July, 1903.

Gunner William Henry Newman has been promoted to the rank of Chief Gunner in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 19th June, 1903.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Wellesley Davison to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th July, 1903.

Admiralty, 16th July, 1903.

Clerk Norman Cunningham has been promoted to the rank of Assistant-Paymaster in His Majesty's Fleet. Dated 29th June, 1903.

War Office, Pall Mall,
17th July, 1903.

7th Hussars, Captain the Honourable John G. H. Beresford to be Major, vice R. L. Walter, promoted. Dated 26th June, 1903.

15th Hussars, Captain James A. S. Balmain is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 27th December, 1902.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY (IN SOUTH AFRICA).
Unattached. Lieutenant G. C. Allan resigns his Commission and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant in the Army, with permission to wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 22nd May, 1903.

Major P. K. H. Coke, Captain, Reserve of Officers (Honorary Major in the Army), relinquishes his Commission. Dated 3rd July, 1903.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

Brevet Colonel Julian J. Levenson, C.M.G., on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1903.

Major Alfred R. M. Sankey to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. J. Levenson, C.M.G. Dated 10th July, 1903.

Captain Eliot P. Johnson to be Major, vice A. R. M. Sankey. Dated 10th July, 1903.

Lieutenant Theodore D. Broughton to be Captain, vice E. P. Johnson. Dated 10th July, 1903.