This Order may be referred to as Order of Appointment No. 47.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Appointed Day.

Order made under Section 27 (2) of the Education Act, 1902.

Whereas by Sub-section (2) of Section 27 of the Education Act, 1902 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), it is enacted that the Act shall, except as expressly provided, come into operation on the appointed day, and the appointed day shall be the twenty-sixth day of March, nineteen hundred and three, or such other day, not being more than eighteen months later, as the Board of Education may appoint, and different days may be appointed for different purposes and for different provisions of the Act and for different Councils.

And whereas by an Order dated the sixteenth day of March, nineteen hundred and three, the Board of Education bave fixed the first day of April, nineteen hundred and three, as the appointed day for the purposes of Sub-section (5) of section 23 of the Act.

And whereas by an Order dated the thirty-first day of July, nineteen hundred and three, the Board of Education have fixed as the appointed day for the Councils of the Boroughs of Chichester and King's Lynn for all other purposes and provisions of the Act the first day of September, nineteen hundred and three, or such later day or days as the Board might for any such other purpose or provision for either of the said Councils thereafter appoint.

Now, therefore, the Board of Education, pursuant to the Act and to every other power enabling them in that behalf, hereby appoint as the appointed day for each of the said Councils for all such other purposes and provisions the first day of October, nineteen hundred and three, or such later day or days as the Board may, for any such other purpose or provision, for either of the said Councils hereafter appoint.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Board of Education this twenty-eighth day of August, nineteen hundred and three. L. S. JOHN R. DASENT, An Assistant Secretary of the

Bcard of Education.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896. ·

Southend-on-Sea and District Light Railways (Extensions) Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them for the construction of Light Railways in the county of Essex, in the borough of Southend-on-Sea and the urban district of Shoebury-

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 17th September, 1903. These should be accompanied by copies of any clauses or amendments that may be desired to remove the objections, and copies of such objections and clauses or amendments should at the same time be sent to one of the Promoters' Agents named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy from the Town Clerk, Southend-on-Sea, or Messrs. Sharpe and Co., 9, Bridge-street, Westminster.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., 25th August, 1903.

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, August 27, 1903. H. 13152.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated August 26, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:— Sanitary precautions against Port Said withdrawn.'

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, August 27, 1903. Н. 13153.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated August 21, from His Majesty's Representative at Copenhagen, intimating that the Government of the Danish Antilles have raised the quarantine imposed on arrivals from Grenada. Such vessels will, however, continue to be subjected to the visit of quarantine officers.

Admiralty, 24th August, 1903.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Major William Price Drury, Half-Pay List, placed on the Retired List on account of physical unfitness for active service. Dated is: July, 1903.

Major Cecil Henderson to take rank and precedence in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, and in the Army, as if his appointment as Major bore date the 27th day of November, 1902.

Admiralty, 25th August, 1903.

In accordance with the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870-

Chaplain the Reverend Edward L'Estrange Fawcett, M.A., has been placed on the Retired List, on his appointment to the Greenwich Hospital living of Greystead, Northumberland. Dated 20th August, 1903. The Reverend Francis Edward Pitman, Chaplain

in the Royal Navy, has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 25th August, 1903.

Sub-Lieutenant Guy Dalrymple Fanshawe has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet, for services during the operations in North China in 1900. Dated 15th August, 1903.

The undermentioned Carpenters have been promoted to the rank of Chief Carpenter in His Majesty's Fleet:-

Dated 3rd June, 1903. Michael Byrne. John Joseph Butson. Dated 21st August, 1903. James Rice. Dated 24th August, 1903.